

MARKET REPORTS

WEDNESDAY

9th October 2019

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PRIME LAMBS - 2483

Auctioneer - Richard Hyde

SQQ 169.4p so we are rising slowly and this is the third highest price for the day since 2013. Euro at 90p is slowly getting better, 1p more than last week. We have possibly seen the worst but meat and weight are the ways to get to a good price. Every lamb averaged £72.84.

	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	2483	156.3	152.8	193.4	169.6	192.8	170.2	181.5	164.2	165.8	158.0

Today In History - p/kg

LAMBS	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
	169.4	170.8	165.0	166.2	158.5	161.0	175.6

PRIME LAMBS SQQ

Average 169.4p/kg
Top Price/Head £95.00
for lambs grading 60kg



Top Ten p/kg

Top Ten £/head

Kg	Vendor	£	/kg	Kg	Vendor	£
38.0	W J & E Williams	73.50	193.4	60.0	C A & R J Stallard	95.00
41.5	W E & N J Powell	80.00	192.8	57.0	T E, E S & T B Stephens	94.50
44.0	T W Stephens	83.50	189.8	56.0	R Wallis	92.50
42.0	J Hyde	78.00	185.7	57.0	M A T Skyrme	90.50
43.0	W E & N J Powell	79.50	184.9	56.0	D L Williams	90.50
45.0	D P Davies	83.00	184.4	61.0	J M & W Rodgman	90.00
44.0	R Pardoe	81.00	184.1	59.0	B Watkins	89.50
35.5	G J Sevenoaks & Sons	64.50	181.7	55.0	M/s Edwards Brothers	89.00
46.0	R J Badham	83.50	181.5	54.0	W J T Powell	87.50
36.0	R A Williams	65.00	180.6	52.0	C W F Pudge	87.50

A Designated STORE/FAT MARKET GREEN MARKET STATUS

WEDNESDAY 16th OCTOBER

11,000 SHEEP

2000 PRIME LAMBS - 9.30am

2500 CULL EWES - 11.00am

5000 STORE LAMBS - 11.15am

300 BREEDING RAMS - 11.30am

Ram entries to the office by Friday 11th October

1500 BREEDING EWES - 12 noon

REARING/WEANED CALVES - 10.45am

Sheep/calf entries close Monday 14th October at 5.00pm

THURSDAY 17th OCTOBER

At 11.00am

600 STORE CATTLE

CONTINENTAL & NATIVE BREEDS

To include

30 BEEF TYPE COWS/HEIFERS

IN OR WITH CALVES

To include a draft of Limousin x cows from one farm

STOCK/FEEDING BULLS

BARREN COWS

Catalogue available

And at 10.30am sale of

PIGS

Weaners, stores, porkers, breeding stock

Pig entries to the office by Tuesday 15th October at 2.00pm

TUESDAY 29th OCTOBER

At 11.00am

Third Special Sale of

2500 EWE LAMBS

To be sold through the ring

To include sale of store lambs

Entries for catalogue by Friday 18th October at 4.00pm

BREEDING RAMS 265

Auctioneer - Richard Hyde

Blue Faced yearlings, a very good trade to 750gns with this year the white faced more regular than the browner faced.

All other breeds topping to 680gns with all breeds in similar demand with all good sheep 500gns to 600gns - Suffolks, Texels and Charollais.

Guineas/head	LAMBS	YRLGS	2 YRS	3 YRS
SUFFOLK		600		
TEXEL		620		
CHAROLLAIS		680		
BELTEX x TEXEL		600		
BLUE FACED LEICESTER	400	750	650	340

Show and Sale of Blue Faced Leicester Rams

With thanks to the Judges - David Williams & Colin Millichap

Class 1 - Best Blue Faced Leicester Yearling Ram

- 1) C Hall, Ffos y bar 500gns and Champion
- 2) D B & M M Fairclough, Wernhir 750gns
- 3) W H & E B Gwillim & Son 400gns

Class 2 - Best Blue Faced Leicester Ram Lamb

- 1) C B & G G Morris, Lower Drostre 400gns
- 2) T R & J Harris, Redlands Farm 350gns
- 3) W H & E B Gwillim & Son n/s



Winners with the judges

REARING/WEANED CALVES - 69

Auctioneer - Matthew Nicholls

A nice entry of calves with a lovely run of Blues from Tack Farms and M/s Price, Magna Castra which saw competitive trade selling to £275 for a 38 day bull calf and £260 for a 19 day old bull calf. Those stronger bull calves £180 to £275. Smaller sorts £100 to £150. Those best rearing heifers to £245 for a 19 day old British Blue cross but run of the mill £100 to £180/head. Plainer soft types £50 to £100. Friesian bulls £20 to £30. Plenty of demand for the stronger sharper types and more could have been sold.

Several stronger weaned calves for sale with some 2/3 month old Limousin/Hereford and Angus bulls and heifer calves selling between £320 and £370. A nice run of 4 month Simmental cross bull calves out of Salers cows saw strong interest selling between £300 and £400. All in all someone for everything and just a nice trade.

*Early entries next week include:
10 well reared British Blue x calves - 6 heifers and 4 bulls, 17/18 weeks*

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 4th September 2019 or since can be sold from farms that are TB clear without needing to be tested at our next sale on 16th October 2019

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

BREEDING EWES - 1734

Auctioneer - Robert Meadmore

The sun is setting gradually on this year's breeding ewe season, with a smaller entry and a steadier trade. Some highlights however with a lovely pen of Welsh Mule yearlings at £141, others then at £122 (twice). Stronger pens from £100 to £120, smaller or leaner between £80 to £100. Texel yearlings to £140, £134 and £131. Others from £110 to £128 depending on quality, 2 and 3 years to £112 and around £100. North Country yearlings difficult to dispatch, generally around £100 to £110, then flock age from £50 to £90. Speckle Face yearlings to £100. Several lots of various breeds and ages from £50 to £80 probably in need of some freshening and looking value for money. In all not a bad day with customers still present for all sorts.

Something special in our pedigree section with a two year old Texel ewe at £370 and a pen of yearlings from the same home at £230.

Charollais Sheep

Hereford Joint Production Sale of 144 Pedigree Charollais Females

At Hereford Market - Saturday 19th October 2019 at 12 noon

71 Head for Jennifer Curtis, Tim Prichard, Arwyn Thomas

Guests this year : J Evans, P Amphlett, E Hughes, D Norman & C Bowen.

Consisting of 11 in lamb ewes & 59 shearling ewes, 1 ewe lamb

To include also by kind instructions of David & Paul Curran

Due to ill health a major reduction sale of 73 head of the Wernfawr Flock consisting of: 17 in lamb ewes & 24 shearling ewes, 32 ewe lambs.

Catalogues please ring 07768 604995 or

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STORE LAMBS - 3916

Auctioneer - Greg Christopher

A good entry of store lambs with another large crowd of purchasers, more life to the store trade with a nice show of farming stores and strength. These lambs £2-£3 dearer on the week, with several more lambs £64 to £70, the strongest to £73, several large bunches today £67 to £70. Farming lambs also sharper on the week, although some good runs of lambs helped this trade, these £58 to £63 with plenty of lambs over £60. Medium keeping lambs similar on the week, these £54 to £57. Longer term lambs trading from £45 to £52, these looking well sold in places and others looking slightly easier. Well bred lambs seeing a premium over some harder bred types and plainer sorts. Very small and plain stores trading £30 to £40, with very few under £35. Several plainer and Mule types, those from £45 to £55 depending on strength and condition, plenty of competition on these and some in the early £40's look well sold.

A large number of ram lambs, with nearly 1000 ram lambs forward in several runs, including a couple of large consignments, these well bid for by several purchasers. Strongest all £60 plus, topping at £69, several £63 to £66. Well bred farming sorts from £55 to £60, especially if they had condition.

A smaller entry of ewe lambs following our large sale on Tuesday, these meeting good interest and topping at £100 for a super pen of North Country Mules from M/s J E & S J L James, others in the same run to £96 and £88. Smart Texel x Mules to £87, others from £75 to £82. Smaller Texel x ewe lambs £70 to £74. Suffolk x Mules to £81, with very few Suffolks forward. A larger entry is required for next week.

	MIXED LAMBS (£/head)	RAM LAMBS (£/head)	EWE LAMBS (£/head)
TEXEL	73.00	67.00	87.00
CHAROLLAIS	72.50	66.50	-
SUFFOLK	67.50	59.00	81.00
WELSH MULE	54.00	55.50	-
WELSH	54.00	57.20	-
NORTH COUNTRY MULE	-	-	100.00

Overall average - £57.32

CULL EWES - 2089

Auctioneer - Matthew Nicholls

Still a good entry of ewes selling to £148/head for the best Texel types and others at £139.50, £137, £134 and £129. Considered to be a slightly stronger trade than the previous two weeks. Still a lot of smaller ewes forward. Men for those grazing Suffolk types which were a good trade selling between £50 and £70/head depending on scale and size. Several men also looking for those Speckle and Welsh ewes, good underneath. Plenty of demand for the stronger types and those best Suffolks £80 to £95.

Rams also a good trade topping at £150/head and other at £145. No less than 12 ewe buyers representing many more firms so competition guaranteed throughout.

Average £53.18/head

Continental	£148.00
Suffolk	£95.00
North Country Mule	£70.00
Welsh Mules	£70.00
Speckles	£62.00
Welsh	£69.00
Cull Rams	£150.00
Wethers	£70.00

Cull ewe eartags - All cull ewes and rams must have FULL EID TAGS to be sold in Hereford

<u>SALE DATE</u>	<u>SALE</u>	<u>CATALOGUE CLOSING DATE</u>
TUESDAY 29th OCTOBER	THIRD SALE OF EWE LAMBS To include SALE OF STORE LAMBS	FRIDAY 18th OCTOBER 4.00pm

FORTHCOMING CATTLE SALES 2019 catalogue closes Wednesday week before sale at 12 noon

<u>SALE DATE</u>	<u>SALE</u>	<u>CLOSING DATE FOR CATALOGUE</u>
THURSDAY 17th OCTOBER	STORE CATTLE	Catalogue available
THURSDAY 7th NOVEMBER	STORE CATTLE	Catalogue closes 30th October
THURSDAY 21st NOVEMBER	STORE CATTLE	Catalogue closes 13th October
THURSDAY 5th DECEMBER	STORE CATTLE	Catalogue closes 27th November

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