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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

57 Cattle Another short entry of clean cattle with best cattle firming on the week as buyers keen to purchase. Several leaner cattle forward which found a firm enquiry but meat wanted at a premium. Top per kg this week tremendous to see David Black and family of Great Bentley at 288.5pkg for a fantastic butchers beast, a well meated Limousin steer purchased by Colin Byford, Little Clacton. The same vendor having 279.5pkg for another Limousin steer purchased by H G Blake. Another regular supporter, Geoff Freeman, having 279.5pkg for a very smart Limousin X heifer purchased by Tony Cracknell, Ipswich. Geoff having another heifer at 268.5pkg and a steer at 264.5pkg. Young Amy Kinge well presented BBX heifer at 274.5pkg. J B Farms another strong run of Continental heifers from 248.5pkg to 266.5pkg with the 10 averaging 257.22pkg and £1,534.03. Again a good number of traditional breeds forward, seeing AAX heifer to 248.5pkg from Chaplin Bros. AAX steer to 247.5pkg from Peppers Farm Partnership. South Devon steer to 247.5pkg from W J & F J Hadley, Hereford X heifer to 248.5pkg and steer to 230.5pkg from Nigel Sewell. Top price per head this week BBX steer to £1,685.63 from E J & M Wood. Heifer to £1,641.48 from J B Farms.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
17 STEERS av 240.29 from 172.5pkg						
9 Light 370-550kg	288.5	237.17	D J Black	C J Byford & Son	1,572.33	1,145.01
6 Medium 551-650kg	264.5	245.84	R & G R Freeman	John Coleman	1,613.45	1,509.03
2 Heavy 651kg+	238.5	235.38	W J & F J Hadley	H G Blake	1,685.63	1,640.60
33 HEIFERS av 243.66 from 89.5pkg!						
9 Light 330-500kg	252.5	212.71	Peppers Farm Partnership	H G Blake	1,249.88	971.63
15 Medium 501-590kg	279.5	251.40	R & G R Freeman	A Cracknell	1,565.36	1,359.59
9 Heavy 591kg+	262.5	255.17	J B Farms	J Coleman	1,641.48	1,584.63
7 AOTM A poor selection of cows but meat wanted. Cows need size and cover to maximise return. Best beef cows to 189.5pkg (£1,345.45). Very lean beef cows from 69.5pkg!						
5 Beef Cows	189.5	112.09	Telmara Farm Ltd	C Humphreys & Sons	1,345.45	627.92
1 Steer	223.5	223.50	R Criddle	H G Blake	1,367.82	1,367.82
1 Bull	89.5	89.50	Tom Hanmer	R J Lennox	948.70	948.70

PRIME STOCK SHOW & SALE
TUESDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2021
CLASSES FOR PRIME CATTLE AND SHEEP

S H E E P

551 Sheep Average entry with prime sheep still short and another fantastic trade for meated lambs of good conformation. Many more wanted. Top per head this week from Will Griffin at £141 a head (261pkg) for Texel X strong lambs, closely followed by Richard Easton at £138 and Ben Short at the same price. Top price per kg for heavy lambs again from Will Griffin at 287pkg. Medium lambs in good numbers with a few pens of leaner framed lambs, trade averaging 240 to 250pkg but best to 281pkg, again from the consistent Will Griffin and to £124.50 a head. Standard lambs a good show of shapely Continental lambs seeing Jack Peacock at £109.50 (281pkg), £108 from Ben Short and the top per kg 285pkg from T Broom with Mark & Jake Taylor close behind at 284pkg. All lambs av £110.91 and all in.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
391 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 265.37 all in 265.43pkg					
92 Standard 32.1-39kg	285	T P Broom	265.56	109.50	99.07
256 Medium 39.1-45kg	281	W & J Griffin	265.31	124.50	112.00
43 Heavy 45.6 kg+	287	W & J Griffin	266.31	141.00	129.08
87 EWES A stronger enquiry with Texel X ewes to £140, £133, £131 etc. Half Bred ewes to £108, Norfolk Horns to £85, Charollais X ewes to £106, N C Mules to £103, Hebridean ewes to £20, Texel ewes to £115, Herdwicks £47 av £82.20 all in.					
4 RAMS to £91 av £70, no size forward.					
53 STORE LAMBS No weight about and majority rare breeds from £31 for Hebrideans. Small Continental X to £80 as were very lean Suffolks. More wanted please!					
16 MATURE SHEEP to £103 a head and 213pkg.					

NEXT WEEK STORE SALE ENTRIES INCLUDE:

<p>10 m/o Polled Pedigree Simmental Bull from high health status herd. TB4 from Telmara Farm Ltd 9 AAX steers & 10 AAX heifers 18 m/o 7 Hereford steers 8 m/o 4 Shorthorn heifers 18 m/o 4 Shorthorn steers 7 m/o 15 Limousin X steers & heifers 6/8 m/o 4 Stabiliser X steers 16/17 m/o</p>	<p>20 Limousin & AA X heifers 17 m/o 6 AAX steers 18 m/o 1 Shorthorn steer 16 m/o 1 Shorthorn heifer 7 m/o 4 Friesian steers 9/10 m/o 4 AAX South Devon Steers 16 m/o</p>
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MORE WANTED PLEASE