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Colchester Livestock Market Report

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10 Balers
3 Packers

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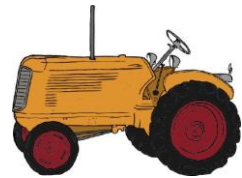
£2.1m

given out in grants
in 2016



£287k

Claimed in state benefits
last year with our help



£450k

Paid to working families
throughout 2016

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We are an Assured Market under the ABM Scheme



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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

98 Cattle included 91 prime cattle which found a two tier trade with best cattle dear and short of requirements. Any fat or over finished cattle more resistance than of late. Still, however, a generally good selling trade. Top this week per kg 245.50 paid twice, once for a smart heifer from Raven Bros and purchased by Colin Byford, Little Clacton, with the other, a heifer from J W G Dunt & Sons purchased by Tony Cracknell, Ipswich, for his shop. Raven Bros also had heifers to 244.50pkg, Messrs Bloomfield steers to 238.50pkg and E Halsall & Sons to 221.50pkg. Thicker cattle, as stated, more difficult from 162.50 to 199.50pkg depending on finish. Strong, leaner cattle 169.50 to 188.50pkg. Top price per head steers from E Halsall & Sons £1,531.35, £1,439.90, £1,407.80. Heifers to £1,441.73 a head from E Halsall & Sons. Benedict Lane steer to £1,444.98, Brian Lawrence steers to £1,401.56, £1,384.08 etc.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
27 STEERS av 191.19						
9 Light 370-550kg	238.5	196.48	M Bloomfield	C J Byford & Son	1,173.35	1,001.69
8 Medium 551-650kg	221.5	190.93	E Halsall & Sons Ltd	R J Lennox	1,379.95	1,164.46
10 Heavy 651kg+	209.5	187.31	E Halsall & Sons Ltd	John Coleman	1,531.35	1,368.14
61 HEIFERS av 200.61						
11 Light 330-500kg	245.5	202.96	Raven Bros	C J Byford & Son	1,156.31	989.18
37 Medium 501-590kg	245.5	200.70	J W G Dunt & Sons	A Cracknell	1,383.87	1,084.30
13 Heavy 591kg+	217.5	198.81	T V & J Kennealy	H G Blake	1,441.73	1,226.20
3 BULLS						
2 Light 370-550kg	210.5	209.50	East Anglian Trailers	C J Byford & Son	1,146.75	1,130.15
1 Medium 551-650kg	205.5	205.50	East Anglian Trailers	H G Blake	1,311.09	1,311.09
7 AOTM a strong trade. Young heifers to 201.5 from Raven Bros. Cows lacking quality.						
4 Beef Cows	109.5	105.75	F Pearce & Sons	H G Blake	676.18	606.36
2 Heifers	201.5	192.00	Raven Bros	R J Lennox	1,454.83	1,325.11
1 Steer	134.5	134.50	J H Crooks	C Humphreys & Sons	1,070.62	1,070.62

NEXT STORE SALE
TUESDAY 30 JANUARY 2018
ENTRIES INVITED

S H E E P

675 Sheep found a trade stronger than the last market but below quotes for the mid-holiday period with some vendors unwilling to take the trade. Larger numbers being forward and the trade needs monitoring. £91 top price for medium weight Continental lambs. Plenty of pens £85 to £90. Again, meat selling to a distinct premium. OSL's to 208pkg from Jamie Gregory.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
553 OLD SEASON LAMBS av SQQ 188.87 all in 187.50.					
13 Light 25.5-32kg	189	Lawford Hall Farm Partnership	175.98	59.50	52.21
194 Standard 32.1-39kg	208	J Gregory	191.30	79.00	71.41
291 Medium 39.1-45kg	207	W A Ketley & Sons	187.81	91.00	78.58
55 Heavy 45.6 kg+	188	W A Ketley & Sons	181.91	90.00	85.75
47 EWES to £85 for Lley X, Mules to £60, Texel X to £77, Suffolks to £70, all in £55.17.					
2 RAMS to £65.00 av £60.					
4 STORE LAMBS to £69.					
10 MATURE SHEEP to £82 a head and 149pkg.					

**PLEASE ENTER YOUR STOCK
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

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