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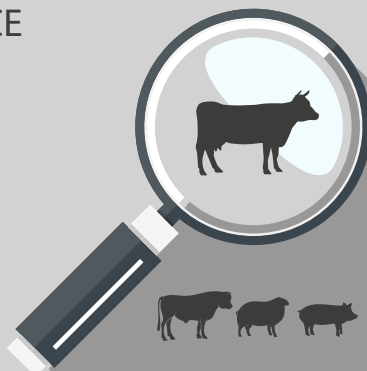
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### MARKET REPORTS FOR MONDAY 8TH JUNE 2020

#### MARKET AT A GLANCE

Prime Steers to 246p/kg & £1538  
Prime Heifers to 246p/kg & £1513  
Prime Bulls to 206p/kg & £1475  
Cast Cows to 161p/kg & £1346  
Prime Lamb SQQ 245p/kg (2170)  
Prime Lambs to 305p/kg & £130  
Prime Hogg SQQ 195p/kg (267)  
Prime Hogs to 221p/kg & £110  
Ewes to £129.50 (400 Avg £76)



### MONDAY 22ND JUNE SALE OF STORE CATTLE

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## CATTLE: 85 FORWARD

### Prime Cattle- 85

A strong show of cattle forwards again, with more meat answering the call. A ringside packed with buyers all fit for cattle with new faces representing national abattoirs.

### Bulls-10

A nice show of Bulls but not the number expected after a breakdown held the Welsh contingent back, these Bulls are promised for next week. Top PPK today from Rob Evans, Warwick selling Simmental Bulls to 206PPK or £1474 to Ralph Pearson, Bradford. Black and whites today a nice trade with Fir Tree Cattle Co, Stoke on Trent selling to 148PPK or in the lump to £993 from G Ratcliffe to W & A Meats Ltd.

### Steers-17

Some real shape and power forward in the steers today. Top of the tree this week to the Thomas Family, Rugby selling Blues to 246PPK or £1537 with others from the same stable to 237PPK or £1533. Handy weights to 197PPK from Peter Pritchard with Limousins to 196PPK for Dairy bred types from Louise Trice. Best end "U" grading sorts all up over 220PPK, with "R" grades around the 200PPK and "O's" slipping under towards the 190PPK mark. Top gross £1537 to Mutchmeats.

### Heifers-23

A yard of proper sorts forward in the Heifers, with some absolute corkers showing themselves well. Top today from Jane Gilbert, Coventry to 246PPK, with PM Wilks, Towcester close behind selling to 244PPK, with others to 241PPK. Top gross from PM Wilks to £1512 for Limousins sold to Carpenter Farm Butchers with Parry Walters, Rugby selling to £1455. "U" grading best sorts 235-240PPK, with "R" grades 200-205PPK.

### Cows-35

A super show of cows forward meeting fierce competition from 8 active accounts at ringside. Top PPK from R Ellis & Son, Cubbington selling Limousins to 161PPK with Conrad Lester, Buckingham close behind at 155PPK. Top gross today from R Ellis selling to £1345 sold to Mutchmeats Ltd, with others to £1280 to Dovecote Park Ltd. Plainer cows with a wash of meat actively 115-125PPK with feeders 100-105PPK. More cows wanted each week.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

## STEERS & BULLS

### Top prices per head

British Blue	625kg	£1538	C W Thomas
Limousin x	647kg	£1533	C W Thomas
Limousin x	665kg	£1483	GR Fountaine & Son
Simmental (Bull)	716kg	£1475	C H Evans & Son
Simmental (Bull)	713kg	£1390	CH Evans & Son

### Top prices per kilo

British Blue	625kg	246ppk	C W Thomas
Limousin x	647kg	237ppk	C W Thomas
Limousin x	665kg	223ppk	GR Fountaine & Son
Simmental (Bull)	716kg	206ppk	C H Evans & Son
Limousin x	570kg	196ppk	D & E Trice

## HEIFERS

### Top prices per Head

Limousin	620kg	£1513	P M Wilks
Limousin	622kg	£1455	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin	600kg	£1446	P M Wilks
Limousin x	652kg	£1402	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin	582kg	£1368	P M Wilks

### Top prices per Kilo

British Blue	534kg	246ppk	JB HM & J Gilbert
Limousin	620kg	244ppk	P M Wilks
Limousin	600kg	241ppk	P M Wilks
British Blue	560kg	240ppk	C W Thomas
Limousin	582kg	235ppk	P M Wilks

## TIMING

We now aim to give each area its own backing and so confirm going forward:  
 Prime Cattle 9:45am, Calves 11am and Lambs 10:15am



**SHEEP: 2893 FORWARD**

**SPRING LAMBS: 2170**

**FORWARD SQQ 245P/KG**

Just short of 2200 lambs today met a quite fantastic trade from start to finish. Two new accounts in the aisles and wagons backed on destined for the very North of Great Britain meant that a predicted consolidation of trade actually returned a lift in trade despite the woeful deadweight quotes. An SQQ of 245p/kg an indication of the level of demand on the day and perhaps also the slow in Supply nationally to meet the shortfall now left by the Hoggett trade. An average equal to a deadweight of 5.17p/kg in June really is reward for Farmers hard work throughout the last few trying months. A yarding of two halves today with some real breeding on show at one end and others drawing lambs far to early and without finish. Best end Export lambs the order of the day seeing a top of 305p/kg for 40kg Pure Texels from DJ & BJ Leadbeater ahead of wonderful 44kg from RF & JA Nichols, Barby at 289p/kg. Mark Lambert in top spots again seeing 38.5kg to 283p/kg. Messrs Nichols shaped 42kg took 279p/kg and Meassrs Leadbeater 41kg made 278p/kg equal with 39kg from S M Ellingworth, Market Harbrough and Greenfields of Twycross 42.5kg. Shape definitely the request of all on parade today. Heavies equally supported seeing 265p/kg at 46.5kg from RF & JA Nichols and super shape and weight 50kg from Messrs Leadbeater. In the lump Euro lambs really ringing the bell at 44kg to £127 from Messrs Nichols with 40kg from Messrs Leadbeater £122 and Greenfields 44.5kg to £121.50 and 43.5kg to £120. Heavies wanted if shape but in general the lack of Catering trade customers world wide starting to hit and little advantage to weight today. Shape though rewarded topping at 50kg to £130 from Messrs Leadbeater and 48.5kg to £124 from Messrs Nichols equal with £124 for 50kg from Messrs Leadbeater. 56kg from Messrs Tombs £122 for two pens in a row. Trade today marvellous throughout and buyers keen although not expecting to face this trade. With lambs dying at 515p/kg on the hook lambs about £8 per lamb better than the best deadweight alternative.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

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## SPRING LAMBS : UNDER 44.5kg SQQ 245p/kg

### Per Kilo

Texel x	40.00kg	305ppk	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Texel x	44.00kg	289ppk	RF & J Nichols
Texel x	38.50kg	283ppk	SM & JM Lambert
Texel x	42.00kg	279ppk	R F & J Nichols
Texel x	41.00kg	278ppk	DJ & BJ Lambert

### Per HEAD

Texel x	44.00kg	£127.00	RF & J Nichols
Texel x	40.00kg	£122.00	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Texel x	44.50kg	£121.50	Greenfields
Texel x	43.50kg	£120.00	Greenfields
Texel x	45.00kg	£119.00	R F & J Nichols

## SPRING LAMBS : OVER 44.5kg

### Per Kilo

Texel x	46.50kg	265ppk	R F & J Nichols
Texel x	50.00kg	260ppk	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Texel x	48.50kg	256ppk	R F & J Nichols
Texel x	50.00kg	248ppk	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Charollais x	45.00kg	244ppk	M M Clarke & Sons

### Per HEAD

Texel x	50.00kg	£130.00	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Texel x	48.50kg	£124.00	R F & J Nichols
Texel x	50.00kg	£124.00	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Texel x	46.50kg	£123.00	R F & J Nichols
Charollais x	56.00kg	£122.00	FJ Tombs & Son

NEXT CALF SALE  
MONDAY 15TH JUNE 11AM

STORE HOGGS: 56 FORWARD



A handful of teeth of sheep forward today, selling to £104 from VJ Roots.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

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## PRIME HOGGS: 267 FORWARD SQQ 195P/KG

Just about the end but still nearly 300 through the bridge. Travelled Hoggs mainly from Suffolk, Norfolk and Caerphilly with local Hoggs all but finished. An Sqg of 195p/kg simply amazing with buyers wanting more. Perhaps lack of Supply will now bring the Hoggs to an end. Hoggs to 221p/kg at 34kg from Messrs Edmunds, Caerphilly with handy weights all over 210p/kg throughout. Top gross £110 from V J Roots at 56kg with Messrs Wenman £107 and £105.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench



Dear all,

As you know we are all in uncertain, difficult and constantly changing times. Understandably the market is restricting those attending sales and this includes the market chaplains.

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## CULL EWES: 400 FORWARD

A trade that showed some real desire for Ewes and the beginning of a lift with Ewes in general £5 dearer on the week and wanted. Fat everywhere depressing the trade and fat ewes very much not wanted by the trade. Lean Ewes though back to a very swift trade with meat well needed. Top today £129.50 for Texels from Messrs Leadbeater whilst Beltex from Messrs Roots saw a pen of three to £125 and another pen £122. Charollais with a little too much cover from Messrs Lowe to £119. Plenty over £100 today. Suffolks lacking in size today but lean medium weights to £98 from Messrs Lowe and £96 from D Ofield. Mules wanted but almost all very fat today with Welsh Mules to £84 equal with Messrs PD & DM Hopcraft. Lean Mules generally the £80 mark with fat reducing trade on Mules by up to £10 and on other breeds by £20. Ewes wanted and lean Ewes should be marketed now.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

### EWES

Texel x	£129.50	DJ & BJ Leadbeater	Beltex x	£118	V J Roots
Beltex x	£125	VJ Roots	Texel x	£117	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Beltex x	£122	VJ Roots	Texel x	£117	DJ & BJ Leadbeater
Charollais x	£119	J & R Lowe	Beltex x	£112	VJ Roots
Beltex x	£118	V J Roots	Texel x	£109.50	PD & DM Hopcraft

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Monday 13th July | Sale of Store Cattle

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