

Stanfords

Colchester Livestock Market Report

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4' x 3' Baling**

**Big Bale Chasing
Mowing of Grassland
Raking and Tedding of Grassland
Round and Square Bale Wrapping
Conventional Bale Packing (21's)
10 Balers
3 Packers**

**Straw bought in the swath and sold in the bale
covering Essex and South Suffolk**

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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

**A VERY HAPPY, HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS,
WHETHER BUYERS, VENDORS OR HAULIERS FROM THE PARTNERS AND STAFF OF STANFORDS**

71 Cattle An average entry forward and another excellent demand for a mixed quality entry of cattle. Handyweight butchers cattle very short, several cattle showing excess fat and reducing averages but looking solidly sold! Geoff Freeman topping the steer price per kg at 241.5pkg for a home bred steer purchased by Colin Byford. E Halsall & Sons topping the heifers at 234.5pkg sold to H G Blake. Top price per head saw steers to £1,668.13 from E Halsall & Sons and heifers to £1,463.93 from Terry Kennealy. Generally a very satisfactory day's trading with all buyers represented.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
15 STEERS av 202.95						
3 Light 370-550kg	169.5	164.08	Blakenham Farms	C J Reeve	850.93	799.08
7 Medium 551-650kg	241.5	208.52	R & G R Freeman	C J Byford & Son	1,400.36	1,254.07
5 Heavy 651kg+	221.5	211.97	E Halsall & Sons	H G Blake	1,668.13	1,567.28
49 HEIFERS av 203.69						
9 Light 330-500kg	231.5	205.34	R & G R Freeman	C J Byford & Son	1,065.75	977.87
26 Medium 501-590kg	225.5	205.33	H M & G M Knighton	H G Blake	1,305.65	1,121.52
14 Heavy 591kg+	234.5	200.24	E Halsall & Sons	H G Blake	1,463.93	1,258.78
1 BULL av 202.50						
1 Medium 551-650kg	202.5	202.50	F Pearce & Sons	H G Blake	1,237.28	1,237.28
6 AOTM A poor selection with extreme sorts 49.5pkg. Better bred sorts to 117.5pkg						
6 Beef Cows	117.5	91.64	J W Chamley & Son	R J Lennox	760.23	523.43

NEXT SALE - TUESDAY 2 JANUARY 2018
STOCK WILL BE WANTED
PLEASE CALL GRAHAM ELLIS ASAP ON 07798 643534 WITH ENTRIES

S H E E P

250 Sheep A short disappointing entry and a good trade for meated sheep. Handyweight sheep to 206pkg from James Chamley for 2 pens and to £90 a head from W G Vant & Sons (2 pens) and Eastern Otley College. Generally meated lambs 180 to 195pkg well above other quotations. A pity more lambs not forward!

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
202 NEW SEASON LAMBS					
25 Standard 32.1-39kg	206	J H Chamley	191.32	80.50	72.28
117 Medium 39.1-45kg	206	J H Chamley	192.18	87.00	81.28
59 Heavy 45.6 kg+	186	D M Farms	180.38	90.00	86.47
33 EWES A seasonal trade, no weighted ewes about, to £65 av £35.76.					
5 STORE LAMBS to £70.					
9 MATURE SHEEP to £62 a head and 132pkg.					

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