

MARKET REPORT

BAKEWELL MARKET Monday 28th September



Another full house at Bakewell with 913 Cattle and 2,460 Sheep on offer.

Trade solid in all departments with the sheep trade looking good and store cattle exceeding expectations.

There were 556 head forward in the store and breeding cattle section, last week we reported that the longer-term cattle were harder to sell, no such problem this week with prices outstanding right through the age range. Steers sold to £1,330, heifers £1,095 and feeding bulls £940.

In the breeding section cow and calf outfits made up to £1,900.

Finished cattle numbers were up at 148 with top prices 250p and £1,829. The overall average for the mixed sample of 64 heifers was 194.1p.

OTM numbers are keeping up with 128 this week. Top figures 175p and £1,445 with the overall average emerging at 120.7pence.

Rather more calves forward with 81 on offer and selling well, bulls to £420 and heifers £282. In the sheep section things were busy again.

The 1,715 lambs sold on a cracking trade with top figures 230p and £119.10.

The SQQ average looked very healthy at 206.4 pence.

There was a substantial gathering of 670 cull sheep with ewes peaking at 129 to average a creditable £79.95.

Forthcoming Fixtures Bakewell Market

- Thursday 1st October: Lunchtime Sheep Sale
- Friday 2nd October: Theaves & Ewes, 3,081 entered, sale starts at 10.30am
- Saturday 3rd October: Ram Fair, 505 Rams entered, sale starts at 10am (one ring)



Bakewell Christmas Show & Sale

Will be held on Monday 7th December 2020

Unfortunately due to Covid-19 there will be no carol service or Hog Roast on Sunday this year.



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128 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 120.8p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

Just a few more again as numbers are building again with more B&W's on offer as farms start to prepare for Winter housing. Meat remains the order of the day with plenty of demand for the well fed and Farm Assured cows, but as is the time of year, some lean and very cold cows about now that do little to enhance the average. Top price on the day was a Longhorn heifer F/A (34 mnths) from Ivan Carrington, Kniveton at 175p with the best cow at 170p or £1445 for a tremendous black Limousin from Andrew Bowler, Ashleyhay. Better cows generally 150p plus. Herefords to 168p, Angus to 163p and W Black to 165p.

68 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 108p

Trade remains much as it has been cow for cow but a lot more lean and straight out of the parlour cows. Best Friesian cows topped at 151p with the better cows still selling above 135p, big Holsteins 120-130 with leaner sorts 105-115p and small or plain cows under £1. Sample Results:

Jampie nesa			
175p/kg	572kg	L Horn	IP Carrington, Kniveton
172p/kg	680kg	B Blue x	SJ Thompson, Kilburn
170p/kg	850kg	Lim	AB Bowler, Ashleyhay
168p/kg	850kg	Lim	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
166p/kg	816kg	Char	Meadow Place, Youlgreave
165p/kg	530kg	W Blk	CL Morton & Son, Holmesfield
165p/kg	500kg	Mont	J & J Walton & Sons, Tideswell
164p/kg	726kg	Lim	Wheeldon Partners, Taddington
163p/kg	770kg	AA	HH Mellor & Son, Longnor
162p/kg	658kg	AA	HH Mellor & Son, Longnor
160p/kg	730kg	AA	HH Mellor & Son, Longnor
And Gross Pr	ricos:		
£1445.00	850kg	Lim	AB Bowler, Ashleyhay
£1354.56	816kg	Char	Meadow Place, Youlgreave
£1313.28	864kg	Char	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
£1303.68	776kg	Sim	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
£1272.80	860kg	Char	DC Hoggard, Newark
£1255.10	770kg	AA	HH Mellor & Son, Longnor
£1218.00	870kg	Holst	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
£1196.80	880kg	Holst	H Hodgkinson & Sons, Earl Sterndale
£1190.64	726kg	Lim	Wheeldon Partners, Taddington
£1184.40	840kg	Fries	AD Thompson, Peak Forest
5 OTM Bulls			
161p/kg	£1391	Blonde	S Rhodes, Fulwood
129p/kg	£1212	Lim	GS Heathcote, Romily
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148 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 185.8p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

More cattle on offer than last week and more than the equivalent week last year. Today 53 vendors of finished cattle selling to 20 different accounts today. Competition at its finest. Trade today can be described at two tiered with a tremendous trade for the well-bred and corn-fed cattle 220-250p and then a drop to the grass fed or natives and the dairy bred continentals that would look a little less money today, but having said that a lot would be showing signs of the weather.

31 Finished Bulls ave 191.6p/kg

Sample Results:

Jampie Rese	aits.		
229p/kg	732kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
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220p/kg	568kg	Blond x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
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213p/kg	670kg	Blond x	JT Ottewell, Calow
209p/kg	650kg	B Blue x	JT Ottewell, Calow
204p/kg	522kg	Lim	A Merryman, Dronfield
200p/kg	562kg	Char	A Merryman, Dronfield
198p/kg	924kg	B Blue x	Mycock & Bright, Buxton
And Gross P	rices:		
£1829.52	924kg	B Blue x	Mycock & Bright, Buxton
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£1829.52	924kg	B Blue x	Mycock & Bright, Buxton
£1676.28	732kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
£1600.56	702kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
£1458.00	810kg	Char	S Franks, Bradfield
£1427.10	670kg	Blond x	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1383.84	744kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£1375.20	720kg	Char	S Franks, Bradfield
£1360.80	720kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£1358.50	650kg	B Blue x	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1327.28	706kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton

44 Steers – overall average 177.3p/kg

As already stated, a very 2 tier trade with the best a flying and fabulous trade (as good as anywhere) but 17 natives and some outside continentals certainly lacking finish. James Hodgkinson had a Christmas steer at 254p or £1508 with Messrs Hazledine at 249p (£1479) and Mick Clowes, Cheadle at 242p (£1476) Herefords to 191p, Devons to 179p and Lincoln Red to 179p

Sample Results:

254p/kg	594kg	Lim	H Hodgkinson & Sons, Earl Sterndale
249p/kg	594kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
242p/kg	610kg	Lim	M & G Clowes, Cheadle
236p/kg	530kg	Blond x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
228p/kg	554kg	B Blue x	SJ Wainwright, Poynton
208p/kg	654kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell

207p/kg	644kg	Lim	M & G Clowes, Cheadle
204p/kg	676kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
200p/kg	694kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
200p/kg	670kg	Sim	PR & PM Atkin, Hope Valley
And Gross Pi	rices:		
£1508.76	594kg	Lim	H Hodgkinson & Sons, Earl Sterndale
£1479.06	594kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
£1476.20	610kg	Lim	M & G Clowes, Cheadle
£1388.00	694kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1379.04	676kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1360.32	654kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1346.80	740kg	Others	KJ White, Swinscoe
£1340.00	670kg	Sim	PR & PM Atkin, Hope Valley
£1333.08	644kg	Lim	M & G Clowes, Cheadle
£1287.34	674kg	Hfd	KJ White & Co, Swinscoe

64 Finished Heifers – overall average 194.1p/kg

Just like the Steers with no problem selling the best with the top 17 over 220p with the gold and silver medal going to Paul and Michael Hazledine at 250 and 246p with their third at 236p. David Thorp and Michael Wynne both had 240p for their well fed Limousins. 19 Natives today with Angus to 232p, Lincolns to 177p with the 19 averaging 170p.

Sam	ple	Resu	lts:

250p/kg	626kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Notts
246p/kg	590kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Notts
240p/kg	620kg	Lim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
236p/kg	610kg	Blond x	Hazledine Farms, Notts
234p/kg	616kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
234p/kg	480kg	Lim	R & A White & Son, Bamford
232p/kg	514kg	AA	M Wynne, Snitterton
232p/kg	600kg	Lim	N Wood, Bakewell
229p/kg	590kg	B Blue x	DM Elliott & Son, Little Hucklow
226p/kg	562kg	Lim	SJ Wainwright, Poynton
224p/kg	580kg	Lim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
223p/kg	606kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
222p/kg	578kg	Sim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
220p/kg	490kg	Char	A Mosley & Son, Brassington
220p/kg	570kg	Lim	N Wood, Bakewell
220p/kg	592kg	Lim	BA & B Perkins, Oughtibridge
And Gross Pr	ices:		
£1565.00	626kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Notts
£1488.00	620kg	Lim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow

£1451.40	590kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Notts
£1441.44	616kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
£1439.60	610kg	Blond x	Hazledine Farms, Notts
£1392.00	600kg	Lim	N Wood, Bakewell
£1388.38	658kg	B Blue x	G Wardman, Matlock
£1364.68	626kg	Lim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£1363.20	568kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton

STORE & BREEDING CATTLE - (Auctioneer Alastair Sneddon)

Apologies for no live streaming which was due to a power cut which upset machinery. Normal service will be resumed as soon as possible.

It was full steam ahead in the store section with 556 head of cattle on offer.

Buyers confidence seems to have been boosted by the strong trade for finished beef and demand was outstanding for all types.

The sale commenced with a selection of breeding cattle including:

£1030	Char x, 38 mnths & Hfr Calf	PV Hawkins, Shirland
£1060	Sim x, 42 mnths & Str Calf	LH Powell, Hundall
£1190	B Blue x, 48 mnths & Bull Calf	J & E Hopkinson, Ashover
£1900	Lim x, 88 mnths & Hfr Calf	D Byard, Clay Cross
£1900	Lim x, 63 mnths & Str Calf	D Byard, Clay Cross

There was also a selection of 18 Feeding Cows selling at up to £990.

These were followed by **31 Feeding Bulls**

Sample prices as follows:

£850	S Horn x	15-16 mnths	R Mosley & Son, Elton
£890	Char x	15 mnths	R Mosley & Son, Elton
£730	Blonde x	10-11 mnths	JD Brown, Bonsall
£650	Hfd x	15-17 mnths (9)	HB Wildgoose, Newton Grange
£940	Angus x	16 mnths	D Chadwick, Kniveton

261 Steers ave £834

A wonderful selection of steers with several large consignments which allowed the sale of a good many well matched bunches. These groups of cattle certainly attracted a premium and assisted the progress of the sale so that the auction was completed soon after 2pm.

Angus, Hereford and Shorthorns were all hard fought over by the respective specialists. There were a couple of consignments of South Devons which attracted plenty of interest and of course the usual continental crosses hit the top figures. As ever the Black & Whites looked very well sold at Bakewell.

Sample prices as follows:

£480	Fries	7 mnths	BJ Moore, Burton on Trent
£330	Holst	4-8 mnths (8)	H Dutton Ltd, Thurvaston
£600	Lim x	4 mnths	JM & CE Shardlow, Trussley
£890	B Blue x	18 mnths	C & FM Percival, Youlgreave

£850	Lim x	15 mnths	C & FM Percival, Youlgreave
£805	Sim x	8-12 mnths (5)	Messrs Buckingham & Bishop, Ingleby
£1135	Lim x	16-18 mnths	GA Lomas, Peak Forest
£515	Fries	11 mnths	RR Mason, Hulland Ward
£860	Angus	21 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£1170	Lim x	18 mnths	S Webster, Branston
£940	Blonde x	17 mnths	MA Allcock, Brassington
£730	Angus x	13-15 mnths	Mrs PM Naden, Woodhead
£1150	Lim	16 mnths	COR & JM Mycock, Friden
£785	Hfd x	14-15 mnths	P Furness, Monyash
£875	Hfd x	14-16 mnths	DA Bott, Kniveton
£1070	Devon	17-18 mnths	Hough Park Farm, Hulland Ward
£1110	Lim x	16 mnths	R Gratton, Ashwood Dale
£980	S Hornx	16 mnths	R Mosley & Son, Elton
£1000	Devon x	16 mnths	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin
£1015	Lim x	15-16 mnths	S Rhodes, Fulwood
£1045	Angus	17 mnths	AJ Gallimore, Uttoxeter
£920	Angus x	18 mnths	J Bennison, Compstall
£875	Hfd x	14-16 mnths	I&M&A Wilson, Hollington
£720	Fries	17-22 mnths	T & CJ Hadfield, Tideswell
£815	Angus x	17-20 mnths	Mrs M Sellors, Grange Mill
£1045	Devon	15-17 mnths (5)	C Bracegirdle, Sandbach
£950	Sim x	17-18 mnths	C & B Hudson, Longnor
£830	Hfd x	19 mnths	Tudor Bros, Kingsley
£1020	Lim x	18-21 mnths	G & M Limer, Taddington
£725	Fries	19-22 mnths (8)	R Hollingsworth, Snelston
£1085	S Horn x	17-19 mnths	JH Morten & Son, Whaley Bridge
£1160	B Blue x	24 mnths	G & R Gould, Elton
£990	B Blue x	17-25 mnths (8)	FR Cooper, Bolehill
£930	L Horn x	26 mnths	D & A Campeau, Crowdicote
£1000	Hfd x	24 mnths	AP Leason, Ilam
£900	Dev	26 mnths	Messrs Cockburns, Hazelhead
£1245	Lim x	23 mnths	IP Carrington, Kniveton
£800	Angus x	21-26 mnths	GL Brown, Spondon
£1330	Lim x	26 mnths	WI Fletcher, Sheldon
£1140	Angus x	28 mnths	Wilshaw & Hine, Swythamley
£985	Hfd x	30 mnths	OW Wigley & Son, Tansley

238 Heifers ave £725

Plenty to choose from and plenty of buying power present or represented to ensure an outstanding trade from start to finish.

Angus and Hereford crosses selling well as the following results will indicate.

Typical Returns:

£445	B Blue x	6-7 mnths	BJ Moore, Burton on Trent
£980	B Blue x	22 mnths	C & FM Percival, Youlgreave
£865	B Blue x	21-22 mnths	C & FM Percival, Youlgreave
£910	B Blue x	15 mnths	C & FM Percival, Youlgreave
£630	Sim x	5-9 mnths (11)	Buckingham & Bishop, Ingleby
£805	Sim x	11 mnths	AJ Parker, Ticknall
£605	L Horn x	11 mnths	AJ Parker, Ticknall
£865	B Blue x	17 mnths	FD Stubbs, Tissington
£935	Blonde	15 mnths	MA Allcock, Brassington
£765	Hfd x	14 mnths	DA Bott, Kniveton
£1035	Lim x	16 mnths	R Gratton, Ashwood Dale
£905	Char x	14-16 mnths (5)	M Gregory, Peak Forest
£835	B Blue x	16-17 mnths	R & J Hinds, Bradley
£930	Angus x	12 mnths	MD Webster, Sturston
£695	S Horn x	15 mnths	R Mosley & Son, Elton
£945	Angus x	16 mnths	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin
£895	Lim x	16 mnths	S Rhodes, Fulwood
£850	Lim x	15-16 mnths	Red Lion Inn, Dayhills
£750	Blonde x	16-19 mnths	J Conway, Glossop
£920	Angus x	17 mnths	AJ Gallimore, Uttoxeter
£850	Lim x	22 mnths	AE & VJ Parkinson, Osliston
£820	Sim x	18 mnths	J Bennison, Compstall
£1000	B Blue x	19-21 mnths (5)	C Bracegirdle, Sandbach
£1015	Sim x	27 mnths	B Ainley, Mercaston
£870	B Blue x	20-27 mnths	T Stafford & Son, Ballidon
£955	B Blue x	22-24 mnths	P Davenport, Carlton
£1020	Angus	23 mnths	FG & JR Critchlow, Sheen
£960	Lim x	26 mnths	D & A Campeau, Crowdicote
£980	B Blue x	25 mnths	AP Leason, Ilam
£950	Blonde x	23 mnths	Leasons Partners, Uttoxeter
£795	Hfd x	23 mnths	KP Stockton, Loxley
£1095	Lim x	26 mnths	WI Fletcher, Sheldon

81 CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)

An increased entry with a strong trade throughout. Plenty of interest in the best bulls with these regularly £300 plus to a top of £400 for a B Blue. Heifers of the same breed to £282 and second quality equally as well sold.

Dairy bred black & white calves just as well sold as recent weeks with the best of those to £155.

Bulls	Top Price (£)	Ave	Vendor
Hfd	£115.00	£81.86	GE Ferris & Sons, Sutton on the Hill
Sim	£290.00	£286.00	RG Goodwin & Co, Abbots Bromley
Holst	£130.00	£38.38	JF Hayes, Shottle
Saler	£172.00	£140.67	JF Hayes, Shottle
Fries	£155.00	£107.86	RG Goodwin & Co, Abbots Bromley
AA	£205.00		Moor Farmers, Flagg
B Blue x	£400.00	£265.77	WJ & DM Madin, Holymoorside
Lim	£220.00	£182.50	JF Hayes, Shottle
Heifers			
Hfd	£120.00	£76.92	GK & E Robinson, Wheston
Char	£190.00		Howe Farms, Moorwood Moor
AA	£120.00	£100.00	Moor Farmers, Flagg
Baz	£245.00		Moor Farmers, Flagg
B Blue x	£282.00	£222.43	WJ & DM Madin, Holymoorside
Lim	£245.00		JF Hayes, Shottle

2,460 Sheep including 1,717 Finished Lambs, 692 Cull Sheep & 51 Store Ewes (Auctioneer Peter Oven)

A total entry of 2640 head of sheep included 1717 lambs. Demand very keen from start to finish with the first pen sold selling at 230p/kg and the very last selling at 229p/kg and an overall average of 206.43p/kg. Best big lambs grossed £119.10/head. Leading Prices: -

36.5kg	216p/kg	JW & H Bale, Sutton Hill
37kg	227p/kg	P Ritter & Son, Peak Forest
37.2kg	229p/kg	M Gregory, Peak Forest
38.9kg	221p/kg	M Gregory, Peak Forest
40.4kg	226p/kg	P Ritter & Son, Peak Forest
41.2kg	224p/kg	P Ritter & Son, Peak Forest
43.3kg	223p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
43.5kg	225p/kg	E Elliott, Eyam
44.1kg	224p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
45kg	224p/kg	CD Timm, York
45.5kg	221p/kg	J & J Walton & Sons, Tideswell
45.8kg	226p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire
46.8kg	224p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire
47.1kg	229p/kg	RM Dolley, Northweek
48.2kg	228p/kg	Furness & Taylor, Wormhill
51kg	230p/kg	GA Titterton, Milwich
52.7kg	226p/kg	GA Titterton, Milwich

Averages:

Standard	To: 229p/kg	Ave: 208.22p/kg
Medium	To: 226p/kg	Ave: 206.48p/kg
Heavy	To: 230p/kg	Ave: 203.57p/kg
Overweight	To: 226p/kg	Ave: 201.72p/kg

Old Season Lambs to 178p/kg Average 176p/kg

Cull Sheep

Another excellent entry of 692 cull sheep saw demand very good with best Dutch Texel to £129, Texel to £128, meated Mule ewes in the £35-82 bracket with heavy Suffolk x over £100/head.

Cast Ewes To: £129 Ave: £79.95 Cast Rams To: £175 Ave: £99.45

Store Sheep

A total of 51 store sheep saw breeding ewes to £97/head.