

WEDNESDAY
17th July 2019

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PRIME LAMBS - 2061

Auctioneer - Richard Hyde

A good quality entry met a good trade for the time of year with SQQ 178.5p and every sheep averaging £75.47. Heavies £97, £95, £94 etc. Best export 213.3p, 200p, 197.0p etc. with all best export lambs 180p +. Euro at 90p is the same as last week, so the stability is there but hot weather is always blamed for a slowing in demand apart from BBQ joints. 45kg + are the easiest to deal with as there are so few available. Meat and weight is what is required to get the best returns. Trade should now rise slowly for the festival in early August.

	TOTAL NO.s	LIGHT		STANDARD		MEDIUM		HEAVY		+ HEAVY	
		25.5	32.0	32.1	39.0	39.1	45.5	45.6	52.0	52.1	>
		PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME
PRIME LAMBS	2061	213.3	186.5	197.0	180.2	200.0	178.1	188.0	177.4	177.6	164.8

Today In History - p/kg

LAMBS	2019	178.5	2018	184.2	2017	208.6	2016	182.8	2015	150.7	2014	186.0	2013	184.0
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PRIME LAMBS SQQ
Average 178.5p/kg
Top Price/Head £97.00
for lambs grading 63kg



Top Ten p/kg

Top Ten £/head

Kg	Vendor	£	/kg	Kg	Vendor	£
30.0	SPR & L Reed & Co	64.00	213.3	63.0	R Wallis	97.00
40.0	D J Lloyd	80.00	200.0	53.5	E J & B E Bufton & Son	95.00
33.0	A D Childs	65.00	197.0	50.0	W S Layton & Son	94.00
32.5	R H & S L Thomas	63.00	193.9	60.0	G P & M Jones	94.00
39.5	M Beddoes	76.50	193.7	51.0	R Wallis	90.00
38.5	Price & Rogers	74.50	193.5	50.0	R L Pritchard	90.00
35.5	A D Childs	68.50	193.0	55.0	R J Preece & Sons	89.50
42.5	V J Eaton	81.00	190.6	48.0	G P & M Jones	89.00
36.0	H Pritchard	68.50	190.3	60.0	M Pritchard	88.50
40.0	J T Hartland	76.00	190.0	55.0	R H & S L Thomas	88.50

A Designated STORE/FAT MARKET GREEN MARKET STATUS

WEDNESDAY 24th JULY

7,000 SHEEP

2500 PRIME LAMBS - 9.30am

3000 CULL EWES - 11.00am

1000 STORE LAMBS - 11.15am

EWES/HOGGS & LAMBS

500 BREEDING EWES - 12 noon

REARING/WEANED CALVES - 10.45am

Entries close Monday 22nd July at 5.00pm

WEDNESDAY 31st JULY

At 11.00am

FIRST EARLY SALE OF RAMS

Entries to the office by Friday 26th July

THURSDAY 1st AUGUST

At 11.00am

200 STORE CATTLE

To include

CONTINENTAL & NATIVE BREEDS

BEEF TYPE COWS/HEIFERS

IN OR WITH CALVES

STOCK/FEEDING BULLS

BARREN COWS

Entries for catalogue by Wednesday 24th July at 12 noon

And at 10.30am sale of

PIGS

Weaners, stores, porkers, breeding stock

Entries to the office by Tuesday 30th July at 2.00pm

Early notification -

TUESDAY 6th AUGUST

At 11.00am

First show & sale of

2500 BREEDING EWES

To be sold through the sheep ring

Entries to the office by Friday 26th July at 4.00pm

TUESDAY 13th AUGUST

Second sale on behalf of Innovis Breeding

600 breeding ewes - yearlings

To be sold through the sheep ring at 1pm

Followed by

140 breeding rams

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REARING/WEANED CALVES - 37

Auctioneer - Matthew Nicholls

A better entry of calves in terms of numbers to average just shy of £190/head. It was clear to see that those stronger, better bred calves are in good demand with a nice run from Tack Farm Ltd selling from £180 to £230 for some Blue crosses. A top price on the baby calves of £280/head achieved with some older sorts at six months selling to £470/head. A good crowd of buyers in attendance ensuring a competitive trade throughout. A good entry required once again next week.

BABY REARING CALVES

Can purchasers of young calves please make certain that they are removed from the market by 3.00pm on the day of sale at the very latest.

MORE CALVES, BOTH REARING & WEANED CAN BE SOLD EACH WEEK. VENDORS - PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW BY 5.00pm ON MONDAY PRIOR TO THE SALE IF YOU ARE BRINGING CALVES
Calves born 12th June 2019 or since can be sold from farms that are TB clear without needing to be tested at our next sale on 24th July 2019

Please telephone Mike Evans 07768 601999 or Rob Meadmore on 07774 763791

BREEDING EWES AND COUPLES - 805

Auctioneer - Robert Meadmore

Another lovely entry and another marvellous trade, exceeding vendors' expectations on several occasions. M/s Sevenoaks, Greidol Farm showed an excellent consignment of Suffolk and Mule sheep selling Suffolk yearlings to £158 (twice) and 2 year olds to £152, with Texel yearlings to £130.

A reduction sale of Texel cross ewes on behalf of Eckley Brothers, Munderfield saw a top price of £138, with others at £132 and £130, all pens being 2 years to 4 years old. Suffolk 3 and 4 year olds to £136 with others between £120 and £134.

Other breeds included some Cheviot cross Mules, 3/4 years at £130 and £125. Welsh Mules similar ages between £80 to £104. A selection of various bred ewes, generally older, from £80 to £100. An excellent clearance with very few unsold at the end of the day.

A small consignment of couples sold to £133, £128 and £127 with all averaging £140.

STORE LAMBS - 1210

Auctioneer - Greg Christopher

An excellent number forward with trade exceptional throughout and generally £2 - £3/head dearer, this is despite the finished lambs easing back, however a good crowd of purchasers keen to get sheep bought.

Strongest stores to £74.50, a reflection of the reduced fat trade. Other stronger stores trading £67 to £71.20, a super run from Miss G Norman topped at £71.20 with a super bunch of Texels to £70.50 from the same home.

Well bred farming lambs all £60 to £66 with the stronger end of those £63 to £66. A large show of smaller stores which is reflected by the average. The well bred, smaller continental stores from £52 to £58, very small and young lambs from £44 to £50 and look well sold in places. Several very small Welsh and Badger sorts - these £30 to £45 depending on strength and meat. Ram lambs equally well sold, strength £62 to £70, smaller sorts £48 to £58 depending on breed and size.

Overall average - £56.90

	MIXED LAMBS (£/head)	RAM LAMBS (£/head)
TEXEL	£70.50	£74.50
CHAROLLAIS	£69.80	£69.50
SUFFOLK	£71.20	£62.50
WELSH MULE	£64	-
WELSH/CHEVIOT	£48	£54.50
SPECKLES	-	-

CULL EWES - 3773

Auctioneer - Matthew Nicholls

Another superb entry of ewes sold to another strong trade, no faster than last week but equally as good. A huge majority of smaller Welsh and Speckle ewes forward and several still in the wool. The shorn ewes are dearer. An average of £65/head attained which would include all of those smaller hill ewes which considering this would be a very pleasing average. The best Texels to £143/head and plenty of others £130/head plus. Top ten prices all in excess of £110/head. Any amount of Welsh ewes £60 to £70/head. All in all a pleasing day.

Average £65.41/head

Continental	£143
Suffolk	£107
North Country Mule	£56
Welsh Mules	£80
Speckle	£69
Welsh	£72
Cull Rams	£112
Cull Wethers	£84

**After several incidents of ewes lambing in markets and abattoirs,
cull ewe vendors must ensure that their sheep are empty**

Cull ewe eartags -

All cull ewes and rams must have FULL EID TAGS
to be sold in Hereford Market