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Market Reports For Monday 26th February 2018

Market At A Glance

Prime Heifers to 227p/kg & £1402
Prime Steers to 217p/kg & £1447
OTM Cattle to 138p/kg & £1192
Prime Hogg SQQ 218p/kg (1599)
Prime Hoggs to 274p/kg & £140
Ewes to £115 (411 Avg £67)
Calves to £300

Friday 9th March Sale of Store Cattle

Friday 23rd March Sale of Store Cattle

Catalogues & Entry Forms available by post, email or on the website www.rugbyfarmersmart.com ~ admin@rugbyfarmersmart.com CATTLE: 58

Prime Cattle: 41 Forward

Again, a yarding of two halves, either being shapey, good grading cattle, or those that would struggle to hit a grid. That said as sharp a trade today as for the past few weeks, with meat an obvious premium. In the steers a top PPK to RJ Grindal & Co, seeing 217ppk for a Limousin x steer, grossing £1447.

Heifers showing plenty of style today with butchers fit. Top today for Parry Walters with Limousin x to 227ppk, with the top gross to Ivor Caswell, with heavy Limousin x heifers to £1402.

Bulls to 144ppk or £864 from G Ratcliffe for non-farm assured black and whites.

Auctioneer: Scott Ruck

STEERS & BULLS: 15			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	667kg	£1447	R J Grindal & Co
Simmental	727kg	£1389	AG & SC Clarke
Simmental	726kg	£1387	AG & SC Clarke
Blonde	698kg	£1354	Mouldings Green Farm Partnership
Simmental	815kg	£1337	AG & SC Clarke
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin	667kg	217p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin x	552kg	211p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin x	552kg	199p/kg	A K Burgess
Blonde	667kg	199p/kg	Mouldings Green Farm Partnership
Blonde	698kg	194p/kg	Mouldings Green Farm Partnership

HEIFERS: 26			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	762kg	£1402	B T Caswell & Son
Limousin x	689kg	£1392	J B Baylis & Partners
Limousin x	599kg	£1354	C W Reay & Son
Limousin x	594kg	£1348	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	600kg	£1344	C W Reay & Son
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	594kg	227p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	599kg	226p/kg	C W Reay & Son
Limousin x	574kg	224p/kg	R W Cross & Partners
Limousin x	600kg	224p/kg	C W Reay & Son
Limousin	545kg	221p/kg	DTP & PA Walters

COWS: 2 Forward

Desperately short of cows, with those forward a strong trade to 138ppk or £1192 from RW Cross & Partners.

Auctioneer: Scott Ruck

CALVES: 15 Forward

A smaller show of calves than the previous sale, but a much better quality. Top today from RR Barrett & Son, selling British Blue x bulls to £300 at 1 month, with Limousin x heifers from SD Shipton to £250 at 3 weeks. Top blue heifers from the Barretts to £245, with Hereford x bulls from WAC Gilbert & Son to £190. Black and White bulls from the Barretts to £100.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

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With sadness we report the death of Mr A Oliver, Nuneaton affectionately known as old Alf who died peacefully at home on 14th February.

His funeral will be held on Thursday 1st March 11am at Sibson Church, Nuneaton.

SHEEP:2384

PRIME HOGGS: 1599 Forward SQQ 218p/kg

A smaller yarding today, with feeders coming online slowly, and farmer fed hoggs running dry. 150 dry and belly clipped overnight, with these being well rewarded. In all honesty a yarding of two halves, but all meeting a sharp trade to return an SQQ of 218ppk and an overall average of 212ppk ALL IN! In the euros a top of 274ppk for the unstoppable Frank Page with 35kg Beltex, with 40kg from the same stable to 263ppk. DW Gurney & Son sold 38kg Texels to 253ppk, with 42kg to 252ppk and Norman Deeley showing Texel x to 251ppk at 38kg. In the heavies a top to Paul Edwards with Texels at 48kg to 234ppk, with early riser Brian Aries selling square Texel x to 231ppk at 47kg, equal with Harrison Bros for Charollais x. Mr Aries struck again with 46kg Texel x at 228ppk, with WG King & Son selling Texel x to 222ppk at 47kg. In the lump, euro lambs selling to £106.50 for 44.5kg Texels from Paul Edwards, with DW Gurney & Son selling Texels at 42kg to £106. Paul Edwards continued his strong run with 44kg Texels to £105, and others at the same weight to £103.50, before S Webster sold 45kg Texels to £103. Overall top today from Robert Goode, with 78kg Charollais x to £140, with others at 63kg to £128. Hopcraft bros sold 64kg Charollais x to £125. Robert "Big Lamb" Goode returned to sell 70kg Suffolk x to £122, with 60.5kg to £121. Weather affecting the trade this week, with numbers being affected by snow in parts of the country, this must be monitored.

Auctioneer: Scott Ruck

Prime Hoggs: SQQ 218p/kg) UNDER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Beltex x	35.00kgs	274p/kg	Page Bros
Beltex x	40.00kgs	263p/kg	Page Bros
Texel x	38.00kgs	253p/kg	D W Gurney & Son
Texel x	42.00kgs	252p/kg	D W Gurney & Son
Texel x	38.00kgs	251p/kg	N Deeley
Per HEAD			
Texel x	44.50kgs	£106.50	P F Edwards
Texel x	42.00kgs	£106.00	D W Gurney & Son
Texel x	44.00kgs	£105.00	P F Edwards
Texel x	44.00kgs	£103.50	P F Edwards
Texel x	45.00kgs	£103.00	S Webster
Prime Hoggs: OVER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Texel x	48.00kgs	234p/kg	P F Edwards
Texel x	47.00kgs	231p/kg	BM & LE Aries
Charollais x	47.00kgs	231p/kg	Harrison Bros
Texel x	46.00kgs	228p/kg	BM & LE Aries
Texel x	47.00kgs	222p/kg	W G King & Sons
Per HEAD			
Charollais x	78.00kgs	£140.00	H L Goode & Son
Charollais x	63.00kgs	£128.00	H L Goode & Son
Charollais x	64.00kgs	£125.00	Hopcraft Bros
Suffolk x	70.00kgs	£122.00	H L Goode & Son
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£121.00 H L Goode & Son

Suffolk x

60.50kgs

Store Lambs: 374 Forward

Another genuine show of store lambs today, selling to a decent trade. Top today from MJ Woodward with Suffolk x to £78, with JMT Engineering close behind with Charollais x to £76. Short term lambs £70-£78, medium term sorts £63-£69 and longer term types £60 and under.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Cull Ewes: 411 Forward

A different yarding of ewes to normally, generally lacking the quality. Top today for R Philzacklea & Co with Charollais rams to £115, with Suffolks from DF & AG Jeffries to £110, before D Harris sold Suffolk x to £106. Townshend Partners sold Charollais rams to £105, with F&C Hutsby selling Texel x ewes to £101.50. Top Mules today from PD&C Davenport, selling to £90. Ewes again must be monitored this week with weather conditions.

Auctioneer: Scott Ruck

Charollais x	£115	R Phizacklea & Co	Texel x	£100	R Phizacklea & Co
Suffolk x	£110	DF & AG Jeffries	Suffolk x	£100	SF & AJ Deeming
Suffolk x	£106	D Harris	Suffolk x	£100	M W Emery
Charollais x	£105	Townshend Partners	Charollais x	£100	D F & A G Jeffries
Texel x	£101.50	F & C Hutsby	X Bred	£99	DR & ME Kind

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