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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

78 Cattle A better entry of 72 prime cattle trading in line with last week except for the leanest and some cattle being sold before they are ready. Well meated sorts easily selling all day from 230 to 250pkg with a top this week of 276.5pkg, paid this week by Tony Cracknell for a smart Limousin heifer from Les Carr. Tony Evans just behind at 175.5pkg for a smart Limousin X steer with John Gooderham at 274.5pkg for a Limousin heifer. Handyweight BBX steers from Pental Bental to 255.5pkg with Limousin steer from John Gooderham to 259.5pkg. Heifer from Pental Bental to 251.5pkg with Les Carr another at 263.5pkg. Cracking show of meated heavy heifers to 247.5pkg from M P & R Stennett with J W Read & Son to 244.5pkg. Several traditional breeds forward saw Herford X steer to 239.5pkg from J W Gray, AAX steer to 237.5pkg from Paul Rackham, Red Poll steer to 221.5pkg from Pip Harvey with Red Poll heifer from R J Scarfe to 203.5pkg. Shorthorn heifer to 238.5pkg from J W Gray, AAX heifer to 235.5pkg from Hollington Farms. Top price per head saw AAX steers from Paul Rackham to £1,734.91, Limousin X steers to £1,724.45 from John Bacon, Limousin X heifers from J W Read & Son to £1,660.16, £1,602.93 etc and AAX heifers to £1,620.24 from Hollington Farms. More wanted please.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
35 STEERS av 237.34 from 207.5pkg						
22 Light 370-550kg	275.5	240.27	P A Evans	C J Byford & Son	1,403.90	1,176.77
11 Medium 551-650kg	241.5	234.09	W J Broom & Son	H G Blake	1,506.51	1,392.00
2 Heavy 651kg+	233.5	230.47	Paul Rackham Ltd	John Coleman	1,734.91	1,729.68
34 HEIFERS 239.29 from 203.5pkg						
17 Light 330-500kg	276.5	233.39	L S Carr	A Cracknell	1,371.44	1,075.26
7 Medium 501-590kg	274.5	251.56	J W Gooderham	C J Byford & Son	1,459.79	1,352.67
10 Heavy 591kg+	247.5	239.29	M P & R Stennett	John Coleman	1,660.46	1,563.04
3 BULLS No great weight but wanted.						
3 Light 370-550kg	218.5	215.90	B K Harvey	John Coleman	1,186.46	1,110.43
6 AOTM Wanted steers to 215.5pkg from John Bacon (£1,720.18), Limousin cows to 185.5pkg from R Keeling (£1,164.84).						
4 Beef Cows	185.5	143.52	R A Keeling	C Humphreys & Sons	1,164.94	828.09
2 Steers	215.5	210.98	J Bacon	John Coleman	1,720.18	1,548.62

NEXT STORE SALE
TUESDAY 29 MARCH
ENTRIES NOW INVITED

S H E E P

861 Sheep An average entry found a solid selling trade throughout with meat as always paying. Lean hoggets less but generally up on the week. Plenty of quality weight hoggs about. Top per head this week £136 from Richard Criddle with Jack Peacock £135 (2 pens) and Richardson Bros to £131, as again was Jack Peacock. Plenty of heavy hoggs £120 to £129. Medium hoggs to £121 from E J & V C Fenton with Crown Farm Partners £120 (2 pens). Standard hoggs to £111, again from Richard Criddle as was K M Mack. Light hoggs generally lacking finish at store prices. Top per kg 300pkg from Crown Farm Partners with heavy hoggs to 278pkg from Jack Peacock and Richard Criddle and standard hoggs to 297pkg from K M Mack. All hoggs sold av £111.14 all in.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
681 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 264.19 all in 256.36pkg					
12 Light 25.5-32kg	244	H Turner	240.74	78.00	75.83
176 Standard 32.1-39kg	297	K M Mack	263.79	111.00	97.97
275 Medium 39.1-45kg	300	Crown Farm Partners	265.19	121.00	111.43
218 Heavy 45.6 kg+	278	Richard Criddle	248.09	136.00	122.73
122 EWES from £2 to £150 to av £102.05 to include several small Welsh ewes. Another flying trade. Texel X ewes to £150, £145 etc, N C Mules to £135, Dorset Horns to £139, Badger Face to £80, Jacobs to £99, Suffolk Mules to £130, Dorset ewes to £136, Lleyn ewes to £136, Welsh ewes to £40.					
10 RAMS All sorts to £132 av £96.70.					
47 STORE LAMBS to £96 for Texel X to av £86.09 a head and a surprising trade.					
1 MATURE SHEEP to £100 (161pkg).					

**PLEASE ENTER YOUR STOCK AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
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**ALL SHEEP MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY
A MARKET ENTRY FORM**