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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET

CATTLE

35 Cattle Such a disappointing entry in numbers, found a very strong trade with all buyers short of requirements. Many more wanted to satisfy the demand at this centre. Top per kilo this week 321.5pkg for a very shapely BBX steer from Gary and Jim Hubert. Tony Evans seeing 319.5pkg for Limousin steers with heifers to 316.5pkg. Charolais heifers from the same vendor to 307.5pkg. East Anglian Trailers Ltd Limousin heifers to 319.5pkg, J B Farms usual run of strong Limousin steers to 301.5pkg, 301pkg, etc. AA heifers from Matthew Hustler to 284.5pkg with two similar bred steers at 288.5pkg. Hereford X heifer from Gary Hubert to 292.5pkg. W J Broom & Son also having Aberdeen Angus heifers to 284.5pkg. Strong Hereford X Steers from A H Pulford & Sons to 289.5pkg with heifers to 285.5pkg, 284.5kg. A Heath & Sons usual run of 6 Continental X dairy bred heifers found a strong trade to 297.5pkg, 294.5pkg etc. Top price per head saw Limousin bulls to £2,371.68 and £2,279.34 from East Anglian Trailers Ltd. J B Farms Limousin steers to £2,097.38, £1,971.28 etc. Hereford X steers to £2,098.88 and Aberdeen Angus steers to £2,143.56, both from Neil Pulford with Limousin heifers from East Anglian Trailers Ltd to £1,929.78. No cattle below 260.5pkg. All cattle average £1,711.40 a head.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
13 STEERS av 294.35 from 260.50pkg						
2 Light 370-550kg	319.50	303.67	P A Evans	C J Byford & Son	1674.18	1574.53
7 Medium 551-650kg	321.50	292.43	G C & J Hubert	Romford Meats	1831.98	1744.94
4 Heavy 651kg+	300.50	293.78	J B Farms	Romford Meats	2143.58	2077.78
18 HEIFERS av 290.91 from 261.50pkg						
3 Light 330-500kg	297.50	280.24	A Heath & Sons	H G Blake	1439.90	1309.67
12 Medium 501-590kg	316.50	291.66	P A Evans	H G Blake	1769.24	1568.17
3 Heavy 591kg+	319.50	296.44	East Anglian Trailers Ltd	Romford Meats	1929.78	1801.36
2 BULLS 2 Super Limousin Bulls from East Anglian Trailers Ltd to 301.50pkg and to £2,371.68 a head, both purchased by Romford Meats						
2 AOTM 2 Pure bred Hereford heifers from George Wright Farms to 243.50pkg, £1,752.46						
2 Heifers						

STORES

NEXT WEEK ENTRIES INVITED TO INCLUDE 50 HEREFORD X STEERS AND HEIFERS FROM ONE ESTATE

S H E E P

486 Sheep A slightly increased entry found another fast trade with all meated lambs wanted. Top price per kilo this week saw Will Griffin to 363pkg for heavy lambs with Will having other pens at 360pkg, 354pkg, 348pkg, 347pkg (2) etc. Woodhatch Farm to 347pkg and Jamie Gregory to 331pkg, 327pkg. Medium lambs again saw Will Griffin topping the weights per kilos at 356pkg, with Mark and Jake Taylor 353pkg, 347pkg (2) with Ed Thornalley to 349pkg. Standard lambs to 357pkg from Jamie Gregory, Castle Graziers to 330pkg and John Revett at 322pkg. Top price per head saw Will Griffin to £385, £182, £180 etc with Jamie Gregory to £179 (2). Woodhatch Farms to £174 for 51.5kg lambs, Will Griffin again to the fore at £174, £173 etc with Ed Thornalley to £171. Medium lambs to 160.pkg from Mark and Jake Taylor, Will Griffin to £160, standard lambs to £135.50 for Jamie Gregory, £127 for Castle Graziers. Throughout the sale meat and conformation a big plus factor. Leaner lambs from £95, nothing below, with £100 to £110 for several pens taken to feed.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
446 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 319.32 all in 321.61pkg and £144.38 a head					
2 Light 25.5-32kg	164.00	W A Ketley & Sons	164.00	50.00	50.00
47 Standard 32.1-39kg	357.00	Jamie Gregory	294.70	135.50	109.95
243 Medium 39.1-45kg	356.00	W & J Griffin	324.35	160.50	139.74
154 Heavy 45.6 kg+	363.00	W & J Griffin	330.42	185.00	161.50
26 EWES to £168 for Charollais X ewes to av £119.65 with rare breeds from £38, Texel X ewe to £142 with Leyn ewes to £138, £136 etc, Charollais X ewe to £153					
1 RAM to £66.00					
1 STORE LAMB to £90					
12 MATURE SHEEP and hoggets to £115 and 233pkg					

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