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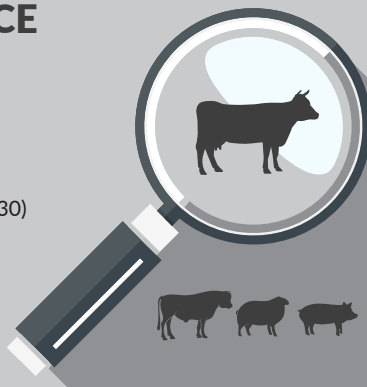
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## MARKET REPORT FOR MONDAY 8TH JANUARY 2024

### MARKET AT A GLANCE

Prime Steers to 352p/kg & £2273  
Prime Heifers to 353p/kg & £2360  
Prime Bulls to 310p/kg & £2065  
Cows to 230p/kg & £1549  
Prime Hogg SQQ 293p/kg (1777 Avg £130)  
Prime Hogs to 344p/kg & £183  
Ewes to £200 (960 Avg £99.50)  
Store Lambs to £113 (151)  
Calves to £380 (38)



THURSDAY 18th JANUARY  
SALE OF STORE CATTLE & STORE LAMBS  
PLUS IN LAMB EWES

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## CATTLE: 114 FORWARD



Steers 31  
Heifers 31  
Bulls 4  
Cows 10

Some smashing Cattle on offer today

Top in the lump went to RW & HER Trivett with a Limousin Steer at £2273, closely followed by Page Bros and NAS Johnson. Top spot in the ppk went to Page Bros at 352 & 340ppk closely followed by Simon Johnson at 335 & 330ppk

Heifers topped at 353 & 340ppk for Page Bros and closely followed by long distance traveller Robert Barker topping at 340ppk

In the lump RF & JA Nichols topped at £2360 andn £2325 for some smart Charolais Heifers

Cows today topped at 230ppk for a Limousin from NW Turner

*More Cattle needed each week to fulfill demand*

**Auctioneer : Emma Coupland**

**PLEASE COULD ALL VENDORS BOOK IN STOCK,  
EITHER BY A QUICK CALL, TEXT OR EMAIL THANK YOU!**

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## STEERS & BULLS

Top prices per Head				FA
Limousin	708kg	£2273	RW & HER Trivett	Y
Limousin x	636kg	£2162	Page Bros	Y
Limousin	644kg	£2157	NAS Johnson	Y
Limousin	662kg	£2105	NAS Johnson	Y
Limousin	636kg	£2099	NAS Johnson	Y
Top prices per Kilo				
Limousin x	545kg	352ppk	Page Bros	Y
Limousin x	636kg	340ppk	Page Bros	Y
Limousin	644kg	335ppk	NAS Johnson	Y
Limousin	636kg	330ppk	NAS Johnson	
Limousin	708kg	321ppk	RW & HER Trivett	Y

## HEIFERS

Top prices per head				FA
Charolais x	726kg	£2360	RF & JA Nichols	Y
Charolais x	722kg	£2325	RF & JA Nichols	Y
British Blue	590kg	£2059	Page Bros	Y
Limousin x	578kg	£2040	Page Bros	Y
Charolais x	782kg	£2018	A R Stacey & Son	Y
Top prices per kilo				
Limousin x	578kg	353ppk	Page Bros	Y
British Blue	590kg	349ppk	Page Bros	Y
Limousin x	502kg	340ppk	RW Barker & Son	Y
Limousin x	574kg	337ppk	Page Bros	Y
Limousin	594kg	330ppk	GR Fountaine & Son	

## Len Eadon 1999-2022 Tribute page

<https://leneadon.muchloved.com/?fbclid=IwAR1QM9qsvxqscmyehDUuwJvjrbR4KICliDqyezwbDyBEAsDaB164bZn50g4>

## COWS

Top prices per head Cows					FA
Limousin	734kg	£1549	N W Turner		Y
Limousin	642kg	£1380	N W Turner		Y
Limousin	598kg	£1375	N W Turner		Y
Top prices per kilo					
Limousin	598kg	230ppk	N W Turner		Y
Limousin	642kg	215ppk	N W Turner		Y
Limousin	734kg	211ppk	N W Turner		Y

## PRIME LAMBS: 1778 FORWARD SQQ 293P/KG AVG £130

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Lambs: RFM vendors selling just in time to get the last throws of the restocking following the Festivities. A nice number forward but no big yard saw lambs travelled up from Somerset Borders and then mostly local vendors but all genuine farmers lambs. An Sqq of 293p/kg and avg of £130 a massive trade for what in truth was a yarding showing the weather with less fed meat on parade. Exporters seemingly fit for one more load before the demand quietened and as a result a trade without compare at £6.20 deadweight equivalent and no grid to face which surely today would have evened a few up! Better end as before well chased with top of 344p/kg for R Heckford beating the CEO J Man-Morris selling Beltex City weight Lambs at 343ppk. Bringing the posh M&C Morris with 43 kg and 44kg 343,341p/kg Beltex. Anything Export weight and R grade trading 300p plus and most export weights 2.88-£3. Shape rewarded throughout. Weight not the usual ppk discount today and plenty tracking export weights. 343p/kg for 47kg from Messrs Morris and 327p/kg at large weights from Messrs Wain. Trade for meat throughout. Exports in the lump seeing plenty trading £140 -£150 and middle of the road lightweight Exports easily falling to £120.

Weight paying topping at £183 for Ian Wain with Beltex and Messrs Roots, Nichols and Laban all breaking £170. Plenty of rows over £150 today. Maybe the end of this peak but great news for those there to grab it.

**LAMBS MUST NOW BE BELLY CLIPPED TO AVOID DETENTION AT POSTMORTEM!!!!**

*Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench*

**DIRTY CRUTCHES & BELLIES ARE NOT  
ALLOWED OVER THE WEIGHBRIDGE**

## PRIME LAMBS SQQ 293p/kg

### Per Kilo **under 45.5kg**

Texel	39.00kg	344ppk	R J Heckford
Beltex	35.00kg	343ppk	TH Morris & Sons
Beltex	44.50kg	343ppk	M & C Morris
Beltex	44.00kg	341ppk	M & C Morris
Beltex	32.00kg	338ppk	TH Morris & Sons

### Per HEAD

Beltex	45.50kg	£156.00	M & C Morris
Beltex	44.00kg	£150.00	M & C Morris
Texel	45.00kg	£147.00	J & P Seymour
Texel	45.50kg	£145.00	GR Fountaine & Son
Texel	43.00kg	£143.00	N Deeley

### Per Kilo **over 45.5kg**

Beltex	46.50kg	338ppk	M & C Morris
Beltex	56.00kg	327ppk	BJ & IS Wain
Texel	48.00kg	323ppk	GL & AM Woodard
Texel	47.00kg	302ppk	RF & J Nichols
Texel	52.00kg	317ppk	V J Roots

### Per HEAD

Beltex	56.00kg	£183.00	BJ & IS Wain
Texel	60.00kg	£175.00	V J Roots
Texel	60.00kg	£174.00	V J Roots
Texel	56.00kg	£170.00	RF & J Nichols
Texel	61.00kg	£170.00	Laban Partners

**\*\*FAT CATTLE TIMINGS\*\***  
**COWS 8:30AM**  
**PRIME CATTLE 9AM**

Sunday lairage is now open from 9am-3:00pm  
 Gates close 3:00pm **STRICTLY.**

## CULL EWES : 946 FORWARD



A smaller run of mainly lightweight and Shelley Mules met a better trade with more accounts at ringside. Topping at £200 for Messrs Lawrence with Pure Texels anything with shape £160 plus and £180 to David Wadland. white face first cross all £140 and up of meat and Suffolks £128 - £140 regularly. Mules dearer throughout with £100 to £110 regular

**PLEASE SEE THE WELFARE STATEMENT BELOW REGARDING THE CULL EWES**

*Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench*

### EWES

Texel	£200	RR & M :Lawrence	Texel	£178	RR & M Lawrence
Texel	£180	DS & LE Wadland	Texel	£171	AT Edwards
Continental	£180	A Beaumont	Continental	£170	M Hoyle

## WELFARE STATEMENT

Following a meeting with Warwickshire Trading Standards & the FSA on Monday we have been asked to highlight the Welfare Issues being reported from the Abattoirs regarding Cull Ewes. These mainly relate to MASTITIS & LAMENESS. Condition Score i.e being very thin.

Please remember that an animal must be fit for the intended journey, it should not be ill, injured or severely lame ie. must be full weight bearing.

These sheep are being rejected at abattoirs around the Country

## STORE LAMBS: 151 FORWARD



Smaller entry this week but prices still remain strong and are wanted

A few less buyers braving the harsh temperatures but those there were serious buyers and prices were good

Top price today went to John Clarke those 2 crossbreds sold to £113

Next sale Monday but entries now being taken for Thursday 18th January

***Auctioneer: Tim Webster***

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE-BORDER COLLIE PUPPIES.

Both working parents registered.

Tel Graeme 07891 677468

### HELP REQUIRED

DUE TO RETIREMENT WE HAVE A VACANCY  
FOR A PERSON WITH EXPERIENCE IN  
LAMBING AND ARABLE OPERATIONS IN  
SOUTH NORTHANTS.

FURTHER DETAILS ON REQUEST  
ROBERT DAVY 07762164552

## CALVES: 38 FORWARD



Not good weather for Calves but a decent entry and a good crowd of buyers tightly packed to keep warm

We topped at £380 for Phil Dyson and his lovely Limousin Bull bought by Ann Tustian

Other entries included British Blue Bulls to £358 for Bumblebee Farm and Simmental Bulls to £340 for Messrs EB & BM Sutton

Limousin Bulls.	£300 to £380
Limousin Hfrs.	£230 to £310
British Blue Bulls	£121 to £358
British Blue Hfrs.	£127 to £282
Simmental Bulls.	£205 to £340
Simmental Hfrs.	to £320
Hereford Bulls	£114 to £318
Hereford Hfrs.	£75 to £122
Angus Bulls.	to £162
Angus Hfrs.	£96 to £138
Sussex Bull.	to £50
Holstein Bull.	to £23

Next sale 22nd January 11am

***Auctioneer: Tim Webster***

### IMPORTANT NOTICE ANDY EADON SCANNING

Due to circumstances out of my control, I will not be undertaking anymore scanning for this season. Customers already booked in will be contacted ASAP. I am sorry to inform you of this and thank all of my customers for their loyalty and support recently, but unfortunately the weather has taken a toll on my health.

Andy and Lynda Eadon



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Lynne Smith: 07759454195  
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Store Lamb Sale

**AUGUST 30th** Breeding Sheep Fair including Sale of NCM  
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**SEPTEMBER 14th** Ewe Lamb Show & Sale & Wiltshire Horn  
Show & Sale

**SEPTEMBER 27th** Annual Ram Fair including Breeding Sheep

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# CALF SALES 2024

JANUARY 8TH, 22ND  
FEBRUARY 5TH & 19TH  
MARCH 4TH & 18TH  
APRIL 1ST, 15TH & 29TH  
MAY 13TH & 27TH  
JUNE 10TH & 24TH  
JULY 15TH & 29TH  
AUGUST 12TH & 26TH  
SEPTEMBER 9TH & 23RD  
OCTOBER 7TH & 21ST  
NOVEMBER 4TH & 18TH  
DECEMBER 2ND & 16TH

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**NEXT STORE CATTLE SALE  
THURSDAY 18TH JANUARY ALSO  
THIS DAY STORE LAMBS  
PLUS IN LAMB EWES  
ENTRIES NOW BEING TAKEN**



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## 2024 MACHINERY SALES

**FEBRUARY 17TH  
APRIL 5TH  
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OCTOBER 4TH**

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**THURSDAY 18TH JANUARY  
SALE OF STORE CATTLE & STORE LAMBS  
PLUS IN LAMB EWES**

**Vendors who are wishing to sell stock  
please feel free to contact:**

**Tom Wrench** - 07774 723758 Market Manager & Auctioneer

**Tim Webster**- 07437 101163 Auctioneer & Fieldsman

**Emma Coupland**- 07808 271218 Fat Cattle Auctioneer

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13th December 2023



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