

SHREWSBURY AUCTION CENTRE**Bowman Way, Battlefield, Shrewsbury, SY4 3DR****Tel: 01743 462 620 Email: market@halls.gb.com****MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY 14TH MAY 2024**

DAIRY (48)	Top Price	£2320H	£2180C
HOGGETS (1050)	Top Price	£214	411ppk Ave:361.32ppk
SPRING LAMBS (591)	Top Price	£210.50	480ppk Ave:435ppk
CALVES (240)	Top Price	£455(B)	£500(H)
CULL EWES AND RAMS (290)	Top Price	£215(E)	£200.50(R)
BARREN COWS/OTM'S (21)	Top Price	£1536.00	or 240ppk

MARKET OPENING TIMES*****GATES ARE OPEN FROM 6.30AM*******AUCTIONEERS CONTACTS****CALVES 10am**

Nick Griffiths 07748 306442

LAMBS/HOGGETS 10am

James Evans – 07581 552 438

DAIRY & BARREN CATTLE 11am

Jonny Dymond 07803 412617

Henry Hyde 07398 137343

STORE CATTLE 10.30am**WEANLINGS 1pm**

Jonny Dymond 07803 412617

STARTING TIMES**LAMBS/ HOGGETS: 10AM****CALVES: 10AM****CULL EWES: TO FOLLOW LAMBS****BARRENS COWS AND BULLS: 11AM****DAIRY: 11.15 AM****WEANLINGS: 12.30- 1PM****STORE CATTLE FORTNIGHTLY****THURSDAY: 10.30AM**

*******IMPORTANT INFORMATION*******

**ALL PASSPORTS ARE TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ENTRY FORM.
ALL DETAILS ON FORM ARE TO BE FILLED IN CORRECTLY.**

48 DAIRY 11.15am

JONNY DYMOND – 07803 412617

Total		Ave (£)	Top (£)	Vendor
13	Freshly Calved Cow	1736.15	£2180.00	A & C Drinkall
27	Freshly Calved Heifer	1780.38	£2320.00	CSA Brassington & Son
3	In Calf Heifer	710.00	£1150.00	JGP Lewis & Co
4	Bulling Heifer	715.00	£750.00	JGP Lewis & Co

13 Fresh Cows £2180 ave £1736

29 Fresh Heifers to £2320 ave £1780

4 Bulling Heifers to £750 ave £715

STAND ON STAND ON STAND ON!! Trade again as strong and level as we have become used to over the last few months, with new vendors enjoying the fantastic facilities and services with new buyers enjoying the fantastic quality of the dairy cattle on sale here at Shrewsbury.

Leading prices today at £2320 for a milk machine for **CRACKING PEPPER KITTY 4** from CSA Brassington, this powerhouse was giving 36kg of milk! She was closely following by 3 heifers from 3 different vendors at £2300! The first of these was **CLINGRE TWITCH BELLE** giving 28kg from Paul Knight of Leicestershire Second was Local supporter Mark Hughes' **PIMHILL TROPIC CLOVER 4**, and the 3rd and final heifer at the money was **MELDAMAR DARWIN RUTH 169** from JM & D Shepherd & Son of Bakewell. 2 other Meldamar heifers today returned at £2280 and £2250. Congratulations to Paul Knight, making the journey with his team of 4 today all selling for £2150 or more.

Fresh cows were once again topped by Alastair Drinkall, who really is selling some exceptional stock each week his 5th calved commercial Holstein cow today soaring to £2180. A Brown Swiss cross from the same home £2100. Pedigree Cows topped at £2100 for **CRACKING IMPRESSION SUE** again from CSA Brassington giving 38kg. A 3rd calf Brown Swiss cow from H Davies of Puddington achieved £2050. Heavy milking mature cows from J Morris & Sons sold to £1720 for a daughter of Hawksmoor Blaze.

In all of 42 fresh calved animals today sold in excess of £2000 with prices starting from £600 and averages at £1750 all through the milkers are certainly waited at Shrewsbury.

In Calf heifers to £1150 and Bulling Heifers to £750(2) for JGP Lewis & Co of Aberystwyth.

MORE MILKERS NEEDED FOR NEXT WEEKS SALE PLEASE, JANE IS ON HOLIDAY SO PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE 01743 462620 OR JONNY 07803 412617

21 BARREN COWS/CLEAN: 11am

Henry Hyde – 07389 137343

Breed	PPK	Price	Vendor
AA x	240ppk	£1536.00	D & P Nicholas
W/Blac	195ppk	£1470.30	E Davies
Frie	223ppk	£1458.42	D & P Nicholas
Frie	218ppk	£1355.96	D & P Nicholas
Frie	183ppk	£1222.44	SE Roberts
Char x	190ppk	£1170.40	F karle
Frie	155ppk	£1078.80	P & SJ Morgan
BB x	179ppk	£1056.10	CW Hamer
Frie	146ppk	£1045.36	Darlington Farms
Lim x	158ppk	£1017.52	DW Roberts

A delightful entry of cattle this week, with 3 x belting big clean heifers in as well, plenty of power in the job with a ringside of people and buyers, both killing men and farmers looking to feed. Older cows topped at 195ppk / £1,470 for an 8yr old Welsh Black from E. Davies, Lane Farm followed by a 5yr old Charolais Cow from F. Karle, Firs Farm to 190ppk / £1,170. A good run of Friesian cows all making from 144ppk to 185ppk / £813 to £1,222 including

one from S. E. Roberts, Beechfield Farm to 183ppk / £1,222.44. Some strong British Blue Cows from C. W. Hamer, Manor Avon Grimmer at 179ppk / £1,056.10 followed by another Blue from T. R. Jones, Maescelynog to 174ppk / £932.64.

The three clean young cattle topped at 240ppk / £1,536 for a 24month old Angus Heifer followed by 223ppk / £1,458.42 for a 26month old Friesian and then another 26month old Friesian to 218ppk / £1,355.96 all from N & P Nicholas, Hollins Farm.

Thank you to all buyers and vendors.

240 CALVES 10AM

NICK GRIFFITHS-07748 306442/ BEN DUTTON 07984 363287

Breed	Bulls			Heifers		
	No	Ave	Top	No	Ave	Top
Frie	17	65.76	£252.00			
BB x	57	330.05	£408.00	51	273.10	£384.00
AA x	21	142.57	£330.00	21	168.00	£500.00
Wag	6	82.00	£108.00	2	60.00	£60.00
Stab	4	42.75	£58.00			
Hfd x	17	177.94	£455.00	20	127.00	£265.00
Sim x	1	270.00	£270.00	1	168.00	£168.00
Lim x	6	278.50	£306.00	6	249.33	£360.00

for a good run from DL Campbell while Hereford bulls sold to £260 for the best from Helen Stubbs. Angus bulls sold to £330 from Oakley Farming and again at £310 while the usual quality from CT Pain sold to £308. A good run of calves from Harold Davies & Partners saw their Sim bulls to £270 and Blue Bulls to £330. Friesians just as good as ever with the strong sorts even dearer with well grown sorts to £252 with anything with strength £120+

Heifers just as sharp and some this week. Young Blue females to £384 from Bowdler Farms while a corking Blue from Helen Stubbs to £370. There were 8 Blue heifers over £320 with 51 on offer averaging £273. Herefords again looking a good price with the usual top quality from Emmott & Sons to £265, and similar heifers to £250 from FG & AM Windsor. Limousin heifers sold to £360 from T & D Jones and averaged £250 with a nice black sort from Jim Corfield to £300.

A small run of reared sorts on offer sold to a high of £500 for a nice packet of 4 Angus heifers from David Brassington, with nice Red Hereford Bulls to £455 from JA Roberts.

Overall, all grades and proper trade, plenty of demand from top to bottom, with the top end seeing the biggest lift in trade this week. If you are looking for quality blue calves there was a good selection here today.

If you are looking to buy or sell, please do get in touch with the team to see how we can assist you.

******8 Week NON-Slaughter Declarations**** NO FORM NO DECLARATION**

In the interest of protecting your milk contract, Vendors are responsible for declaring their calves individually as not for slaughter, every week the auctioneer will declare at the point of sale and on invoice to our trusted buyers. Halls Holdings Ltd cannot be held responsible for the calf once it leaves the market where the onus transfers to the purchaser.

591 SPRING LAMBS (to be sold before Hogs)

JAMES EVANS 07581 552438

Lambs	Ave P/Kg	Top Ave	Vendor	Top Per Hd	Vendor
17-25kgs	279.10ppk	304ppk	CG Harris & Son	£76.00	CG Harris & Son
25.5- 32kgs	403.23ppk	403ppk	James A Davies	£125.00	James A Davies
32.1 -39kgs	439.06ppk	480ppk	Ward Partners	£182.50	Ward Partners
39.1- 45.5kgs	440.93ppk	470ppk	IT Manning & Partners	£197.00	JK & LJ Bithell
45.6- 52kgs	408.20ppk	426ppk	A Cockayne	£210.50	C Whitticase
52+ kgs	347.71PPK	374PPK	AR Conde & Sons	£202.00	AR Conde & Sons
Overall	435.11ppk				
SQQ	441ppk				

591 Spring Lambs to 480ppk / £210 Average 440ppk / £176

A terrific entry of Lambs forward this week, plenty of scope and shape had from all over. A lot of lambs from 39kg's to 45kg's topping at 470ppk from I. T. Manning and Partners, Wallington Farm and to £197 from Pear Tree Farms. Trade remained as robust throughout the day, just less of those 32-39kg's lambs that're hitting the top prices of 480ppk / £182.50.

Lights 25.5 – 32kg's

Not many light lambs about but still seeing the heights of 435ppk / £137 from M. J. Griffiths, Wheathouse Farm.

Standards 32 – 39kg's

A lot more of these lambs available and best sold, topping at 480ppk / £182.50 from Ward Partners, Ashford Grange.

Mediums 39.5 – 45kg's

Highest number of lambs in the weight range topping at 470ppk from I. T. Manning and Partners, Wallington Farm and to £197 from Pear Tree Farming.

Heavies 45.5 – 52kg's

Not many heavies in topping at 426ppk from A. Cockayne, Springs Cottage and to £210.50 from C. Whitticase and Son, Glanywern Farm.

Overweight's 52+kg's

Few Overweight lambs topping at 374ppk / £202 from A. R. Conde and Sons, The Mount Farm.

More Lambs needed each week as the hogs start to lessen this time of year, as with every year, weight is the key, 32 – 40kgs being the ideal weight.

Thank you to all our buyers and vendors.

1050 PRIME HOGGETS

JAMES EVANS: 07581 552438

Lambs	Ave P/Kg	Vendor	Top Per Hd	Vendor
25.5- 32kgs	299.33ppk	AS Rogers	£97.50	AS Rogers
32.1 -39kgs	354.56ppk	JN & CG & S Campbell	£156.00	JN & CG & S Campbell
39.1- 45.5kgs	363.78ppk	P Williams & Son	£178.00	DE Morgan & Son
45.6- 52kgs	372.83ppk	P Hughes	£196.00	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
52+ kgs	339.46ppk	GA Meredith	£214.00	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
Overall	361.32ppk			
SQQ	360.51ppk			

1,052 Prime Hogs to 411ppk / £214 Average 361ppk / £169

Hoggs are just starting to lessen in numbers now as the spring lambs take precedent and the last of farmers hoggs dry up but still a good trade in line with national trends. Best pence per kilo hoggs being the lighter 32.5 – 39kg's hoggs topping at 411ppk / £156 from J. N. & C. G. & S. Campbell, Merrishaw Farm. Overweight's topping at £214 from Lythwood Farming Ltd.

Lights 25.5 – 32kg's

Very few light hoggs about topping at 320ppk / £97.50 from E. C. and J. A. Rogers, Alstone Hall Farm.

Standards 32 – 39kg's

A good number of standards on show hitting the top pence per kilo of the day at 411ppk / £156 from J. N. & C. G. & S. Campbell, Merrishaw Farm.

Mediums 39.5 – 45kg's

High number of Medium weights forward being the second best pence per kilo of they day topping at 402ppk from P. Williams and Sons, Rhiwsaeth and to £178 from D. E. Morgan and Son, Brynelen.

Heavies 45.5 – 52kg's

Highest number of hoggs in the market, topping at 386ppk from P. Hughes, Betton Alkmere and to £196 from Lythwood Farms Ltd.

Overweight's 52+kg's

A good number of overweight's available topping at 370ppk from G. A. Meredith, Yew Tree and to £214 from Lythwood Farms Ltd.

Hoggs SQQ Average 361.5ppk and £169 per head. Now is the time to sell any hoggs left at home.

Lambs 25.5-32		
£97.50	320ppk	AS Rogers
£59.00	211ppk	AE & HR Stubbs

Lambs 32.1 39		
£156.00	411ppk	JN & CG & S Campbell
£148.00	389ppk	A Gwilliam & Son
£145.00	382ppk	GM Brown
£144.00	389ppk	BTG Brookes
£138.00	363ppk	JN & CG & S Campbell

Lambs 39.1- 45.5		
£178.00	396ppk	DE Morgan & Son
£177.00	389ppk	GA Meredith
£176.00	391ppk	James AS Davies
£175.00	385ppk	GA Meredith
£173.00	402ppk	P Williams & Son

Lambs 45.6-52		
£196.00	384ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
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£194.00	377ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
£192.50	381ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
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Lambs 52+		
£214.00	319ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
£210.00	328ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
£210.00	356ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
£209.00	348ppk	Lythwood Sheep Ltd
£207.50	358ppk	GA Meredith

NOTICE TO PRIMESTOCK VENDORS

Due to the continuous increase in values of Primestock, abattoirs are demanding that the highest welfare standards be upheld. Sheep must be “fit to sell” in the market and be fit for human consumption. Any Whole or Part of a carcass which is condemned is the responsibility of vendor and any deduction will be taken from your sale proceeds.

The Welfare of Animals in Markets Order 1990 states in order to be sold stock must not show any signs of being Diseased, Ill, Injured or Infirm. Anything that does not meet the standards will not be offered for sale and instead returned to its holding or origin.

Halls are proud of the quality of the stock within its markets and committed to upholding high welfare standards. Thank you for your support with this!

If you have any questions, please contact Jonny Dymond 07803 412617.

CULL EWES AND RAMS: To Follow Lambs

JAMES EVANS:07581 552438

Ewes Top Price	Vendor	Ram Top Prices	Vendor
£215.00	CV Whitticase	£200.50	PW Poole
£211.00	JH Jones & Son	£191.00	RD & CC Forsythe
£199.00	V & J Properties Ltd	£185.00	JN & CG & S Campbell
£195.00	SM Baylis		
£193.00	J & AM Wild		
£190.00	JH Jones & Son		
£190.00	IT Manning & Partners		
£190.00	RD & CC Forsythe		
£190.00	SL Titley		
£189.00	JH Jones & Son		

Another sturdy entry of ewes this week with numbers staying the same each week with the quality ever increasing with not many low-quality ewes about. Some good runs of ewes from local farms topping the day at £215 for a pen of 3 great big ewes from Mrs C. V. Whitticase, Glanywern Farm with

plenty of meat on them followed by a run of ewes from Messrs J. H. Jones and Son, Bayston Farm at £211 and then £199 for a single ewe from V & J Properties Ltd, Westfield House.

Ewes Average £159. Another week with a small entry of rams forward creating some strong demand for them, topping at £200.50 for a single Suffolk ram from Mr P. W. Poole, Beaconsfield.

Rams Average £192. Thank you to all buyers and vendors.

****** IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL VENDORS ******

VETERINARY ATTESTATION NUMBER (VAN) From the 13th December 2023 the European Union will not accept ANY part of a Carcass or Offal from UK livestock producers unless that have a Veterinary Attestation Number, this is relevant for Cattle, Sheep, Pigs, Chickens and any other livestock in the UK.

IF YOU ARE FARM ASSURED your stock is considered to meet the requirements for export and you can ignore the rest of this statement.

IF YOU ARE NOT FARM ASSURED, please contact your Vets about getting a number.

While your stock can be sold at the market with or without a VAN Halls **STRONGLY ADVISE** getting one. The process from our experience is based on the health and well-being of your livestock, rather than paperwork. **OUR BUYERS**

REQUESTING THIS! The meat industry is complex and when we trade in a world market ticking this box will be financially beneficial to you

FORTHCOMING SALE FIXTURES



SALE OF WEANLINGS & COWS & CALVES

TUESDAY 21st MAY 2024

Entries now being taken

SALE OF TB RESTRICTED "ORANGE" CATTLE

WEDNESDAY 22ND MAY 2024

SALE OF HAMPSHIRE DOWN SHEEP

SATURDAY 25TH MAY 2024

SHREWSBURY DAIRY SHOW & SALE

TUESDAY 28TH MAY 2024

Entries Welcome

SALE OF STORE CATTLE/ BREEDING EWES

THURSDAY 30TH MAY 2024

SALE TO COMMENCE 10.30AM

Entries invited

BISHOPS CASTLE MARKET SALE OF STORE CATTLE & COWS & CALVES

THURSDAY 6TH JUNE 2024

Store Cattle to Commence at 10.30

To be followed by

A Genuine Reduction Sale of Stabiliser Cattle on Behalf of The Plowden Farm Partnership, Myndtown House, Bishops Castle.

to include:

30 Autumn Calving Cows (Various ages) with Calves at Foot

10 Spring Calving Cows (Various ages) with Calves at Foot

10 Spring Calving Heifers with Calves at Foot

3 Bulling Heifers

Premium Health Scheme Member

Further information - JFE - 07581 552438

Upcoming Dates for Shrewsbury Plant and Machinery Sales for 2024

Friday 7th June Catalogue Closes Monday 27th May

Friday 16th August Catalogue Closes Monday 5th August

Friday 11th October Catalogue Closes Monday 30th September

Friday 6th December Catalogue Closes Monday 25th November

ENTRIES MUST BE IN TO THE OFFICE BY THE CLOSING DATE TO BE PRINTED IN THE CATALOGUE. AFTER THAT DATE, ANY ENTRIES ARE BOOKED IN ON ARRIVAL AT THE SITE.