



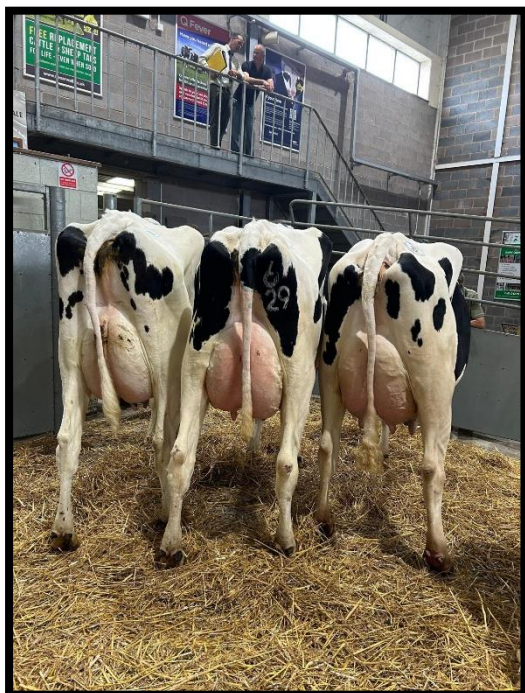
SHREWSBURY AUCTION CENTRE

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MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY 26th AUGUST 2025



DAIRY (124)	Top Price	£4305 h	£3800C	
CALVES (167)	Top Price	£595(B)	£580(H)	
CULL EWES AND RAMS (294)	Top Price	£229(E)	£220(R)	
BARREN COWS/OTM'S (16)	Top Price	£2504.80	or 310ppk	
SPRING LAMBS (880)	Top Price	£172	or 341pp	Ave:304ppk

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*******

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124 DAIRY 11.15am

JONNY DYMOND – 07803 41261

Total		Ave (£)	Top (£)	Vendor
30	Freshly Calved Cow	2480.67	3800.00	WJ Nadin & Co
50	Freshly Calved Heifer	2564.00	4305.00	Mycocks Agri
5	Maiden Heifer	2555.00	3150.00	PB & J Knight
1	Dairy Calf	1312.50	1312.50	GC Thomas
38	Embryo	588.00	819.00	PB Sutton & Partners

**AN OUTSTANDING
SHOW AND SALE OF
DAIRY CATTLE MEETS A
RIP-ROARING TRADE!**

Halls were honoured to host the 3rd Annual Show and Sale for the Shropshire Holstein Club for the “Styche Armour Hilgonda” award, alongside our annual Highlight Sale of Elite Dairy Genetics.

The sale boasted a large entry, with 30 Fresh Cows, 50 Fresh Heifers, 6 Elite Heifers and 38 Embryos going under the Hammer. The pre-sale show was judged by Mr Mike Oakley, what a show of quality it was, who awarded his placings as follows: -

Cows



1st & Champion STERNDALE DAVINCI NOEL VG85 – WJ Nadin & Co - £3500

2nd STERNDALE DAVINCI RAE VG86 – WJ Nadin & Co - £3100

3rd MILLENHEATH AMULET WELCOME GP84 – Millenheath Farms Ltd £3620

Heifers

1st & Reserve Champion ALDERBARROW ACK CHRISTINE – B & L Whitfield £3500

2nd WOLSTON GALAHAD DAWN 136 – AD Thomas £3500

3rd FIRSTLOOK CHIEF ELEGANCE A & J Whittaker £3000

A huge crowd at the ringside throughout the sale today representing clients from as far afield as Cornwall and Llandudno ensured a great sale was had from the word go. Top of the shop for the sale was **WHITGREAVE CHIEF ASHLYN** presented by Paul Sybbs of Stafford which sold for 4100gns or £4305, back by an exceptional line of EX dams to the great Tri-day Ashlyn Cow she sold to a pedigree herd in North Wales. We were delight to welcome the first consignment from Guto & Ellie Lewis Frankton Hall who have an exciting run of heifers to come throughout the autumn and winter months their best heifer fresh just 9days sold to £3750 to a robotic herd in Sandbach, another from the same home £3720 went to the same stable in all **20 Heifers sold for £3000 or more** today for a number of different vendors, the best from WA Jones & Son today was **GWYNEFYDD KENMORE MEG**, giving 37kg per day and realising £3600. 3 Pedigree Heifers at £3500 being the 1st and 2nd prize winners as well as **MILLENHEATH RUBICON RUBY** from Millenheath Farms.

The cows sold at a very strong trade from the word go, with the opening consignment of 3-Way Cross Organic cows from DJ Edge, Chester these topped at £2780 for a fresh cow recorded at 22kg!! As the sale got underway the prices flew to £3800 for **ASHACRES ADORABLE BEECHNUT VG85**, from Phil Wynn out of the 12 lactation Brookroad Beechnut 116 EX94 she sold to Norville Holsteins in Whitchurch, next in the prices after this one were the prize winners' detail about, also breaking at £3000 barrier was **GWYNNOG KIMBALL LUSTRE** A beautiful 3rd calving cow from Alastair Drinkall.

Today, Holsteins square balanced and milk sold for £2500 or more with those a shade off this quality at £2200, in all 18 sold for less than £2000 with prices starting at £850 for a Jersey. The Organic 3-way crosses off the "grass" sold nicely with these durable cows all selling for over £1700 with the 2yo heifers from the same home to £1900.

Onto the highlights where Paul Knights in calf heifer **MILLENHEATH LAMBDA VRAY**, from the same family as GALYS-VRAY EX94 due in October to Progenisis Aneesh in October achieved 3000gnS Mycock Agri's beautifully built **FLAGG LUSTER BRENDA** at 11mo achieved a very satisfying 2800gns, Embryos created a lot of interest and sold very well to a peak of 780gns for 4 grade A from Siemers LBA Hanina x Siemers Rengd Parfect, the resulting heifers would be maternal sisters to the 90000gns riverdan KD Hannah, all bare 2 lots of embryos today sold in excess of 420gns!

THANK YOU VENDRS AND BUYERS FOR YOUR SUPPORT ON A GREAT DAY'S TRADING IN THE SHREWSBURY DAIRY RING!!

There is no deigning that cattle which are vaccinated or Blood tested for bluetongue attracted more bidders and buyers, there is a lot of talk about fodder currently and it is always better to have every single buyer possible available to you!

MORE ENTRIES NEEDED FOR NEXT WEEK, ALL VENDORS WHO ARE BLUETONGUE VACCINATED ARE ENCOURAGE TO APPLY FOR THEIR LICENSE FOLLOWING THIS LINK TO ENABLE FREE MOVEMENT THROUGHOUT THE UK <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/report-your-use-of-the-bluetongue-serotype-3-btv-3-vaccine>

16 BARRENS 11.00am

HENRY HYDE- 07398 137343

Breed	PPK	Price	Vendor
Lim x	310	2504.80	H,Evans and SON,
Frie	260	2038.40	G And M Lewis,
Cont	307	1743.76	Plowden Farm Ptnrship
Lim x	273	1736.28	Simon P, Jones
Cont	287	1681.82	Plowden Farm Ptnrship
Cont	307	1559.56	Plowden Farm Ptnrship
Frie	233	1537.80	M W And MRS J M,Trevor-Jones
Frie	224	1536.64	M W And MRS J M,Trevor-Jones
Cont	210	1348.20	Plowden Farm Ptnrship
Frie	195	1283.10	E R And R W, Adams
Char x	227	1638.94	D W, Roberts
Hfd x	291	1833.30	J B, Harper and Son

Another fantastic trade and liveliness around the Barren cow ring, with exuberant bidding and bouncing cattle doing laps of the ring before exiting, with crowds of people all around the ring with a good bit of buzz from buyers. Plenty of weight on offer today, with very few leaner cows, all over 560kg mark and only one cow being under 200ppk!

Top Price per head and PPK was had for a 3yr old Limousin Cow from H. Evans & Son, Winnington Hall at 310ppk / £2,504.80.
11 Cows topped at 310ppk / £2,504

Friesian Cows topped at 260ppk / £2,038.40 for a 6yr old from G & M Lewis, Lower Woodcote Farm
 Friesians Averaged 224ppk / £1,523
 Continental Cows topped at 307ppk / £1,743.76 for a 3yr old from Plowden Farm Partnership, Myndtown.
 Continentals Averaged 274ppk / £1,583
 Limousin Cows topped at £2,504.80 for a 3yr old from H. Evans & Son, Winnington Hall
 Limousins Averaged 293ppk / £2,120
 Barren Bulls topped at 227ppk / £1,638.94 for a 7yr old Charollais Bull from D. W. Roberts, Bank Farm.
 Heifers topped at 291ppk / £1,833.30 for a 2yr old Hereford Heifer from J. B. Harper & Son, Morrells Wood Farm who also had two other Hereford beauties selling for 268 and 269ppk / £1,581 and £1,657.
 Thank you to all our buyers and vendors around the barren cow ring, be sure to bring your barrens to Shrewsbury and make the most of the £20 capped commission – you cannot lose.

167 CALVES 10AM

NICK GRIFFITHS-07748 306442

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Breed	Bulls			Heifers		
	No	Ave	Top	No	Ave	Top
Frie	21	104.80	225.00	4	62.00	130.00
B.B. X	55	385.36	558.00	54	333.75	520.00
A.A.X	5	359.20	465.00	7	242.00	390.00
Hfd X	3	375.00	440.00	4	243.25	360.00
Char X	1	560.00	560.00	3	351.66	580.00
Lim X	6	459.50	595.00	1	365.00	365.00

*****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.

880 SPRING LAMBS
JAMES F EVANS 07581 552438
TOM JERMAN :07948 080906

****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	Ave P/Kg	Top Ave	Vendor	Top Per Hd	Vendor
17-25kg	264.00	264ppk	J R Brooks Farming	£66	J R, Brooks Farming
25.5-32kgs	268.58	300ppk	R Herety	£93	R, Herety
32.1 -39kgs	282.33	333ppk	J C, Evans & Co	£130	J C, Evans & Co
39.45.5kgs	307.11	341ppk	J R, Brooks Farming	£150	J R, Brooks Farming
45.6- 52kgs	311.07	333ppk	R S T and S A Morgan	£163	R S T and S A Morgan
52+ kgs	291.00	311ppk	R D, Wilcox	£172	GF Richardson
Overall	304ppk				
SQQ	302ppk				

This week saw a strong entry of 876 prime lambs at Shrewsbury, with trade firm across all weights and a very competitive line-up of more than six buyers. Demand is clearly strong, and we could easily accommodate 1,500 lambs each week without hesitation. Fed lambs continue to achieve a premium in the ring, while leaner types are better suited to the store lamb sales, the next of which will be held on Thursday 28th August.

The light lambs (25.5–32kg) were in short supply, with just eight forward, and sold to a peak of 300 pence per kilo and £93 per head from R Herety, averaging 270 pence per kilo and £76 per head. Standards (32.1–39kg) were well represented with 144 lambs forward, achieving a top price of 333 pence per kilo and £130 per head from JC Evans & Co, with an overall average of 284 pence per kilo and £103 per head. The medium weights (39.1–45.5kg) formed the largest section with 459 lambs sold to a buoyant trade, averaging 309 pence per kilo and £133 per head, and peaking at 341 pence per kilo and £150 per head for JR Brooks Farming. Heavy lambs (45.6–52kg) also met strong demand, with 238 forward levelling at 313 pence per kilo and £150 per head, reaching as high as 333 pence per kilo and £163 per head from RST & SA Morgan. Superheavy lambs (52kg+) were also well received, with 14 selling to average 292 pence per kilo and £162 per head, and topping at 311 pence per kilo and £172 per head from GF Richardson.

Overall, the market averaged 305 pence per kilo with an SQQ of 303 pence per kilo, once again demonstrating Shrewsbury's ability to deliver the best possible returns for vendors. Farmers from both Wales and England can be confident that their lambs will achieve the highest prices per head here, and there is no need to worry about taking stock home as the demand remains consistently strong. To give lambs the best chance of maximising returns, vendors are encouraged to provide at least two weeks of ad-lib creep feed, ensuring sufficient cover is carried across the back. Lambs lacking finish are always at a disadvantage and are better suited to the store lamb sales held on a fortnightly basis.

Shrewsbury currently requires between 1,000 and 1,500 lambs weekly to meet buyer demand. For marketing enquiries or to enter lambs, please contact James Evans on 07581 552438.

Lambs 25.5-32kgs		
£93.00	300PPK	R Herety
£82.00	273PPK	B Morris
£70.00	259PPK	DE & RM Williams

Lambs 32.1-39kgs		
£130.00	333ppk	JC Evans & Co
£120.50	317ppk	JN & CG & S Campbell
£120.00	308ppk	GD Pink
£117.50	301ppk	EW Hamer & Co
£117.50	301ppk	GR Horton

Lambs 39.1-45.5kgs		
£150.00	341ppk	JR Brooks Farming
£149.50	329ppk	JA Hough
£144.00	320ppk	J & RF Howells
£143.00	314ppk	RM Taylor & Sons
£141.50	311ppk	DE & MA Boulter

Lambs 45.6-52kgs		
£163.00	313ppk	RST & SA Morgan
£160.00	333ppk	JR Brooks Farming
£159.00	312ppk	TR Pinches
£157.00	308ppk	G Jones & Partners
£157.00	308ppk	MD Pryce

Lambs 52+ kgs		
£172.00	292ppk	GF Richardson
£169.00	302ppk	J Hilditch
£165.00	311ppk	RD Wilcox
£164.00	293ppk	R Clorley
£160.00	302ppk	RM Taylor & Sons

****** 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

294 BUTCHER, GRAZING & CULL SHEEP: To Follow Lambs

TOM JERMAN :07948 080906

Ewes Top Price	Vendor	Ram Top Prices	Vendor
£229.00	J & AM Wild	£220.00	PA Richards
£213.00	JR Brooks Farming	£215.00	Sheppard Livestock
£200.00	R Hares	£140.00	P Williams & Sons
£199.00	PA Richards		
£181.00	J & T Powell		
£180.00	DGJ & MD Pryce		
£178.00	AD Beaman		
£172.00	BD Lowe		
£170.00	JT & AR Frank		
£170.00	JR Brooks Farming		

Trade was once again extremely buoyant in the cull sheep section at Shrewsbury, with demand comfortably outstripping supply. Buyers were only able to fulfil around half of their orders, clearly highlighting the need for increased numbers in the coming weeks. The

consistency of demand has meant that buyers now expect to see in excess of 500 butcher, grazing and cull sheep forward each week, and additional entries are strongly encouraged to maintain the strength of this trade.

A total of 294 head were presented, returning an overall average of £119 per head. This figure was influenced by a higher proportion of lean and grazing types within the entry, but the trade for the biggest and strongest meat ewes remained exceptional. Heavy, well-meated ewes commanded premium prices, with pure Texel and Texel x Suffolk types consistently selling in excess of £190. Mule ewes with good frame and finish regularly achieved between £155 and £175, whilst plainer but still well-bodied ewes met a level between £90 and £110.

Hill-bred ewes also met a solid demand. Welsh, speckled and other hill types such sold in the region of £40–£60, with meatier sorts at £80–£95. Buyers were notably active for both slaughter-fit ewes and plainer types suitable for grazing on.

Leading the trade were J & AM Wild with ewes topping the section at £229, closely followed by JR Brooks Farming at £213 and R Hares at £200. Other notable prices included £199 from PA Richards, £181 from J & T Powell, £180 from DGJ & MD Pryce, and £178 from AD Beaman. The ram trade also proved very strong, with PA Richards topping at £220 and Sheppard Livestock close behind at £215.

Vendors are reminded that breeding rams may be sold through the cull section, provided they are right and straight for breeding. There is active demand from farmers specifically seeking sound breeding rams, and such entries are strongly encouraged.

In summary, demand remains ahead of supply, with buyers actively competing for all classes, particularly the big-framed, heavy, and meaty ewes. The message is clear: more sheep are required to meet orders, and the strength of trade shows there has never been a better time to market cull, grazing and butcher sheep at Shrewsbury.

Shrewsbury is the place to sell — strong demand, real buyers, and a trade that's truly delivering week after week. Keep them coming.

Weekly Trade Message

With the sheep trade being so unpredictable over the past few months, I strongly encourage all vendors at Shrewsbury Market to sign up for our free weekly trade update text message service. It's easy to join — call the Shrewsbury office on 01743 462620 or contact Tom Jerman on 07948 080906 and provide your mobile number.

By signing up, you'll receive regular text updates on the latest market conditions and specific stock requirements for the week, such as the recent demand for tup lambs. This service helps us as auctioneers communicate directly with you, ensuring we get the right stock in the right pens for our buyers so that you can achieve the best possible trade.

UPCOMING SALES

Thursday 28th August 2025

Shrewsbury Store Cattle & Breeding Sheep

Entries Welcome

Friday 29th August 2025

Farm Dispersal Sale

Please see details below

Tuesday 2nd September 2025

Sale of Weanlings, Cow & Calves and Young Stores

Wednesday 3rd September 2025

Shrewsbury TB Restricted "Orange" Sale

Friday 5th September 2025

Love Lane Breeding Sheep Sale



FARM DISPERSAL SALE

On Behalf of W. F. Bourne Ltd

To be held at:

Rectory Farm, Mucklestone, Market Drayton, Shropshire, TF9 4DN

On

Friday 29th August 2025

Starting at:

10:30am Workshop Tools, Spares & Parts

11:30am Implements, Tractors & Loader



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SALE ANNOUNCEMENT DISPERSAL OF THE DILANDY HERD

ON BEHALF OF D & AC SHAKESHAFT

TUESDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2025

150 HEAD

50 Fresh and In Milk Cows/ Heifers

50 Incalf Heifers

50 Maiden and Bulling Heifers

Online Sales Bidding available through Marteye. Please call the office to be approved.



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