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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET

CATTLE

49 Cattle A short entry of prime cattle found a firm trade, although buyers stating demand is slack and too much cheap boxed meat about. Top per kilo this week 315.5pkg for first time vendors Messrs B R & P L Liverton (£1,728.94) for a Limousin heifer. Peter Goodwin a superb Limousin heifer at 307.5pkg (£2,063.33) with another at 290.5pkg (£1,888.25). East Anglian Farm Trailers showing two heavy steers both at 301.5pkg (£2,074.32 and £1,977.84). H H Cawston Limousin home bred steers to 307.5pkg and 305.5pkg (£1,746.60 and £1,863.55). Messrs Liverton also showing a Bazadaire heifer at 285.5pkg (£1,427.50). Michael Bates Limousin steers to 299.5pkg (£1,868.88). General run of fed cattle 270.5pkg to 281.5pkg, a few thicker sorts and less confirmation less. Traditional breeds in good numbers seeing Aberdeen Angus heifers from W L King & Son to 271.5pkg (£1,631.72). Aberdeen Angus steers to 265.5pkg from N P Sewell. Shorthorn steers to 267.5pkg from R J Scarfe & Partners. Bull short entry of lean Limousin bulls to 259.5pkg (£1,837.26) from Messrs Kerr & Sons. Despite averages being up, trade generally stand on.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
20 STEERS av 268.96pkg from 228.50pkg						
3 Light 370-550kg	279.50	250.19	H H Cawston & Son	C Humphreys & Son	1361.17	1235.12
14 Medium 551-650kg	307.50	268.99	H H Cawston & Son	C Humphreys & Son	1868.88	1612.19
3 Heavy 651kg+	301.50 (2)	282.33	East Anglian Traders Ltd (2)	Romford Meats (2)	2074.32	1941.50
24 HEIFERS av 275.07 from 245.50pkg						
5 Light 330-500kg	285.50	268.64	B P & P L Liverton	C Humphreys & Son	1427.50	1271.23
14 Medium 501-590kg	315.50	275.14	B P & P L Liverton	Romford Meats	1728.94	1457.07
5 Heavy 591kg+	307.50	279.59	P B Goodwin	C Humphreys & Son	2063.33	1822.38
3 BULLS av 249.91pkg						
1 Medium 551-650kg	234.50	234.50	Kerr & Sons	C Humphreys & Son	1456.25	1456.25
Heavy 651kg+	259.50	259.50	Kerr & Sons	Romford Meats	1837.26	1820.73
2 AOTM a shorthorn cow to 173.50pkg (£1294.31) from B & S White and a Limousin Cross steer from John Bacon at 235.50pkg (£1573.14)						
STORES Next store cattle sale Tuesday 30 July 2024						

S H E E P

382 Sheep Another short entry of lambs found a firm trade moving in the right direction. Top price per head this week £180 for lambs from Acorn Farms Ltd and Richard Easton. Alister Robinson to £169 with Mark and Jake Taylor to £165 with Richard Easton again at £163.50, £162 (2) etc. Medium lambs to £148 from Warwick Gill, with Mark and Jake Taylor to £143, C C Roots & Sons to £141, £139, etc. Standard lambs to £120 from Emily Elnaugh and J W Chamley & Son. Top price per kilo saw heavy lambs from Mark and Jake Taylor to 344pkg, with Alister Robinson to 338pkg. Warwick Gill to 334pkg. Medium lambs to 329pkg (2), Warwick Gill with Mark and Jake Taylor at the same, with C C Roots & Sons to 328pkg. Standard lambs to 320pkg from Kevin Bruce. Generally meated lambs 305pkg and above, small or hill bred lambs less but still looking well sold with several pens of 33 to 35kg lambs forward.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
348 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 307.97pkg all in 310.65pkg					
6 Light 25.5-32kg	290.00	K Bruce	279.57	90.00	86.67
64 Standard 32.1-39kg	320.00	K Bruce	289.10	120.00	104.44
201 Medium 39.1-45kg	329.00	W Gill	313.82	148.00	130.39
77 Heavy 45.6 kg+	344.00	M & J Taylor	320.65	180.00	158.09
21 EWES to £149 for Suffolk Mules. Grazing ewes from £29 for very plain to £100. North Country Mules to £110, Continental Ewes to £147, etc.					
11 STORE LAMBS Long Keep Ryland Cross to £73					
2 MATURE SHEEP to £107 and 198pkg					

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