

# **Stanfords**

## **Colchester Livestock Market Report**

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3 Packers**

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### Tuesday 13 March 2018

We are an Assured Market under the ABM Scheme



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**WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET**  
**CATTLE**

**Cattle** A very, very disappointing entry of cattle, as a result 2 buyers did not attend!!! It is in your hands, more cattle, more competition. The few cattle on offer found a strong trade with **ALL** buyers who attended well short of requirements. PLEASE let us know as soon as possible if you have stock to sell. We will only survive if numbers come forward and all sorts needed. Best handyweight cattle regularly 210.5 to 241.5pkg from Redisham Hall Farm who had 7 Continental steers and heifers av 227.71pkg. Bob Manning to 222.5 for heifer, Les Carr to 210.5 for steer, A Heath & Sons to 208.5pkg. All cattle av 205.4pkg.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>STEERS av 207.47pkg</b>						
7 Light 370-550kg	238.5	221.93	Redisham Hall Farm	C J Byford & Son	1,201.75	1,128.68
4 Medium 551-650kg	210.5	203.24	L S Carr	H G Blake	1,340.89	1,178.81
2 Heavy 651kg+	180.5	176.90	J W G Dunt & Sons	J Coleman	1,216.24	1,205.58
<b>HEIFERS av 202.94</b>						
9 Light 330-500kg	241.5	213.24	Redisham Hall Farm	C J Byford	1,023.74	934.72
3 Medium 501-590kg	222.5	198.76	R G Manning	C J Byford	1,199.28	1,061.84
3 Heavy 591kg+	211.5	206.55	R G Manning	H G Blake	1,307.07	1,251.69
<b>BULLS av 209.32</b>						
2 Heavy 651kg+	219.5	209.32	J R Brown	H G Blake	1,308.22	1,210.91
<b>AOTM</b> None forward but 4 buyers in attendance! Please try and find some.						

**NEXT STORE SALE**  
**27 MARCH 2018**  
**ENTRIES URGENTLY WANTED**

## S H E E P

**962 Sheep** and a strong trade for all sorts peaking at 274pkg from Lewin Farms with pen after pen 268 from 250pkg for quality Continental sorts. As always well-presented hoggets at a premium throughout. Top price per head £128 (twice) from T Prentice with plenty of pens £120+ a head including Robert Watson at £122, G J Goff Ltd £124, £122. Castle Graziers £120 (2 pens), Humphrey Mills £120, Jack Peacock £125.50, £124.50, £123 etc. Strong meated sorts saw 44kg lambs to £118 from Lewin Farms and 43kg at the same price. All hoggets in the classified section av £103.04 reflecting the trade. **MORE WANTED.** Excellent runs of sheep forward including 109 from Jack Peacock av 259.45pkg, £116.51 a head, 39 from Castle Graziers av 238.27 £115.65 a head, 42 from R Criddle av 249pkg £105.09 a head, 47 from Lewin Farms av 259pkg £111.16 a head, 55 from M & J Taylor av 240.39pkg £105.46 a head. Thank you to all vendors. Please try and keep numbers coming.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>811 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 241.42pkg all in 236.58pkg</b>					
24 Light 25.5-32kg	219	R Watson	207.80	70	65.50
157 Standard 32.1-39kg	268	R N Cansdale	231.98	102	85.90
388 Medium 39.1-45kg	274	Lewin Farms	246.29	119	104.65
242 Heavy 45.6 kg+	267	J W Peacock	234.89	128	114.21
<b>30 EWES</b> A very mixed entry to £95 for Suffolk Mules, N C Mules to £80 but rare breeds reducing averages to £54.20.					
<b>5 RAMS</b> to £85 av £70.					
<b>108 STORE LAMBS</b> A strong trade for quality to £72 for Texel X to av £52.60 all in and <b>all sorts.</b> Little demand for 2 tooth Shetland stores!!					
<b>8 MATURE SHEEP</b> to £100 from Terry Prentice and to 174pkg from M W Snare.					