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Sale Report

Tuesday 10th February 2026

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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET

CATTLE

52 Cattle a short entry of prime cattle another firm trade for all with no cattle below 345pkg. First time vendors to Colchester, M B Farms topping the price per kg this week at 417pkg for a superb Limousin heifer also topping the price per head at £2989.89 and purchased by John Coleman, Boxted. The same vendor having other heifers at 414pkg and 412pkg with a steer at 414pkg. Also travelling W G Vant & Sons seeing Limousin heifers at 415pkg, 411pkg, 410pkg, 408pkg with BB X heifers to 413pkg and 409pkg. East Anglian Trailers Limousin heifers to 410pkg and 402pkg. D J Black to 398pkg, 396pkg, 392pkg for Limousin steers and heifers. General run of Continental X steers and heifers 350pkg to 393pkg throughout. Traditional breeds again easily sold with superbly finished BSH heifers from B R & P L Liverton to 395pkg, with Hereford heifers from the same vendor to 384pkg, 380pkg. AA X heifers from Hagag Ltd to 395pkg with AA X steers to 371pkg from R Manning.

	TOP PKG	BOTTOM PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
13 STEERS average 375.52pkg						
2 Light 370-550kg	370	345	357.82	R W Revell	1949.86	1866.78
8 Medium 551-650kg	398	358	375.33	D J Black	2512.72	2237.88
3 Heavy 651kg+	414	350	385.12	M B Farms	2786.22	2622.68
26 HEIFERS average 393.22pkg						
19 Medium 501-90kg	415	365	393.16	W G Vant & Sons	2395.40	2197.37
7 Heavy 591kg+	417	350	393.34	M B Farms	2989.89	2608.41
6 BULLS average 365.04pkg						
4 Light 370-550kg	368	360	363.44	P T Warne	1980	1878.08
2 Medium 551-650kg	368 (2)	368 (2)	368	P T Warne (2)	2049.76	2049.76
7 STORES Belted Galloway cow and 3 m/o bull calf to £1180, Belted Galloway cow and 2 m/o heifer calf to £1035, 2 m/o Belted Galloway bull calf to £450. Lean Longhorn bulls 30 m+ to £450.						

S H E E P

605 Sheep an average entry again a selective trade with heavy OSL very difficult. Strongest trade to OSL under 49kg throughout. Top per head this week £152 from Adam Youngman with another pen at £151. Heavy OSL to £150 from numerous vendors including Messrs Gregory and Northwood (2), G D Black & Son (2) and Tom Woodroofe, and to 326pkg from G D Black & Son (2). Medium hogs to £147 from Adam Youngman, £145 from G D Black & Son (2) , James Coe and Tom Woodroofe, and to 352pkg for G D Black & Son who had other pens at 348pkg , 346pkg (2) etc. Messrs Gregory and Northwood to 345pkg. Standard hogs to £137 from G D Black & Son, D M Farms to £135 as were Gregory and Northwood (2) and to 361pkg from G D Black & Son. T H & D S Trembath to 354pkg with Messrs Gregory and Northwood to 351pkg (2) and K M Mack to 347pkg.

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497 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 328.03pkg all in 322.53pkg						
3 Light 25.5-32kg	326	326	T H & D S Trembath	326	101	101
41 Standard 32.1-39kg	361	278	G D Black & Son	340.33	137	126.88
337 Medium 39.1-45.5kg	352	302	G D Black & Son	326.73	147	140.08
108 Heavy 45.6 - 52kg	326	294	G D Black & Son	310.34	150	146.59
8 Over 52kg	280	253	A Youngman	253	152	151.50

40 EWES a disappointing entry and many more wanted to average £153.43 with Cheviot ewes to £175, £171 etc, NC Mules to £164, Suffolk Mules to £162, Lleyn ewes to £164.

3 RAMS to £180 average £170

64 STORE LAMBS strongest to £129, but most small long keep type and these £20 to £80 depending on breeding.

1 MATURE SHEEP to £168 (277pkg).

NEXT STORE SALE TUESDAY 24TH FEBURARY

ENTRIES TO DATE:

**16, 22 AND 24 M/O NAMED SIRED ANGUS STEERS
& HEIFERS**

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THIS DIFFICULT TIME.
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COURSE.**