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Colchester Livestock Market Report

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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET

CATTLE

116 Cattle including average entry of 50 prime cattle and totally short of requirements with regular buyers not even starting to purchase. More wanted please. The quality varied but all classes dear and as always meated cattle most easily sold. Top price this week pkg 259.5p paid on behalf of Tony Cracknell for his shop in Ipswich for a superb heifer from Geoff Freeman. Geoff's other two at 245pkg and 240.5pkg, both purchased by J Coleman for his shop at Boxted. Andy Tomson sharing the trade with steers to 245.5pkg and heifers 244.5pkg. Pendall Bental Limousin Heifers to 247.5pkg and Steers to 239.5pkg. Rip Harvey Simmental Heifers to 225.5pkg, JWG Dunt & Son South Devon Heifers to 228.5p and 215.5p etc. George Wright Farms Hereford Steers to 218.5pkg. J W Gray saw Limousin Steers to 216.5 and Shorthorn Steers to 217.5p. JW Nurse BBX Steers to 211.5pkg. Rod Lock Agricultural Limousin Heifers to 222.5pkg. Traditional breeds in good numbers with Aberdeen Angus X Heifers from Calab Rayner to 220.5pkg and Steers to 218.5pkg. White Park Steers to 186.5pkg. Lincoln Steers to 197.5pkg. Top prices per head saw Rod Lock to £1,508.40 for home bred Simmental Steers. Limousin Steers to £1,474.24 and £1,455.82 etc. British Blue X Steers to £1,448.78. British Blue X Heifers to £1,476.88.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
23 STEERS av 211.88						
8 Light 370-550kg	245.5	216.35	A V Tomson	C J Byford & Son	1298.09	1135.02
12 Medium 551-650kg	245.5	213.10	R & GR Freeman	J Coleman	1474.27	1286.23
3 Heavy 651kg+	211.5	198.5	JW Nurse	H G Blake	1448.78	1315.73
27 HEIFERS av 213.,94						
10 Light 330-500kg	244.5	212.71	A V Tomson	C J Byford & Son	1142.50	969.75
9 Medium 501-590kg	259.5	218.77	R & GR Freeman	A Cracknell	1346.50	1164.09
8 Heavy 591kg+	222.5	210.63	Rod Lock Agricultural	J Coleman	1508.40	1397.53
20 AOTM A strong trade considering reports elsewhere with 6 active buyers forward. FABBL a help. Plain old cows very difficult this week.						
Dairy Cows						
18 Beef Cows	153.5	105.84	Easton College	G Hinsley	1145.08	655.52
1 Heifer	133.5		Broomhills Farms	E Howell & Son	851.73	851.73
1 Steer	126.5		D C K Burrows	R J Lennox	737.50	737.50
STORES- 46 forward found a strong trade with many more wanted. 18m/o AAX Steers to £1,000 from Karpinski Partnership. 18/20 m/o South Devon Steers to £990 per head. Limousin Heifers 12m/o to £680 per head with 7m/o to £710, £630, £610 etc. Limousin Steers 7m/o to £715, £620, £605 etc. Simmental Steers 8m/o to £620, £590. AAX Heifers 17 m/o to £635. Single 3 m in calf pedigree Aberdeen Angus Cow £900.						

S H E E P

417 sheep and goats a fantastic demand with buyers well short of numbers and more faces forward to buy. Quality was generally excellent and feeding lambs does pay. Plenty of lambs with shape and finish 230pkg to 254pkg. This reflected the overall average of 230.47pkg. Top price pkg 254p from James Chamley. Top price paid at £116 from Chris Pettit. James Chamley saw medium weight lambs to £110.50 for 2 pens, £109.50, £108.00 etc. W Chantry and Sons strong lambs to £109 per head. Chess Valley usual run of quality lambs to £108.50, £107 etc. I C Moore good quality white face sheep to £108 per head, £106.50 2 pens etc. La Hogue Farm £112.00 per head 2 pens for strong lambs. GJ Goff to £112.50, £104.50 etc. Will Griffin's usual run of quality sorts to £113.50, £105 etc in the medium weight bands. All lambs average £97.96 per head throughout the market. This is probably the dearest seen for lambs in November.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
339 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 232.78pkg all in 230.47pkg					
64 Standard 32.1-39kg	249	R Tebbutt	229.08	94	84.62
218 Medium 39.1-45kg	254	J H Chamley	233.72	110.50	99.79
57 Heavy 45.6 kg+	245	G J Goff	222.01	116	105.87
55 EWES Another strong trade, more wanted. Suffolk Ewes to £102, North Country Mules to £84, Half bred ewes to £86. Lean feeding ewes £26 to £65 all in average £66.49					
1 RAM - to £85					
12 STORE LAMBS Texel Long Keep to £75. Mules to £79. More wanted.					
8 Goats to £75. Small Kid Goats to £65. More wanted.					

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NEXT WEEK**

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