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## MARKET REPORT FOR MONDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2025

#### **MARKET AT A GLANCE**

Prime Steers to 416p/kg & £3582 Prime Heifers to 418p/kg & £2592 Prime Bulls to 419p/kg & £3072 Cows to 278p/kg to £2113 Lamb SQQ 324.31p/kg (1008 avg £144.42) Lambs to 404p/kg & £210 Ewes to £340 (318 Avg £132)



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### **VET ATTESTATIONS**

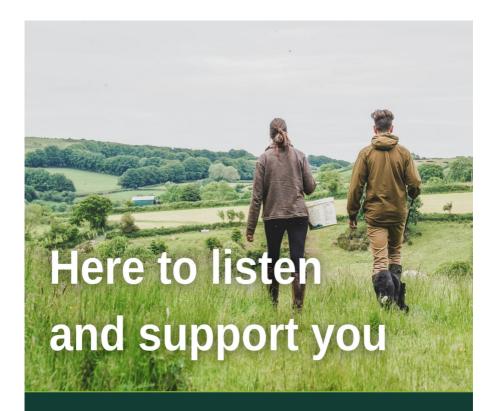
From 13th April 2024, all producers selling livestock for slaughter will require a Veterinary Attestation, or evidence of membership of a qualifying assurance scheme. Producers should prepare now for the changes Follow the link below to our FAQs for livestock markets and producers to find out more. <a href="https://www.laa.co.uk/news/5126/veterinary-attestations-fags-for-livestock-markets-page-fo

## **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 Abbattoirs 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 severley lame ie. must be full weight bearing.

These sheep are being rejected at abattoirs around the Country



Contact The Farming Community Network to speak in confidence with a sympathetic person who understands farming life.

Call 03000 111 999 Email help@fcn.org.uk

(Helpline open 7am-11pm, 365 days of the year)



CATTLE: 48 Forward

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A smaller show for our monthly RED sale, but trade firm and meated goods as ever rewarded by the buying power at ringside.

Steers -

A corking little handyweight Limousin bullock from Tom Mann sold to a top of 416p/kg, with Passmore Bros selling Sussex sired steers to 414p/kg, and 412p/kg on two occasions. Weight from PC & RA Nichols sold to a top of 378p/kg with the same home to 376p/kg.

Top grossing steer sold to a whopping £3581.50 for an 1102kg Blonde steers from AT Mower & Son. PC & RA Nichols saw Limousins to £3085, with HW & AJ Eadon selling Limousins to £2975 at 33 months.

Heifers -

Those best end handy weight butchers heifer really ringing the bell, with Tom Mann topping here again with Limousins at 418p/kg. Quality short on the whole in the heifers with several underweight and overage sorts in the entry. Top grossing heifer today saw Tom Mann to £2591 for Limousins.

Bulls -

A tidy show of bulls saw HW & AJ Eadon screaming ahead with proper Limousin bulls selling to 419p/kg, with the same home to 404p/kg and 399p/kg. Simmental bulls with weight from V M Bailey topped at 358p/kg. Top grossing bull saw Simmentals from the Baileys to £3071, with the Eadon stable selling to £3062 for Limousins.

Cows -

A tidy a show of cows but in truth some starting to show the weather.

Top today saw Passmore Brothers selling to 278p/kg for heavyweight Limousin cows, with D & GM Wright selling to 270p/kg on two occasions.

Top grossing cows sold to £2112 for Limousins from Passmore Brothers.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

## **STEERS & BULLS**

Top prices per Head							
Blonde	1102kg	£3582	AT Mower & Son, Sutton Scarsdale				
Limousin x	834kg	£3086 PC & RA Nichols, Daventry					
Limousin	802kg	£2975	HW & AJ Eadon, Southam				
Limousin x	778kg	£2925	PC & RA Nichols, Daventry				
Limousin x	818kg	£2912	HW & AJ Eadon, Southam				
Top prices per Kilo							
Limousin x	634kg	416ppk	P R Mann, Ufton				
Sussex	602kg	414ppk	Passmore Brothers, Ewelme				
Sussex	638kg	412ppk	Passmore Brothers, Ewelme				
Sussex	636kg	412ppk	Passmore Brothers, Ewelme				
Sussex	600kg	390ppk	Passmore Brothers, Ewelme				

HEIFERS						
Top prices per head						
Limousin x	620kg	£2592	P R Mann, Ufton			
Aberdeen Angus	554kg	£1861	R & T Reeve, Broadwell			
Aberdeen Angus	548kg	£1803	R & T Reeve, Broadwell			
British Blue	528kg	£1690	A Sabin, Hook Norton			
British Blue	536kg	£1688	A Sabin, Hook Norton			
Top prices per kilo						
Limousin x	620kg	418ppk	P R Mann, Ufton			
Aberdeen Angus	554kg	336ppk	R & T Reeve, Broadwell			
Aberdeen Angus	548kg	329ppk	R & T Reeve, Broadwell			
British Blue	528kg	320ppk	A Sabin, Hook Norton			
British Blue	536kg	315ppk	A Sabin, Hook Norton			

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#### **LAMBS 1008 FORWARD**

SOO 324P/KG AVG £142.37 TOP £210

Lambs;

Numbers across the country go tight and very much the same story here. Those on show though better meat on the week and fed lambs well received to see an SQQ of 324p/kg.

Fed meat top of the tree at 404 and 400p/kg for DS & LE Wadland with Hillside Farm 396p/kg for 45kg and Messsrs Wadland 393p/kg. Export weights with meat well sold albeit buyers today with order for weight in general. Export weight with meat 370p/kg plus and first cross meat 330 – 350p/kg regularly. Leaner sorts trading in and around 300p/kg with some lean lambs better shown in the Stores with the current amazing trade for Store lambs.

Weight saw a top of 387p/kg at 47kg for DS & LE Wadland whom also sold 54.5kg Beltex at 385p/kg. Hillside Farm sold 47kg at 379p/kg and Messrs Wadland 48kg at 372p/kg. Weight regularly tracking the trade for Export lambs bur lesser sorts seeing a lift on the week with heavies generally all over 300p/kg unless seriously heavy or very lean.

Overall an avg of £144.45 keeping track with 2025 seeing the best trade returns in history. Top in the Export returns saw 45kg at £182 for Messrs Wadland with Hillside Farm £178 at 45kg and Messrs Wadland £170 for 45kg. A Pittom 43.5kg £168.

Weight adding up though and £200 broken twice today. First for EJ Taylor £200 at 78kg with DS & LE Wadland £210 for 54.5kg Beltex. AK Wilson £190 at 63kg EJ Taylor 63.5kg £188 and J Hope Sheep Services.

Trade very acceptable but meat is key and more are needed.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Albert John Breakspear, known to many as John, sadly passed away peacefully at home in Wardington on 25th October 2025, aged 91 years.

The funeral will be held at Banbury Crematorium on Monday, 17th November 2025 at 11 a.m.

## LAMB SQQ 324 SQQ p/kg

Per Kilo under 45.5kg							
Beltex	45kg	404ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	40kg	400ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	45kg	396ppk	Hillside Farms, Warwick				
Beltex	43kg	393ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Texel	43.5kg	386ppk	A Pittom, Long Buckby				
Per HEAD							
Beltex	45kg	£182	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	45kg	£178	Hillside Farms, Warwick				
Beltex	45kg	£170	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	43kg	£169	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Texel	43.5kg	£168	A Pittom, Long Buckby				
Per Kilo over 45.5kg							
Beltex	47kg	387ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	54.5kg	385ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	47kg	379ppk	Hillside Farms, Warwick				
Beltex	48kg	372ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Beltex	51.5kg	350ppk	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Per HEAD							
Beltex	54.5kg	£210	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Suffolk	72kg	£200	E J Taylor & Son, Southam				
Beltex	58kg	£198	DS & LE Wadland, Daventry				
Texel	63kg	£190	A K Wilson, Harpole				
Charolais	63.5kg	£188	E J Taylor & Son, Southam				

## CULL EWES 318 FORWARD top at £340



A sharper show of ewes with more meat on offer.

Top today saw Continental tups soaring to £340 for massive Texels from Boulton

Bros, with the same home selling to £295 and £250. Continental ewes topping at £225 for Texels from MD Hamilton Farms, with J Hope selling to £218. A Freer saw Texels to £198 with the same home to £190. Heavy Continentals actively £170-£180 with smaller sorts £140-£150. Suffolks soaring to £206 for WSE & CA Moreby, with S & J Farming seeing massive ewes to £198, with the Moreby stable to £194. Weight generally trading

£165-£175, with the smaller sorts £125-£135. Mules with weight short on the ground but topping at £168 from H Smith & Sons, with DP Jones and EJ Taylor both to £166. Meated smaller sorts generally £130-

F140 with leaner sorts F110-F120.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

#### **EWES**

Texel	£340	Boulton Bros, Naseby	Texel	£250	Boulton Bros, Naseby
Texel	£295	Boulton Bros, Naseby	Texel	£239	Boulton Bros, Naseby
Texel	£250	Boulton Bros, Naseby	Texel	£225	MD Hamilton Farms Ltd, Enstone



### We are saddened to report the passing of Denise Page

He was well known to many in the farming and market community, having worked for Rugby Livestock Sales before moving to RFM when they opened at Rugby, where he served as gateman for many years.

Fondly remembered by colleagues and friends alike

## Invitation to a Farmer's breakfast

At Broughton Grounds Farm, North Newington, near Banbury OX15 6AW
Friday 14 November 10.30 till 12.00

## Arranged by the Warwickshire Breakfast Butty Van project

(A partnership between the Shropshire and the Marches Borderlands chaplaincy and Methodist Church West Mids.

District Rural chaplaincy supported by Warwickshire Farming Community Network)



A chance to meet with other farmers, active and retired, for informal conversation over a breakfast sandwich and cup of tea or coffee.

We will be meeting in farm buildings by kind invitation of Mr and Mrs A Taylor.

On Shutford to North Newington Road look out for signage arrows inscribed:

WBB VAN

This is the first 'on farm' breakfast since the inaugural meeting at former Stratford Market on 17<sup>th</sup> October

We are looking for farmers to host breakfasts in Warwickshire. The end of a barn or a shed where we can cook, sit and eat under cover. The aim is to meet monthly. Access to a toilet would be helpful.

Contact: Rev Richard Wilde (Market Chaplain) 07971218356 richardwilde.fcn@gmail.com



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