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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

43 Cattle A short bank holiday entry of 40 prime cattle found a strong trade with all buyers short of requirements and more wanted!! Top per kg this week 318.5pkg for a Limousin steer from S J Philp & Sons and purchased by W A Ketley & Sons, the same vendor having Limousin steer to 311.5pkg and heifers to 309.5, 305.5pkg. J B Farms strong Limousin heifer to 314.5pkg (£2,022.24) and steer to 289.5pkg (£2,058.35), Gary Hubert BBX heifers to 302.5, 296.5pkg etc. Adrian Smith back again seeing Limousin steer to 314.5pkg (£2,333.59) with another at 307.5pkg (£2,094.08) and a Limousin heifer also at 307.5pkg (£1,912.65). H P Marriage & Sons BBX heifer to 305.5pkg (£2,010.19) with Simmental steer to 303.5kg (£1,717.81), F J & C Cornish seeing BBX steer to 307.5pkg (£1,995.68) and AAX steer to 283.5pkg (£1,709.51), South Devon heifer to 273.5pkg from J W Chamley & Son, Hereford heifer from Les Carr to 288.5pkg, R J Scarfe & Partners Hereford X steers to 285.5, 282.5pkg etc. Only 1 Jersey X Longhorn below 238.5pkg. Please enter your stock as soon as possible.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
17 STEERS av 289.56pkg from 238.5pkg						
5 Light 370-550kg	318.5	283.45	S J Philp & Sons	W A Ketley & Sons	1,496.05	1,363.94
8 Medium 551-650kg	311.5	293.92	S J Philp & Sons	C J Byford & Son	1,995.68	1,715.76
4 Heavy 651kg+	314.5	287.58	Adrian Smith	Romford Meats	2,333.59	2,045.44
22 HEIFERS av 283.10pkg from 118.5pkg						
8 Light 330-500kg	305.5	276.04	S J Philp & Sons	C J Byford & Son	1,512.50	1,289.46
8 Medium 501-590kg	309.5	280.22	S J Philp & Sons	C J Byford & Son	1,767.25	1,562.25
6 Heavy 591kg+	314.5	293.49	J B Farms	Romford Meats	2,022.24	1,847.55
1 BULL A Hereford bull at 276.5pkg from George Wright Farms (£1,869.14).						
3 AOTM Simmental cow to 194.5pkg and £1,526.83 to av 183.42pkg. Longhorn X heifer to feed 138.5pkg (£663.42).						

NEXT STORE CATTLE SALE
TUESDAY 30 APRIL 2024
ENTRIES NOW INVITED

S H E E P

320 Sheep A desperately short entry totally inadequate and trade fast throughout with a shortage of best quality hoggets, the dearest trade seen resulting. A short entry of Hampshire New Season lambs to £193 a head from A Jones and to 440pkg. More wanted. Hoggets flying with 22 pens over £200 a head, topping at £218 a head from Jamie Gregory (2), Jamie having other pens at £215, £212, £210, £208 etc to av £211.63. Philip Eagle to £215, £210 etc, Mark & Jake Taylor to £213, £203, £201, £200 (7 pens) etc. Medium hoggs to £199 from Philip Eagle, £198 from M R & J Taylor and £190 from W A Ketley & Sons. Standard hoggs to £172 from Mark & Jake Taylor, £169 from Philip Eagle with improved Welsh hoggets to £150 in this classification and to £174 in the mediums. Top per kg saw K M Mack at 464pkg for 40.5kg hoggs in the medium classification. Heavy hoggs to 451pkg from Jamie Gregory with other pens 443, 436, 427pkg etc with over 52kg to 398pkg from P D Eagle. Medium hoggs to 448pkg from M R & J Taylor, 442pkg from Philip Eagle etc. Standard hoggs to 445pkg from Philip Eagle, Mark & Jake Taylor to 441pkg. Thank you to all those who found sheep to enable buyers to support you and us.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
190 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 391.33 all in 393.68pkg					
36 Standard 32.1-39kg	445	P D Eagle	362.55	172	134.44
80 Medium 39.1-45kg	464	K M Mack	402.54	199	172.59
74 Heavy 45.6 kg+	451	Jamie Gregory	398.30	218	205.24
9 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 427.98pkg					
9 Medium 39.1-45kg	440	A W Jones	427.98	193	185.22
115 EWES all in £131.99 for a better quality entry topping at £167 a head for Texel X ewes from Brad Webb with other pens £165 (2), £155 etc. N C Mules to £146, £145 etc. Beulah to £105, Hampshire ewes to £137, £135 etc, Lleyl ewes to £130, Blue Texel to £146, Suffolk ewes to £143. No ewes below £65.					
3 RAMS to £100					
2 STORE LAMBS to £81					
1 MATURE SHEEP to £128 and 213pkg					

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