

# REPORT 1064 STORE CATTLE

**THURSDAY 18th April 2024** 

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#### STEERS & HEIFERS - 762

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An exceptional yard of cattle forward for the second sale in April and the trade certainly felt more spring like! It would be fair to say that there wasn't the overall strength forward as previous sales but there was certainly quality in abundance.

Some lovely runs of Charolais cattle forward with plenty of customers forward for these types. The strongest Charolais steers an epic trade soaring to £1955 for a 750kg steer from M/s P J & C M Lewis, Llandeviron who had others to £1850, £1785 and £1770. An excellent consignment to average £1766/head to also include a run of Charolais heifers.

Another exceptional entry of Charolais were provided by M/s R T Sankey & Co, Oatcroft - a vendor who topped the heifer section at £1790/head for a 590kg animal. This run of 18 Charolais steers and heifers averaging £1661/head. Plenty of demand for those stronger types.

The younger grazing cattle equally as dear with an 11 month old Limousin steer from M/s T J & E M Price, Hollow Farm topping this section at 343p/kg, a lovely run of cattle from this stable that saw their heifers topping at £1720/head for a 540kg Limousin heifer.

The younger cattle certainly the dearest in terms of p/kg with the top 20 prices all between 10 and 13 months of age and all in excess of 333p/kg across both steers and heifers.

Again M/s Price, Hollow Farm topping the heifer section at 351p/kg for an 11 month old 370kg Limousin heifer that fell at £1300/head. Across the board the sale every bit as dear as last sale with the steers and heifers averaging 297p/kg and 286p/kg or £1320/head and £1243/head respectively.

Next store cattle sale - Thursday 2nd May 2024

# Overall Averages Steers - £1320.97/head 296.6p/kg Heifers - £1243.49/head 286.2p/kg

STEERS - p/kg					STEERS/head			
<u>Vendor</u>	Breed	<u>Weight</u>	<u>£</u>	p/kg	Vendor	Breed	<u>Weight</u>	<u>£</u>
T J & E M Price & Son	LIM	440	1510.00	343.2	PJ&CM Lewis	CHX	750	1955.00
Herdman & Son	LIM	445	1525.00	342.7	J T Davies	CHX	660	1850.00
Herdman & Son	LIM	432.5	1470.00	339.9	PJ&CM Lewis	CHX	650	1850.00
Herdman & Son	LIM	460	1560.00	339.1	P D Levi	LIM	620	1835.00
K M & C W Jones	LIM	440	1485.00	337.5	R T Sankey & Co	CHX	580	1835.00
D J Farr	LIM	430	1440.00	334.9	PJ&CM Lewis	CHX	650	1785.00
Herdman & Son	LIM	430	1435.00	333.7	D Meredith	CHX	625	1785.00
P D Levi	LIM	480	1600.00	333.3	J G Herring	LIM	590	1780.00
D J Farr	CHX	420	1400.00	333.3	J T Davies	CHX	605	1780.00
HJM & B Price	LIM	290	965.00	332.8	J T Davies	CHX	615	1775.00
	HEIFERS -	p/kg			HEIFERS/head			
<u>Vendor</u>	Breed	Weight	<u>£</u>	p/kg	<u>Vendor</u>	Breed	Weight	<u>£</u>
A L Davies & Sons	CHX	365	1350.00	369.9	R T Sankey & Co	CHX	590	1790.00
BD&OEComer	LIM	270	975.00	361.1	R T Sankey & Co	CHX	590	1775.00
T J & E M Price & Son	LIM	370	1300.00	351.0	PJ&CM Lewis	CHX	610	1750.00
J D Powell	CHX	410	1420.00	346.3	R T Sankey & Co	CHX	545	1740.00
BD&O E Comer	LIM	308	1055.00	342.5	J & R Duggan	CHX	563	1740.00
K M & C W Jones	LIM	430	1460.00	339.5	PJ&CM Lewis	CHX	550	1730.00
P D Levi	LIM	425	1440.00	338.8	TJ&EM Price & Son	LIM	540	1720.00
K M & C W Jones	LIM	430	1455.00	338.4	R M & H Powell	CHX	540	1700.00
WP, JM & NP Pritchard	LIM	450	1520.00	337.8	D J Farr	CHX	560	1695.00
T L Stokes	LIM	480	1620.00	337.5	S J Tutchings	LIM	540	1690.00

Tuesday 23rd April
Special Sale of
550 WEANED & SUCKLED CALVES
TO INCLUDE 100 BULLS

Catalogue available online

THURSDAY 2nd MAY
Commencing at 10.30am
800 STORE CATTLE
BARREN COWS
COWS IN OR WITH CALVES
STOCK/FEEDING BULLS
STORE CATTLE

Entries for catalogue by Wednesday 24th April at 12 noon

TUESDAY 21st MAY
Special Sale of
SUCKLED CALVES & YOUNG STORES
First Sale of
BREEDING CATTLE, COWS & CALVES
BREEDING BULLS

Entries for catalogue by Monday 13th May

#### FEEDING BULLS - 154

A huge 8 year old pedigree Charolais stock getter bull to £2200 from Mr J T Davies, Upper Cilgee. A tremendous show of feeding bulls with some cracking runs of Limousin and Charolais cross bulls. Trade for the better bulls finding another level with numerous bunches trading £1600-£1700. Bulls topped at £1770 (620kg) for a Charolais x from M/s G & D N Owens, others to £1760 from Mr G E Powell with M/s J Thomas & Son, Tanhouse's bunch of 4 black Limousins to £1755 (500kg). The stronger bulls all £1520 plus with plenty £1600-£1700. The smart bulls to 352p/kg (455kg) at £1600 from M/s J K Morgan & Co, whose superb run of 14 Limousin x bulls averaged 335p/kg (£1498). Plenty of bunches traded 330p-350p/kg with 400-450kg bulls £1400-£1600. A lot of business either side of £1500. With T W Roberts & Son, Malthouse Farm, selling another smart run to £1665 (480kg) and £1640.

Well bred farming bulls all 300p-320p/kg with these £1250-£1450 depending on size and condition. Several older bulls and stronger, plainer types. Stabiliser bulls to £1630 and £1580, others £1380 and £1375. Stronger Blue x bulls £1180-£1400. Older Salers bulls £1000-£1200. Younger bulls seeing smart sorts £1100-£1300 (320p-340p/kg). Other, more commercial bulls £880-£1080. Several bulls either side of £1000 for a variety of breeds. More bulls could have been sold to advantage and will be wanted for our next sale.

## Overall average £1353/head, 286p/kg

BULLS - p/kg				<u>BULLS/head</u>				
Vendor	<u>Breed</u>	Weight	<u>£</u>	p/kg	<u>Vendor</u>	Breed	Weight	£/head
J K Morgan & Co	LIM	455	1600.00	351.6	G & D N Owens	CHX	620	1770.00
J Thomas & Son	LIM	500	1755.00	351.0	G E Powell	CHX	535	1760.00
J K Morgan & Co	LIM	450	1575.00	350.0	J Thomas & Son	LIM	500	1755.00
T W Roberts & Son	LIM	480	1665.00	346.9	J Thomas & Son	LIM	550	1745.00
J K Morgan & Co	LIM	422.5	1460.00	345.6	G E Powell	CHX	550	1735.00
J K Morgan & Co	LIM	455	1555.00	341.8	G & D N Owens	CHX	575	1725.00
J K Morgan & Co	LIM	470	1590.00	338.3	J Thomas & Son	LIM	513	1725.00
T W Roberts & Son	LIM	485	1640.00	338.1	G E Powell	CHX	515	1715.00
T W Roberts & Son	LIM	450	1515.00	336.7	G & D N Owens	CHX	540	1710.00
J Thomas & Son	LIM	513	1725.00	336.3	LL&SERees&Son	LIM	555	1710.00

A much sharper trade for a generally plainer show of cows, strong meated Limousin x cows topped at £1980 (860kg) from Mr J T Davies, Upper Cilgee. Other fed cows from £1570-£1760. Several stronger cows £1300-£1500. Cows topped at 288p/kg (480kg), £1380 for a young Charolais from M/s C E & A M Millichap. Other smarter cows 220p-237p/kg. Plainer grazing cows £1050-£1300. Very few under £1000.

### Overall average £1266/head - 203p/kg

BARREN COWS - TOP PRICE/KG					
<u>Vendor</u>	BREED	p/kg			
C E & A M Millichap	CHX	287.5			
J C Whistance & Son	BAX	237.6			
J T Davies	LIM	230.2			
HJ&FM Bufton & Son	LIM	224.2			
J Wood-Cole	LIM	220.0			

BARREN COWS - TOP PRICE/HEAD						
Vendor	BREED	£/head				
J T Davies	LIM	1980.00				
J Wood-Cole	LIM	1760.00				
W H Lewis & Co	BAX	1675.00				
Watkins & Gwatkin	HEX	1640.00				
D G & M J Watkins	BRB	1570.00				

#### **BREEDING CATTLE - 23**

<u>Auctioneer - Greg Christopher</u>

A little more choice, although not too many to get excited about. Blue 2nd calvers with steer calves to £1840. Older cows with Charolais calves to £1730 and £1720. Plainer, older cows from £1200-£1450. A run of plainer, older cows PD in calf to £1310 and £1100 from M/s E & J Davies, others from £500-£850.

SATURDAY 25th MAY
COLLECTIVE MACHINERY SALE
At 11.00am
HEREFORD MARKET, ROMAN ROAD HR4 7AN
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