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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET

CATTLE

68 Cattle included a short entry of 55 prime cattle which found another excellent selling trade with more required to ensure buyers continue to support the centre. We had no steers or heifers below 162.5pkg, and all of these feed Holsteins. Top today per kg 234.5pkg for a smart butcher's weight steer from Geoff Freeman purchased by Colin Byford, Little Clacton (£1,240.57). Geoff had another heavier steer purchased by John Colman, Boxted at 229.5pkg (£1,280.61), R Partridge & Son had 226.5pkg for a very smart heifer with steers 210.5, 208.5pkg etc. H P Smith yarded steers to 209.5pkg and heifers to 204.5pkg. Tony Evans usual quality saw Limousin steers to 223.5, 218.5 and heifers to 224.5, 208.5pkg. David Coe Limousin steers to 225.5, 218.5pkg and heifers 216.5, 208.5pkg. Messrs Gooderham saw home bred Limousin steers to 223.5, 211.5 and heifers to 229.5 and 214.5pkg. Waterer Partners saw AAX steer to 214.5pkg and Messrs Rand Contracting, travelling from Letchworth, had quality Limousin heifers to 224.5 and 217.5pkg. Heavy bullocks saw a very heavy half bred steer to £1,758.29 from Andrew Walker whose other made £1,593.96. Ian Matthews heavy heifer to £1,367.34, J W Gooderham steer to £1,332.45. Traditional breed cattle saw Red Polls to 179.5pkg, Highland X to 195.5pkg and AAX heifer to 198.5pkg and Hereford to 195.5pkg. **MORE WANTED PLEASE.**

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
27 STEERS to av 198.56pkg						
8 Light 370-550kg	234.5	207.84	R & G R Freeman	C J Byford & Son	1,240.51	1,085.97
16 Medium 551-650kg	229.5	199.91	R & G R Freeman	John Coleman	1,332.45	1,191.10
3 Heavy 651kg+	184.5	178.13	A Walker	C Humphreys & Sons	1,758.29	1,500.43
28 HEIFERS to av 199.62pkg						
1 Light 330-500kg	217.5	217.50	P A Evans	Henry Hurrell	987.45	987.45
13 Medium 501-590kg	229.5	212.73	E M Gooderham	H G Blake	1,268.40	1,143.49
14 Heavy 591kg+	197.5	188.74	H P Smith & Son	Fowler Bros	1,367.34	1,235.73
1 BULL Only a very heavy Charolais Bull from H M & G M Knighton at £1,435.78.						
11 AOTM saw a fast trade with buyers all keen and many more wanted to satisfy the current demand. Best cows to £1,348.97 for Simmental cows. Limousin cows to £1,395 (134.5pkg) and to £1,164.24. Lean AAX cow to 116.5pkg and Hereford to £776.16.						
11 Beef Cows	144.5	121.46	R Partridge & Son	GPW	1,348.97	898.56
1 STORE Overage lean heifer £490.						

S H E E P

691 Sheep included an average entry of 614 new season lambs which found a trade above expectations for most with reports from Monday evening showing averages around 210pkg. A few lambs losing their backs which were discounted and as has been the recent case, strong lambs very keenly sought to £121.50 from M Wilkin travelling from Cambridgeshire who had other pens at £116, £104 etc), Messrs Rand Contracting from Letchworth saw strong lambs to £120 a head. Mark & Nicky Cooper had strong lambs to £114.50 and G J Goff 46kg lambs to £116, £109.50 etc. John Revett 44kg to £112.50, W Ralph to £310, James Coe to £111, W B French to £111, £110 (2), R Easton to £110, C C Roots & Sons to £108.50, £108 etc, M & J Taylor to £108, £107. Plenty of lambs £90 to £99. A larger than normal entry of 36/38kg lambs selling well up to £96.50 from G J Goff Ltd. Despite lower on the week, an excellent trade for the time of year as can be seen from the averages.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
13 OLD SEASON LAMBS A real end of season entry to £90 from R G Aves & Partners and to 179pkg.					
614 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 233.11 all in 232.19					
184 Standard 32.1-39kg	254	C J Goff Ltd	230.70	96.50	86.90
396 Medium 39.1-45kg	256	J F Revett	234.11	112.50	98.24
34 Heavy 45.6 kg+	252	G J Goff Ltd	224.58	121.50	108.01
52 EWES to £100 for Texels, Mules to £85, Half Bred ewes to £70, all in average £64.08.					
1 GOAT to £94 for a nanny.					
4 STORE LAMBS to £50 for lean new season lambs.					
7 MATURE SHEEP to £87 and to 140pkg.					

NEW VENDOR RULES

**SUBJECT TO 2M DISTANCING, VENDORS CAN NOW STAY AND SEE STOCK SOLD
BUT MUST NOT BE IN THE SAME AREA AS BUYERS
AND SHOULD, BEFORE LEAVING, SANITISE THEIR HANDS.**

**THIS RELAXATION IS ON THE BASIS THAT STRICT ADHERENCE
IS OBSERVED BY OUR VENDORS.**