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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

55 Cattle Another short entry of prime cattle selling to a full company of buyers and a sharp trade resulted. Top per kg this week for a Blonde X heifer from E Halsall & Sons, Langham, at 287.5pkg and purchased by Tony Cracknell, Ipswich. The same vendor having 277.5pkg for a Limousin X heifer with another Blonde X at 266.5pkg. Tony Keeling showing Limousin X steers at 276.5 and 266.5pkg with H H Cawston Limousin X steers to 261.5, 259.5, 257.5pkg. R W Coe Limousin X steer to 256.5pkg and 255.5pkg for heifers. J W G Dunt & Sons Charolais X heifers to 255.5pkg. Peppers Farm Partnership showing meated AAX heifer to 256.5pkg and steer to 252.5pkg (2). General run of cattle 230 to 249.5pkg with only 5 below 230pkg and non-traditional breeds again wanted, seeing Devon X heifer to 241.5pkg from Stevens & Sons, Hereford X heifer to 249.5pkg from Stevens & Sons, South Devon X heifer to 232.5pkg from W J & F J Hadley, Belted Galloway to 238.5pkg from Stevens & Sons, Lincoln Red X to 251.5pkg from J W Dunt & Sons, Shorthorn heifer to 233.5pkg from Stevens & Sons. No great weight today with W J & F J Hadley to £1,597.28 for South Devon heifer, E Halsall & Sons to £1,575.50 for Blonde X heifer. H H Cawston to £1,553.33 for Limousin X medium weight steer.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
18 STEERS av 249.19 from 232.5pkg						
8 Light 370-550kg	276.5	249.45	R A Keeling	C J Byford & Son	1,336.37	1,261.92
10 Medium 551-650kg	261.5	249.02	H H Cawston & Son Ltd	H G Blake	1,573.33	1,470.20
33 HEIFERS av 243.01 from 210.5pkg						
9 Light 330-500kg	277.5	238.17	E Halsall & Sons	C J Byford & Son	1,359.75	1,110.16
15 Medium 501-590kg	287.5	248.23	E Halsall & Sons	A Cracknell	1,575.50	1,338.62
9 Heavy 591kg+	249.5	239.15	Stevens & Sons	J Coleman	1,597.28	1,515.44
4 AOTM All grazing cows, many more wanted. Lincoln Red cows to 197.5pkg from Mark & Nicky Cooper.						
4 Beef Cows	197.5	189.88	M F Cooper	W A Ketley & Sons	1,135.86	1,064.26

STORE SALE NEXT WEEK

ENTRIES INCLUDE:

20 SIMMENTAL X STEERS & HEIFERS 15-18 M/O

15 LINCOLN X STEERS & HEIFERS 12-18 M/O

10 AAX NAME SIREDD STEERS 10-12 M/O

9 AAX HEIFERS 12 M/O

MORE INVITED

PLEASE ENSURE ALL CATTLE HAVE TWO EAR TAGS.

YOUR BASIC PAYMENT IS AT RISK IF NOT

S H E E P

686 Sheep A shorter entry with ewes and stores very short. New Season lambs saw a short entry and a stronger trade to 378pkg for standard lambs and heavy lambs to £156, all from Richard Criddle. Hoggets to 305pkg from L Buck, Dereham, for medium hoggs with handyweights regularly 280 to 300pkg. Heavy hoggs a stronger demand, peaking at £152 from Becky Dixon and to 295pkg from Jack Peacock. Other heavy hoggs to £151 from Becky with Jack Peacock run £140 to £148 for a super show of Texel X hoggs. More could be sold to advantage.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
601 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 282.35 all in 275.14pkg and £126.32 a head					
58 Standard 32.1-39kg	297	Jamie Gregory	278.99	116.00	104.00
269 Medium 39.1-45kg	305	L Buck	282.95	134.50	121.72
274 Heavy 45.6 kg+	295	Jack Peacock	270.75	152.00	136.75
40 NEW SEASON LAMBS av SQQ 362.3 all in 349.77pkg					
2 Light 25.5-32kg	373	Richard Criddle	373.00	143.50	143.50
28 Standard 32.1-39kg	378	Richard Criddle	361.60	153.00	148.64
9 Medium 39.1-45kg	328	Richard Criddle	322.62	151.00	156.56
1 Heavy 45.6 kg+	279	Richard Criddle	279.00	156.00	156.00
39 EWES Such a disappointing entry, another fast trade to £147 for Charolais X ewes, Suffolk X ewes to £139, Hampshires to £140, Texel X to 3135, all in average £119.82 including ewes from £45.					
3 RAMS £85 for Herdwicks					
2 STORE LAMBS to £82					
1 MATURE SHEEP to £103 (184pkg)					

**MORE STOCK WANTED
PLEASE ENTER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

**PLEASE ENSURE ALL SHEEP HAVE
ELECTRONIC IDENTIFICATION**