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MARKET REPORT FOR MON- DAY 10TH NOVEMBER 2025 INCLUDING THE SUCKLED CALF REPORT

MARKET AT A GLANCE

Prime Steers to 415p/kg & £2988
Prime Heifers to 438p/kg & £2790
Prime Bulls to 422p/kg & £3232
Cows to 284p/kg to £2270
Lamb SQQ 335.85p/kg (1353 avg £149)
Lambs to 415p/kg & £204
Ewes to £262 (448 Avg £142)



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

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. <https://www.laa.co.uk/news/5126/veterinary-attestations-faqs-for-livestock-markets-and->

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



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STORE CATTLE - 6TH NOVEMBER



Store Cattle

A year soon rolls around and we are back into suckled calf season, with a fantastic turn out of both vendors and buyers for this years Sale.

The pre show sale for the Craig Thompson Memorial Trophy ably judged by Mr Richard Sharpe, Melton Mowbray and as every hotly contested.

Coming away as this years undisputed champions saw JK Smith & Sons with a Limousin steer at 8 months old selling to £2200, with the judge backing his decision.

Bulls first in the ring saw young man in farming George Scrivens topping at £1620 for Simmentals at 8 months with brothers to £1440. On then into the clean cattle which saw George remaining in the hot seat with square Simmental steers to £1880 with stable mates to £1690, all at 8 months. Strength from RS & GDH Alderman sold to £1830 for Simmental steers with Angus in the ring next from J & IJ Tivey roaring away to £1700, with the same stable to £1380 at 9 months.

H Smith & Sons saw Charolais sired steers in the ring to £1860 at 8 months with Limousins from the same stable to £1720. Lester Smith saw Charolais steers to £1700 with heifers to £1270 at 8 months.

On into a grand run from JK Smith & Son who topped their run at £2200 for Limousins steers, with others to £2100 and £2020. Simmental steers sold to £1940 at 9 months with heifers topping at £1820 for Limousins at 9 months, with Simmental heifers to £1320. The run of 64 averaged a whopping £1691.

A pleasure to see the return of C & A Morley this year, with Charolais steers to £1940 and the same stable to £1820 and £1800 at 8 months. Sisters from this good home topped at £1700 with others to £1420.

Good to see Steve and Elaine Friswell back with their annual consignment to sell Angus steers to £1560, with others to £1490 and Angus heifers to a top of £1510. Moving into their Limousins saw a top of £1720 with sisters to £1510.

S & J Farming saw Charolais sired steers to £1800 with last man in the ring DA & JE Bromwich topping his run with Limousins at £1900, with the same home selling to £1650 for heifers.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

The Jessie Harper Trust grants funding to young people for Agricultural/Horticulture & Beekeeping, including Skills testing, First Aid, ATV, PA1, PA2, Equipment & Resources for students attending courses at University/College.

Jessie Harper Trust may be able to help you.

To qualify for this fund, you must be either a member of Warwickshire Young Farmers or 28 years of age or younger living in Warwickshire.

Please contact Sue the County Administrator in the WFYFC office via email at

office@warks-fyfc.org.uk

STORE LAMBS - 6TH NOVEMBER



A bumper show of store lambs, and in truth the best show of lambs that we have seen forward for some weeks. Strength and power flying with Kathy Attfield topping the day with Charollais to £142 with Ewe Lambs from Jenny Gibbs selling to £137 for Texels. Brome Hall Farm saw Charollais x to £137, with Suffolks from Jenny Gibbs to £136.50.

Strength all £130 plus, with better end mediums trading £125-£130. Harder bred mediums £110-£115 with very very little sold under £100.

More wanted for our next sale this thursday to meet buyer demand.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

CALVES - 6TH NOVEMBER



Baby Calves : 72 Forward

Good show of buyers present for mainly British Blue and Angus Calves

A decent entry again from Pilkington Farms selling Blue Heifers £280 - £400 and Angus Bulls £225-£296 and Heifers £120-£285

Phil Dyson sold Limousin Bulls £500 & £510 & a Heifer to £410, Peter Hemmings also sold Limousin Heifers £340 - £420

We finished the sale with a few 4mo cattle from Croft Farms Charolais Steers to £650 and Heifers to £550, British Blue Steers £470 and Holsteins to £280

Limousin Bulls.	£500 to £510
Limousin Hfrs.	£340 to £420
British Blue Bulls.	£210 to £470
British Blue Hfrs.	£280 to £400
Simmental Bulls.	to £370
Angus Bulls.	£120 to £440
Angus Hfrs.	£102 to £285
Holsteins.	£55 to £280

Auctioneer : Tim Webster



CATTLE : 88 Forward

A much better show in terms of number and trade sharper throughout. A shift being seen as wholesalers begin to purchaser those better end goods ready for christmas.

Prime Steers-

A tidy bunch of steers forward today, with plenty of meat in the entry. Top of the tree saw heavyweight Blue steers soaring to 415p/kg from Morgan and Sansome, with GR Fountaine to 400p/kg with handyweight Limousins. R Ellis & Son sold Angus to 394p/kg with DJ Whitlock selling to 375p/kg.

In the lump, Morgan and Sansome selling to £2988, with R Ellis topping his run at £2813. DJ Hull saw Blues to £2683, with R Ellis to £2656.

Prime Heifers-

Some super heifers forward today topped at 438p/kg for GR Fountaine, with Richard Lowe taking the next two spots at 428p/kg and 414p/kg. GR Fountaine sold to 406p/kg with Parry Walters seeing OTM heifers to 402p/kg.

Top grossing heifer saw a super OTM from Parry Walters with Limousins to £2789, with the same home selling to £2776 just pipping Richard Lowe who sold to £2662.

Bulls-

Plenty of demand with a fresh customer at ringside keen to purchase bulls. Top today saw Limousins from Alan Tacy to 422p/kg, with GR Fountaine to 413p/kg.

Heavyweight Partnenais from Tom Hodges topped the day at £3232, with GR Fountaine to £3122.

Cows-

A smart show of cows again saw a top of 284p/kg for Beef Shorthorns from RF Leach, with the same home to 283p/kg, with CE Cockerill to 270p/kg.

Top grossing cows saw a top of £2269 for Shorthorns from Robert Leach, with Messrs Cockerill selling to £2117.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

STEERS & BULLS

Top prices per Head

British Blue	720kg	£2988	Sansome & Morgan, Barnacle
Aberdeen Angus	714kg	£2813	R Ellis & Son, Leamington Spa
British Blue	718kg	£2683	D J Hull, Southminster
Aberdeen Angus	714kg	£2656	R Ellis & Son, Leamington Spa
Limousin x	664kg	£2626	G R Fountaine, Beachampton

Top prices per Kilo

British Blue	720kg	415ppk	Sansome & Morgan, Barnacle
Limousin x	664kg	400ppk	G R Fountaine, Beachampton
Aberdeen Angus	714kg	394ppk	R Ellis & Son, Leamington Spa
Limousin	690kg	382ppk	Sansome & Morgan, Barnacle
Limousinx	636kg	375ppk	D J Whitlock, Coventry

HEIFERS

Top prices per head

Limousin x	694kg	£2790	DTP Walters & Partners, Rugby
Limousin x	712kg	£2777	DTP Walters & Partners, Rugby
Limousin x	622kg	£2662	J & R Lowe, Rugby
Limousin	676kg	£2636	DTP Walters & Partners, Rugby
Limousin x	674kg	£2534	R Ellis & Son, Leamington Spa

Top prices per kilo

Limousin	544kg	438ppk	G R Fountaine, Beachampton
Limousin	622kg	428ppk	J & R Lowe, Rugby
Limousin x	612kg	414ppk	J & R Lowe, Rugby
Limousin x	532kg	406ppk	G R Fountaine, Beachampton
Limousin x	694kg	402ppk	DTP Walters & Partners, Rugby



LAMBS 1353 FORWARD

SQQ 335.85P/KG AVG £149 TOP £204

Lambs;

Trade considerably firmer on the week as numbers dry up nationwide. Meat the key for maximum reward in any weight bracket.

Handy weights soaring to 415p/kg for MJ Woodward and Bob Richins, both with Beltex, with Woody striking again to see Texels at 410p/kg, just pipping Rouge from C Stubbs at 405p/kg. Taylor & Son, Banbury saw Texels to 391p/kg with SLAW Farming seeing Texels to 381p/kg.

Weight still just as sharp with 46.5kg from Bob Richins to 396p/kg, with the same home selling the same weights to 385p/kg, and MJ Woodward to 380p/kg for 46.5kg. Hyde Lane Farms saw Beltex at 47kg to 371p/kg with the same stable to 364p/kg.

Export lambs seeing some tidy gross figures selling to £180 for 45kg from MJ Woodward, with the same home to £179.50 at the same weight. Bob Richins saw 41kg to £170.

Heavyweights saw properly fed Rouge lambs to £204 at 68.5kg from C Stubbs, with the same home to £202. JL Rigg saw 63kg Texels to £196 with J & M Ironmonger to £192.

With the weather becoming wet, please can lambs be presented clean and where possible dry for sale.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench



Don't hesitate to get in touch for sheep scanning services.

Ewes are best scanned 75 days since the tup went in so please get in touch early with your tupping dates.

LAMB SQQ 335.85 SQQ p/kg

Per Kilo **under 45.5kg**

Texel	41kg	415ppk	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Beltex	41kg	415ppk	R Richins, Bicester
Texel	40.5kg	415ppk	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Charollais	37kg	411ppk	MC & MG Peebles, Fillongley
Texel	42kg	410ppk	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth

Per HEAD

Texel	45kg	£180	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Texel	45kg	£179.5	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Texel	42kg	£172	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Texel	41kg	£170	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Beltex	41kg	£170	R Richins, Bicester

Per Kilo **over 45.5kg**

Beltex	46.5kg	396ppk	R Richins, Bicester
Beltex	46kg	396ppk	R Richins, Bicester
Beltex	46kg	385ppk	R Richins, Bicester
Texel	46.5kg	380ppk	MJ Woodward, Lutterworth
Beltex	47kg	371ppk	Hyde Lane, Fosgate

Per HEAD

Rouge	68.5kg	£204	C Stubbs, Harpole
Texel	67.5kg	£202	C Stubbs, Harpole
Texel	63kg	£196	JL Rigg & Partners, Harbury
Texel	62kg	£192	J & M Ironmonger, Crimsote
Beltex	53kg	£192	R Richins, Bicester



CULL EWES: 448 FORWARD top at £262

A better show of quality and two fresh grazing accounts helping to drive the leaner end of the entry.

Best continentals to a top of £262 for R Woodward, with S Wise selling Rams to £225. Texels from JG Farms sold to £214, with Adam Green seeing Texels to £205, just pipping MM Clarke selling Texel at £202. Heavyweight Continentals actively £170-£180 with leaner sorts £140-£150. Grazing continentals a tidy trade £120-£130.

Suffolks topping at £210 for heavyweights from R Woodward, with Showell Farms selling Suffolk ewes to £200 on two occasions, with Nick Sinden to £195. Leaner Suffolks a tidy trade and actively £160-£170 with grazing sorts £120-£130.

Mules to a top of £190 for massive ewes from G Scrivens, with EJ Taylor to £170. Meat on the whole £155-£165 with leaner sorts £90-£100.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

EWES

Continental x	£262	R Woodward, Stratford	Suffolk	£210	R Woodward, Stratford
Texel	£225	S Wise, Leamington	Texel	£205	A Farm, Lutterworth
Texel	£214	J G Farms, Berkswell	Texel	£202	MM Clarke & Sons, Rugby

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

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