



SHREWSBURY AUCTION CENTRE

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MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY 21ST JANUARY 2025



DAIRY (29)	Top Price	£2680H	£2550c	
PRIME HOGGETTS (590)	Top Price	£200.00	or 361pp	Ave:322ppk
CALVES (148)	Top Price	£580(B)	£470 (H)	
CULL EWES AND RAMS (205)	Top Price	£204(E)	£160.50(R)	
BARREN COWS/OTM'S (8)	Top Price	£1991.76	or 258ppk	
STORE SHEEP (139)	Top Price	£140.00		
WEANLINGS (208)	Top Price	£2900 c/c	£1390 s	£1160 h £950 b £1900 ic/c
		£2800 B/b		

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 12.30pm

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.**

29 DAIRY 11.15am

JONNY DYMOND – 07803 412617

Total		Ave (£)	Top (£)	Vendor
9	Freshly Calved Cow	2142.22	2550.00	PD & RL Fenton
17	Freshly Calved Heifer	2307.65	£2680.00	WA Jones & Son
3	Dairy Calf	246.67	£300.00	TA Wainwright & Son

9 Fresh Cows to £2550 ave £2142

17 Fresh Heifers to £2680 ave £2307

A SMALLER ENTRY this week ahead of the show and sale met a very strong trade throughout with the averages being the highest ever but not the £2800+ we have enjoyed every week this January.... Undoubtedly some customers looking to the show and sale along with the dispersal sale next week!!

Topping the Heifer section was WA Jones & Son, they seem to manage it just about every week at the moment, with FENNSHALL ARENA PAPOOSE who was giving 33kg and sold for £2680. FENNSHALL ARENA SALLY was next in the prices at £2650. Great to have Andrew from PB Sutton & Partners, Warwickshire with us again and the result was the 8-day calved HURCOTT KINGMAKER LUCY selling for £2520. H Davies and Partners sold a Mammoth Fleckveih x Heifer to £2500. A smart sort from Burnie and Jude Cambridge, £2450, the same price achieved by a beautiful sweet Heifer NEWROCK SIZZLER BLACKBIRD from Malcolm Trevor Jones

The top of the cows at £2550 was a very correct 2nd calver **CHOLMONDLEY MEDLEY ASTRA** presented by Paul and Becky Fenton, commercial milking cows from Alastair Drinkall achieved £2380 for 2nd Calvers £2300 for 4th Calvers.

A trio of Heifer calves born 12 December from TA Wainwright and Son by Shuruer Dairus sold for £300(2)

NEXT WEEK, SHOW AND SALE OF 50+ FRESH CALVES COWS AND HEIFERS, PLUS THE DISPERSAL OF 157 AUTUMN CALVED COWS AND HEIFERS FROM GLI AND EM LEWIS, FRANKTON HALL. IN ALL 200+ DAIRY CATTLE IN SHREWSBURY BETTER QUALITY YOU WILL NOT FIND ANYWHERE!! A SALE NOT TO BE MISSED

8 BARRENS 11.00am
HENRY HYDE- 07398 137343

Breed	PPK	Price	Vendor
Frie	258ppk	£1991.76	M & JC Gould
Hfd x	237ppk	£1839.12	B Elkin
BB x	229ppk	£1612.16	SJ & MA Palmer
Frie	223ppk	£1520.86	M & JC Gould
AA x	259ppk	£1274.28	B Elkin
Hfd x	218ppk	£1246.96	P & E Williams
Hfd x	200ppk	£1220.00	B Elkin
BB x	200ppk	£1100.00	B Elkin

A Fantastic Day had at Shrewsbury with the Barren Cow Section on Fire!!

A small entry of quality heavy barren cows forward with nothing under 500kg's present and all cows averaging 228ppk / £1,475 but Angus Cows topping at 259ppk!!!

The Biggest Cows being the Best

Money, Tops of the trade were a 33month old Friesian at 258ppk / £1,991.76. A 4yr old Hereford Cow to 237ppk / £1,839.12 and an 8yr old British Blue X Cow to 229ppk / £1,612.16.

Make the most of this Fantastic Trade and get your old cows sold in Shrewsbury, making the most of our new commission rate of £20 per head.

Any Entries or Queries please call Henry Hyde on 07398 137343

148 CALVES 10AM
NICK GRIFFITHS-07748 306442/ BEN DUTTON 07984 363287

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Breed	Bulls			Heifers		
	No	Ave	Top	No	Ave	Top
Frie	4	286.25	455.00			
BB x	48	353.50	580.00	27	310.30	£470.00
AA x	20	298.00	444.00	15	269.60	£400.00
Mri	3	18.00	120.00			
Hfd x	12	297.25	485.00	11	212.73	£460.00
Sim x	1	380.00	380.00			
Lim x	3	340.33	370.00	3	325.67	£345.00

Numbers tight this week with just under 150 forward selling to a phenomenal trade. Young fresh blue bulls to £495 from R Bowdler Ltd, with several blue bulls to £400.

Strong reared blue bulls to £580 with reared 3mo Hereford bulls to £485. The best of the reared Friesians to £455 from ME & GE Lloyd. The figures speak for themselves with 48 blue bulls averaging

£353 with 20 Angus bulls to average £298.

Hereford bulls just as dear averaging £297 with Simmentals to £380 and Limousins to £370.

Blue Heifers followed in similar fashion topping at £470 from HP Price with Herefords to £460 from MR Powell. A good run of Angus from JF & LV Corfield topped at £400 with all Angus Heifers averaging £270. Hereford Heifers even averaged £212 including some very small types.

Overall, calves simply off the clock, but they still look the cheapest way into the beef industry. If you are looking to buy or sell calves, please do get in touch to see how we can help 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.

590 PRIME HOGGETTS
JAMES EVANS 07581 552438

Lambs	Ave P/Kg	Top Ave	Vendor	Top Per Hd	Vendor
25.5– 32kgs	294.66ppk	323ppk	J Hotchkiss & Son	£98.50	J Hotchkiss & Son
32.1 -39kgs	335.94ppk	361ppk	MRM Matthews & Co	£138.00	AG & RJ Price & Son
39.1- 45.5kgs	324.02ppk	349ppk	DE & RM Williams	£146.00	G Norris
45.6- 52kgs	315.40ppk	337ppk	JB Joseph	£168.50	CJ & HM Evans
52+ kgs	304.18ppk	326ppk	C Stokes & Son	£200.00	A Whiston
Overall	322ppk				
SQQ	328ppk				

The sale of 590 prime hogs at Shrewsbury Auction Centre this week reflected a stronger trade compared to last week's entry of 774 hogs. Despite a reduced overall entry, the market saw significant improvements across most weight categories, with an overall average of 327p/kg and an SQQ of 330p/kg, up on last week's figures of 325p/kg and 324p/kg, respectively. Buyers were keen to secure well-finished hogs and competitive bidding was observed throughout the day.

Demand for lightweight hogs remains limited, with just 11 hogs in the 25.5–32 kg category. This week's average of 296p/kg and a top of 323p/kg by J Hotchkiss & Son marked improvement on last week's single lightweight entry, which averaged 279p/kg. The top price per head of £98.50 highlighted that quality stock in this range still attracts a premium, encouraging vendors to bring forward well-finished light lambs.

Standard-weight hogs (32.1–39 kg) saw vibrant competition this week, with 171 forward achieving an impressive average of 337p/kg. This marks a significant rise from last week's average of 306p/kg, underscoring the growing demand for well-finished hogs in this weight range. The top price per kilo was 361p, secured by MRM Mathews & Co., demonstrating the strong premiums available for quality entries. AG & RJ Price claimed the top price per head at £138, reflecting the robust bidding for hogs with exceptional conformation and finish. Notably, six pens exceeded £130 per head this week, while five surpassed 350p/kg, highlighting the renewed appetite among buyers for superior stock. Compared to last week's steadier trade in this category, the competition was markedly more intense, encouraging vendors to continue presenting hogs in prime condition to capitalise on the buoyant demand.

Medium-weight hogs (39.1–45.5 kg) continued to dominate the sale as the largest section, with 237 forwards averaging 325p/kg. While the average was steady compared to last week, the category experienced increased competition at the top end, with DE & RM Williams achieving the highest price per kilo at 349p and EG Norris securing the top price per head at £146. This week, four pens exceeded £145 per head, nine broke the £143 mark, and four surpassed the 340p/kg threshold. The consistently high prices for medium weights demonstrate the ongoing preference for this category among buyers, who remain willing to pay premiums for hogs exhibiting excellent conformation. Compared to last week, the stronger top prices reflect a resilient market, with buyers competing for the best-quality entries. Vendors are reminded that maintaining a high standard of finish is crucial to achieving top-end results.

Heavyweight hogs (45.6–52 kg) saw 109 entries forward, averaging 316p/kg, representing a slight dip from last week's average of 328p/kg. Despite the lower average, the top-end trade remained robust, with JB Joseph achieving the highest price per kilo at 337p and CJ & HM Evans securing the top price per head at £168.50. Six pens exceeded £160 per head, compared to last week's strong showing of 10 pens surpassing 330p/kg.

While demand for heavyweights was steady overall, buyers were noticeably selective, rewarding hogs with excellent finish and penalising leaner or less fleshed entries. This selectivity underscores the importance of presenting well-finished heavy hogs to maximise returns, as buyers prioritise quality over quantity in this weight range.

Super-heavyweight hogs (52+ kg) achieved an average of 306p/kg for the 58 forward, slightly down from last week's 315p/kg. However, quality entries still commanded high prices, with C Stokes & Son topping at 326p/kg and A Whiston achieving the highest per-head price of £200. Two pens exceeded £190, with eight breaking the £175 mark, maintaining a solid trade for this category.

This sale demonstrated stronger demand for standard and medium-weight hogs compared to last week, with premiums available for top-quality entries. Vendors are encouraged to present well-finished hogs, as buyers remain highly competitive for first-class stock. The market continues to reward conformation and finish, with several pens achieving significant premiums.

The next prime hogs sale will be held at Shrewsbury Auction Centre on Monday, 28th January 2025. Vendors are reminded that demand remains robust, and additional entries are welcomed to satisfy the strong buyer interest observed in recent weeks. For further details or to book your stock, contact James Evans on 07581 552438.

*****SHEEP LICENCES*****

ALL SHEEP LICENCES MUST BE FILLED OUT CORRECTLY.

WE ARE HAVING A LOT OF LICENCES NOT BEING FILLED IN CORRECTLY,

NUMBER OF SHEEP MISSING, CULL EWES NOT BEING ON SHEET, MISSING HOLDING NUMBERS ETC.

PLEASE MAKE SURE THIS IS DONE BEFORE HANDING IN YOUR LICENCE

Lambs 25.5-32		
£98.50	323ppk	J Hotchkiss & Son
£82.00	298ppk	J Hotchkiss & Son
£81.50	255ppk	CCS Livestock

Lambs 32.1-39		
£138.00	358ppk	AG & RJ Price & Son
£137.00	361ppk	MRM Matthews Co
£137.00	356ppk	Jn Butler
£136.50	355ppk	JN Butler
£134.00	344ppk	Harper Adams

Lambs 39.1- 45.5		
£146.00	324ppk	EG Norris
£145.50	338ppk	MRM Matthews
£145.00	319ppk	F & MA Shingler & Sons
£145.00	322ppk	DE & RM Williams
£144.50	332ppk	L Case

Lambs 45.6-52		
£168.50	324ppk	CJ & HM Evans
£165.00	317ppk	G Curd
£162.00	324ppk	MRM Matthews
£161.00	322ppk	F & MA Shingler
£160.00	308ppk	C Stokes & Son

Lambs 52+		
£200.00	303ppk	A Whiston
£194.00	294ppk	MRM Matthews
£179.50	299ppk	CJ & HM Evans
£179.50	299ppk	CJ & HM Evans
£177.00	305ppk	C Stokes & Son

NOTICE TO PRIMESTOCK VENDOR

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.

205 CULL EWES AND RAMS: To Follow Lambs

TOM JERMAN :07948 080906

Ewes Top Price	Vendor	Ram Top Prices	Vendor
£204.00	A Whiston	£160.50	CJ & HM Evans
£175.00	FW Downes & Son	£154.00	P James
£170.00	CCS Livestock	£130.00	C Stokes & Son
£169.00	AF Jones		
£166.00	IT Manning & Partners		
£163.50	FW Downes & Son		
£160.00	IT Manning & Partners		
£159.50	Murray Robers & Co		
£158.00	BT & SA Hinks & Sons		
£150.00	IT Manning & Partners		

The sale of 197 cull ewes and 8 cull rams at Shrewsbury Auction Centre on 21st January maintained the strong trade seen in recent weeks despite a slightly leaner overall show than last week's exceptional entry. Ewes averaged £115 per head, reflecting the larger proportion of leaner and plainer ewes forward this week compared to the

higher-quality show on 14th January, which averaged an impressive £145. Nevertheless, any ewe with size, weight, and meat continued to attract robust buyer competition, achieving consistently strong prices. The top price for ewes was £204, achieved by A Whiston, for a pen of well-fleshed Texel ewes. While this was below last week's record-setting £270 for Pure Texels from SP & CP Williams, it remains a strong result and demonstrates the continued appetite for heavyweight, well-meated types. This week's Other notable prices included £175 for Suffolk crosses from FW Downes & Son and £169 from CCS Livestock, highlighting that the best ewes continue to command excellent prices. As seen last week, good meat Welsh Mules held firm, selling in the range of £120-£135, while the very best Texel ewes comfortably exceeded £160, with several reaching over £200.

The ram section saw an entry of 8 cull rams, an increase on last week's 7, and averaged £115, marginally lower than last week's £143. However, demand for strong, well-framed rams remained evident. The top price of £160.50 was achieved by CJ & HM Evans, slightly down from last week's £205 achieved by R Bowdler LTD. Other strong prices this week included £154 for a ram from PJ Heeley and £130 for one from C Stokes & Son. While the trade for rams was steadier than last week's premium, buyers remain keen for quality stock, and additional entries are sought for the coming weeks.

The sale reflected a robust yet slightly steadier trade compared to the standout figures of the 14th January sale. Last week's exceptional demand for heavyweight and well-meated ewes set a high bar, but this week's results highlight the sustained buyer interest across all classes of ewes and rams. Plainer and leaner ewes still found a fair trade as buyers continued to secure stock for slaughter and grazing purposes. Vendors are reminded that quality pays, as demonstrated by the heavy, well-finished stock premiums. With demand showing no signs of slowing, more entries are needed for next week's sale to meet buyer requirements. Vendors are encouraged to bring forward additional stock, particularly heavyweight and well-finished types, to capitalise on the ongoing strong trade.

For further information or to book entries for next week, contact James F Evans on 07581 552438 or Tom Jerman on 07948 080906.

***** 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

139 STORE SHEEP
JAMES EVANS 07581 552438

Store Lambs	Vendor	Breed Ewes	Vendor	Ewe Lambs	Vendor
£140.00	JW Ellis O Ellis				
£137.00	WG Bright & Son				
£117.00	KF Robinson				
£117.00	WG Bright & Son				
£116.00	KF Robinson				
£115.50	JA Roberts & Son				
£111.00	Shropshire & Jones				
£110.00	GR Roberts				

The sale of 136 store lambs at Shrewsbury Auction Centre on 21st January demonstrated strong and growing demand, building on the positive momentum seen in last week's trade. This week's lambs averaged an impressive £102 per head, significantly up from last week's average of £100.50. The top price per head of £140, achieved by JW & O Ellis & Son, highlighted the premium buyers are willing to pay for top-quality, well-framed lambs. By comparison, last week's top price was £126, underscoring the increased demand and competition for heavier, better-finished stock this week. Other leading prices this week included £137 for a pen of mixed and clean lambs from WG Bright and £117 for a pen of tups from KF Robinson, both surpassing last week's second-highest prices. The strength of the trade was evident across the board, with WG Bright & Son achieving another £117 for a pen of mixed and clean lambs and KF Robinson securing £116 for a pen of tups. JA Roberts & Son followed closely with £115.50 for a pen of tups, showing that lambs of all types and finishes attract strong bidding.

The trade mirrored last week's active demand, with buyers eager to secure short- and long-term store lambs. However, with a larger entry this week, the variety and quantity of lambs offered gave buyers more opportunities to fill their orders, though several still went home with incomplete loads. As was the case last week, demand continues to outstrip supply, with over 400 lambs easily saleable today.

The store lamb market at Shrewsbury remains one of the most competitive in the region, providing exceptional returns for vendors presenting well-finished lambs. The increased averages and stronger top prices compared to last week further highlight the resilience of this trade, particularly for larger-framed lambs with strong conformation.

Vendors are strongly encouraged to capitalise on this outstanding trade while demand remains high. Buyers remain present for all lambs, from short-term finishers to long-term grazing stock. For more information or to enter lambs for next week's sale, contact Tom Jerman on 07948 080906.

208 WEANLINGS & YOUNG STORES: 12.30- 1pm

AUCTIONEER: JONNY DYMOND

Bulls to £950 Steers to £1390 Heifers to £1160 Breeding Bull £2800 Cows & Calves £2900

Breed	Steers	Vendor	Heifers	Vendor	Bull	Vendor
Frie	£450.00	DP Manning & Co	£		£360.00	RJ & BJ George
Blnd	£1390.00	SA & EA Ackerley	£1040.00	SA & EA Ackerley	£	
BB x	£1060.00	B Elkin	£1150.00	WG Bebbington	£850.00	R & J Hill & Son
Jer			£470.00	DP Manning & Co		
B/Sh			£640.00	DP Manning & Co		
AA x	£1120.00	ET Tomlinson	£950.00	PJ & EJ Beecroft	£680.00	ET Tomlinson & Son
MRI			£450.00	ET & P Shingler		
Hfd x	£1040.00	J Watts	£890.00	GR & DG Jones	£	
Char x	£1240.00	B Elkin	£		£	
Sim x	£1140.00	R & J Hill & Son	£870.00	HP Price & Sons	£950.00	HP Price & Sons
Lim x	£790.00	BD & MA Price	£1160.00	WJ Roberts & Co	£690.00	DW David & Sons

Dispersal of Cows and Calves, In calf Cows and Stock Bull from B & M Elkin

In a repeat of the Apley Dispersal at the weekend the trade for beef breeding stock needs to be seen to be believed!! Twice the cow and calf trade peaked at £2900, firstly for a 5-year-Old Pedigree Simmental cow with 26-day old Charolais Bull Calf at foot, the same good price achieved by a 3yo Pedigree Blue heifer with 30-day old Charolais Heifer calf at foot. A British Blue x Heifer with Charolais bull calf achieved £2600. Hereford cows and Calves to £2200 while a Saler cow with 6mo Heifer calf not back in calf sold for £2050!!

Onward to his in-calf cows, these peaked at £1900 for 5-year-old Simmental Cow 7 months in calf, other Simmentals at £1850, £1800. Stabilisers to £1750.... rampant demand!! The pure Charolais stock bull just coming 3 years old achieved £2800!

Weanlings and Young Stores

In my old age I will reminisce about selling cattle in January 2025, the year when everything you thought you knew was proven wrong in the most wonderful way possible!! Just get them tested and get them to the auction, preferably Shrewsbury of course but whoever and wherever you are just know that they cannot be valued on farm in times like this!!

7mo Dairy bred Simmental Bulls from HP Price, first in the ring £950!! 10mo British Blues £850 for RJ Hill, Limousin 7mo from DW David £690, angus 12mo from ET Tomlinson £680.... all the above dairy bred!!

Bullocks were just wonderful to sell, topped at £1390 for a pair of 8mo Blonde steers from SA & EA Ackerley, 7-month-old Charolais steers to £1240 for B & M Elkin, 10mo Simmental Steers from RJ Hill £1140. A wonderful pen of 10/11mo red Hereford steers from J Watts impressively sold for £1040, 10mo Angus steers to £1010 for S Heeley, 7-8-month Dairy Bred Angus 10mo from RF Ainsworth £960(2) from ET Tomlinson Loughborough £760 (8)!!

Heifers just as crackers as the steers 12mo Blues for WG Bebbington £1150, a 10mo Heifer from PJ & EJ Beecroft £1140, who sold a pen of beautiful 7mo blue heifers to £920. Blondes to £1040 for SA & EA Ackerley 8mo, a sweet 7mo Limousin Heifer or DW David £900, 7mo Simmental Heifers £870 for HP Price & Sons, 8mo Hereford heifers or J Watts £780.

Just weaning Angus 2/3mo £430 for ET Tomlinson A white 2mo Holstein from this home £260!!, **MORE OF THESE YOUNG WEANLINGS WANTED.... MORE OF EVERYTHING WANTED.... I THINK I COULD HAVE SOLD 1000 NO TROUBLE AT ALL!**

FORTHCOMING SALE FIXTURE

SHOW & SALE OF DAIRY CATTLE

Tuesday 28th JANUARY 2025

Entries now being taken

DISPERSAL SALE OF DAIRY CATTLE

Tuesday 28th January 2025

PLEASE SEE ADVERT BELOW

SALE OF STORE CATTLE & YOUNG STORES

THURSDAY 30TH JANUARY 2025

Entries now being taken

SALE OF WEANLINGS & COWS & CALVES/YOUNG STORES

Tuesday 4th FEBRUARY 2025

Entries now being taken

SALE OF TB RESTRICTED 'ORANGE' CATTLE

WEDNESDAY 5TH FEBRUARY 2025

Entries now being taken

SHREWSBURY PLANT & MACHINERY SALE

FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY 2025

Entries now being taken

3 COLLIE PUPS FOR SALE (Church Stretton)

Out of Working Parents

Contact: Jim 07747 653910

APLEY SUCKLER HERD DISPERSAL REPORT 18th January 2025

WE MOVE DEEP INTO UNCHARTED TERRITORY!!

Halls were delighted to be favoured with instructions from the Apley Estate, Norton, Shifnal to disperse their commercial suckler herd at Apley Home Farm on Saturday 18th January. The Herd comprise 164 Head on the sale day, being 2 Cows and Calves 156 In Calf Cows and 4 Stock Bulls.

There was a lot of presale interest most of which made its presence felt at ringside resulting in **RECORD BREAKING AVERAGES, 156 In calf cows Ave £1913.52, 2 Cows and Calves Ave £2325, 4 Stock Bulls average £3800.**

The most predominate breed of cow was the Hereford x Friesian (43) followed by the British Blue x (40) Limousin x (35) Angus (17) and Simmental (13). They were 50% to 75% beef bred, in calf to either the Pedigree British Blue or the Homebred Limousin x British Blue Stock Bulls. The herd represented a genuine commercial stock of healthy milky working cattle of all ages calving at the perfect time of year, 1st March onwards.

The demand was incredible with suckler producers travelling from all over the country namely Anglesey, Cornwall, Cheshire, Derbyshire, Gwynedd, Hereford, Norfolk, Staffordshire, Somerset, Shropshire. Powys, Worcestershire... buyers from Carmarthenshire, Cumbria, Leicestershire and Warwickshire travelled home empty handed!

The very first cow in the ring set the tone of the day, a 3rd Calved Limousin x Cow with Blue x Bull calf at foot £2700. In all 66 in Calf cows sold for over £2000 with countless more just falling short of this mark over £1900. The pick of the cows for many was lot 50 this 8-year-old Black Limousin x Cow had real Quality selling for £3200. A 7year old Red Limousin cow was next in the prices at £2900. An 8-year-old blue x cow achieved £2700, 4-year-old Simmentals to £2620, Charolais to £2480, Angus cows topped at £2200, while the plentiful supply of Hereford cows was topped at £2150.

The Stock bulls peaked at £4400 for the 2020 born Tanat Valley Picasso, a Home bred 2019 British Blue x Bull achieved £3800 with the bulls starting from £3300.

We really are in uncharted territory with the beef trade at the moment and this sale signifies above all else that there has been a significant shift in a very short time window as farmers look to increase/maintain their cow herds rather than reduce them as we have seen over the past decade, if not longer.

Further Sale enquiries gratefully received, call Jonny 07803 412617

2 Cows and Calves £2325, 156 In Calf Cows and Heifers £1913.85 4 Stock Bulls £3800

TOP PRICE	COW & CALF -	£2700.00
TOP PRICE	IN CALF COW/HEIFER	£3200.00
TOP PRICE	STOCK BULL	£3800.00

TOP 5 PRICES IN EACH BREED OF IN CALF COWS/HEIFERS

BLONDE D`AQUITAINE AVE: £1850.00	BRITISH BLUE X Ave: £2035.00
£2200.00	£2700.00
£1500.00	£2500.00
	£2500.00
	£2450.00 x2
BEEF SHORTHORN AVE: £1350.00	ABERDEEN ANGUS X AVE: £1646.47
£1350.00	£2200.00
	£2200.00
	£2120.00
	£2000.00
	£1950.00
STABILISER AVE: £1940.00	HEREFORD X AVE: £1738.84
£2150.00	£2150.00
£1950.00	£2150.00
£1720.00	£2120.00
	£2100.00
	£2100.00
CHAROLAIS X AVE: £2480.00	SIMMENTAL X AVE: £2089.23
£2480.00	£2620.00
	£2480.00
	£2320.00
	£2300.00
LIMOUSIN X AVE: £2059.71	BREEDING BULLS AVE: £3800.00
£3200.00	BRITISH BLUE
£2900.00	£4400.00
£2700.00	£3800.00
£2700.00	£3700.00
	£3300.00

Special Sale of 300+ In-Lamb Ewes

Shrewsbury Auction Centre

Tuesday 28th January 2025



**Sale to Feature a Genuine Reduction from a Mid-Wales
Farming Enterprise**

**A Quality Entry of Texel X, Suffolk X and Coloured & White-
Faced Mules, Ranging From Yearlings to Full-Mouth**

Ewes Lambing from February to Late March

**The Scanning Results will be posted on Halls Livestock &
Machinery's Facebook Page on Monday 27th January**

For More Information Please Contact:

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!! SALE ANNOUNCEMENT !!

SHORT NOTICE - TUESDAY 28TH JANUARY
FOLLOWING THE SHOW AND SALE AT SHREWSBURY AUCTION CENTRE

On Behalf of GLI & EM Lewis, Frankton Hall



Complete Dispersal of the milking portion of Pure Commercial Holsteins viz
157 Autumn Calving Cows and Heifers all fresh since August 2024

NMR Recorded 9978kg 4.6%BF 3.5%ptn 50cc

Currently averaging 36.5 litres per day!!!!

Young Herd

50 - 1st Lactation Heifers

39 - 2nd Lactation Cows

23 - 3rd Lactation Cows

41 - 4th Lactation Cows

All genus abs Bred

A Beautiful herd of Powerful Balanced Productive Cows managed to a very
high standard. Don't miss them.

Contacts/Catalogue requests

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Shrewsbury Collective Fodder Sale

Tuesday 28th January 2025

12:00pm

748 x Bales of Hay, Haylage, Silage and Straw

And

50 x Tonnes of Fodderbeet

41 x Round Bales of Hay

100 x Conventional Bales of Hay

142 x Round Bales of Haylage

145 x Square Bales of Haylage

100 x Round Bales of Silage

80 x Square Bales of Silage

40 x Square Bales of Straw

100 x Conventional Bales of Straw

50 x Tonnes of Robbus Fodderbeet

Further entries welcomed

Please contact Henry Hyde on 07398 137343

Catalogue closes Tuesday 21st January