

## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

Monday 16th November



Sheep numbers well down, but a larger entry of cattle.

Trade strong in all sections with lamb prices significantly dearer than last week and store cattle looking very well sold.

Busiest section was the Store & Breeding Cattle department with numbers boosted by a special entry from H Spiby & Sons from Markfield together with the annual consignment of in-calf heifers from J & G Ede of Youlgreave. The total head count was 491.

Trade was solid right through, Steers sold to £1,300, Heifers £1,160 and Feeding Bulls £1,240. In the Breeding section in-calf heifers reached £1,460, Cows with Calves £1,400 and Stock Bulls £2,150.

The beef trade certainly seems to be remaining buoyant and a decent trade was enjoyed for the 133 Finished Cattle.

Top figures 258p/kg and £1,685 and the average for the 53 heifers at 190.8p looked good.

Another substantial turnout of 110 OTM and Feeding Cows saw the best to 163p and £1,248. The average for the mixed sample was down a shade at 108.9p.

There were 67 Calves which sold on a sharp trade, Bulls to £295 and Heifers to £335.

As far as the Sheep section was concerned it was numbers down, prices up.  
With only 883 lambs on offer trade hardened considerably with the best to 252p and £129.78  
The SQQ average was almost 20 pence better than last week at 216.4 pence.  
Cull Sheep numbers were down too at 381 with ewes to £131 and the average at £77.36.

#### **Forthcoming Events**

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November:** Regular Lunchtime Sheep Sale

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November:** Store Sheep Sale, Further Entries invited

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December:** Derbyshire Carol Service – ONLINE ONLY

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December:** Final Round Up of Store Sheep



# **Derbyshire Farmers' 'online' Carol Service**

**Available from: 2.30pm on  
Sunday 6th December 2020**

We welcome a foreword by Alastair Sneddon,  
Youlgrave Brass Band,  
Derbyshire poet Philip Holland,  
Bel Canto & St Anne's Church Choir from Baslow  
and Rev'd Alan Griggs (Lead Rural Chaplain) will  
be sharing a reflection



To watch the service online go to:

<https://www.ruralactionderbyshire.org.uk/farmers-online-carol-service-2020>

or search for: **Derbyshire Farmers' online Carol Service**

**In support of the Derbyshire Rural Chaplaincy and Air Ambulance**

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### **110 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 108.9p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

Nicely over 100 cattle again, but with some Covid related troubles about, an odd buyer less at ringside led to a slightly reduced trade for the best but everything else very similar to last week. OTM heifers peaked at 148p for a Hereford heifer (31 mnths) with S Devon heifers at 140p twice for Alison Wilton. Best cows to 137p for a Limousin from Terry Thompson, Longnor. 29 Natives also saw Longhorns to 117p, Angus to 130p and Red Poll to 107p.

### **40 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 104.1p**

Yes, the best a little less but plenty on a par with last week. An odd heifer sold at 138p with best cows at 125p and 124p for Messrs Handford, Birch Vale. Big lean Holsteins look well sold 105-115p with smaller sorts 90-100p and plain cows under 90p.

Sample Results:

148p/kg	660kg	Hfd	A Hunter, Hognaston
140p/kg	610kg	Others	K & A Wilton, Buxton
140p/kg	694kg	Others	K & A Wilton, Buxton
138p/kg	624kg	Holst	A & JM Bunting, Monyash
137p/kg	806kg	Lim	TF & J Thompson, Longnor
136p/kg	740kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm
135p/kg	720kg	Lim	MG Mosley, Rivelin
130p/kg	686kg	Lim	JA Hall, Longnor
130p/kg	776kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm
130p/kg	574kg	AA	D Sharratt, Combs

And Gross Prices:

£1104.22	806kg	Lim	TF & J Thompson, Longnor
£1008.80	776kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm
£1006.40	740kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm
£982.68	862kg	AA	NJ Clark, Ambergate
£978.18	822kg	Sim	P Cafferty, Ashover
£976.80	660kg	Hfd	A Hunter, Hognaston
£972.00	720kg	Lim	MG Mosley & Sons, Rivelin
£971.60	694kg	Other	K & A Wilton, Buxton
£967.60	820kg	Holst	GK & E Robinson, Wheston
£987.28	856kg	Hfd	A Hunter, Hognaston

### **3 OTM Steers**

163p/kg	£1131	Hfd	EA Gagie, Uttoxeter
132p/kg	£747	Char	P Hudson, New Mills

### **3 OTM Bulls**

149p/kg	£1248	BB	JA Hall, Longnor
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### 133 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 182.1p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

A very good entry but a shortage of best cattle led to buyers going home short of required numbers.

### 29 Finished Bulls ave 172.3p/kg

15 Continentals, 4 Native and 10 Black & Whites with the best looking better sold to a top of 230p and 229p for tremendous black Limousins from Stan & David Fearn, expertly fed by David Goddard. Black & White topped at 176p for Gordon Cresswell.

Sample Results:

230p/kg	696kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
229p/kg	702kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
225p/kg	724kg	Lim	Boden & Davies, Mellor
220p/kg	498kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
217p/kg	706kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
208p/kg	764kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
192p/kg	520kg	Lim	J Hole & Sons, Ashover

And Gross Prices:

£1685.40	1060kg	Char	Boden & Davies Ltd, Mellor
£1629.00	724kg	Lim	Boden & Davies Ltd, Mellor
£1607.58	702kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1600.80	696kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1589.12	764kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1532.02	706kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1441.60	848kg	B Blue x	AE & DJW Greaves, Elkesley
£1197.20	730kg	S Horn	RG & GC Moss, Abbots Bromley
£1116.72	846kg	Fries	D Fotherby & Sons, Tunstead

### 51 Steers – overall average 179.8p/kg

A bumper entry of steers today with 25 Continental, 21 Natives and 5 B&W's on offer and some remarkable prices for all qualities. Vernon Belfield, one of the last vendors in the ring showed 5 super Limmys to 227, 221 and 219p/kg. Angus sold to 202p/kg, Hereford to 188p and Longhorns to 184p. Big Holsteins for Roger Ardern sold to 170p.

Sample Results:

227p/kg	606kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
221p/kg	604kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
219p/kg	592kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
213p/kg	572kg	B Blue x	T & JM White, Bradfield
208p/kg	632kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
208p/kg	592kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
204p/kg	566kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
202p/kg	598kg	Sim	Atkin Bros, Barrow on Trent
202p/kg	598kg	AA	Atkin Bros, Barrow on Trent

And Gross Prices:

£1393.00	700kg	Lim	JE White, South Wingfield
£1375.62	606kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
£1334.84	604kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
£1314.56	632kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
£1303.40	686kg	B Blue x	Green Dales Farm, Alderwasley
£1301.52	696kg	B Blue x	AE & DJW Greaves, Elkesley
£1296.48	592kg	Lim	JV & KE Belfield, Sutton on the Hill
£1285.20	714kg	Lim	JE White, South Wingfield
£1253.24	646kg	B Blue x	TW Austin & Co, Burnaston

**53 Finished Heifers – overall average 190.8p/kg**

Possibly dearer than last week although the average shows them less, but the 21 Natives had a big effect on the overall average. Suckler bred continentals were well received by the butchers at ringside and topped at 258p/kg and 252p for best Limousins from Steven Wells. Top 10 over 230p. 12 Angus to 197p, 4 Herefords to 179p and Longhorns to 190p.

Sample Results:

258p/kg	510kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
252p/kg	502kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
246p/kg	574kg	Lim	JA Mosley & Sons, Stannington
240p/kg	556kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
239p/kg	530kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
238p/kg	568kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
237p/kg	540k	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
230p/kg	536kg	Lim	P Redfearn, Stockport

And Gross Prices:

£1423.50	650kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
£1413.12	736kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
£1412.04	574kg	Lim	JA Mosley & Sons, Stannington
£1351.84	568kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1334.40	556kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
£1318.38	602kg	Lim	P Redfearn, Stockport
£1315.80	510kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
£1280.44	538kg	S Horn	G Wardman, Matlock
£1279.80	540kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
£1266.70	530kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock

## **STORE & BREEDING CATTLE - (Auctioneer Alastair Sneddon)**

Another busy week with a total of 491 cattle in the section. An excellent trade from start to finish with all categories of cattle keenly sought.

Young cattle especially suckler bred types attracted particularly keen competition.

The entry was boosted by a suckler herd dispersal from H Spiby & Sons, Markfield together with a consignment of in-calf heifers from Messrs J & G Ede, Youlgreave.

The sale commenced with the breeding stock with sample results as follows:

### **In-calf heifers**

£1180	Lim x, 29 mnths	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1440	Lim x, 28 mnths	J & G Ede, Youlgreave
£1320	Lim x, 29 mnths	J & G Ede, Youlgreave
£1280	Lim x, 25 mnths	J & G Ede, Youlgreave

### **Cows & Calves**

£1,400	Lim x, 84 mnths & Hfr Calf	Porter Bros, Teversal
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### **Dispersal Sale for H Spiby & Sons**

#### **Cows & Calves**

£1340	B Blue x, 57 mnths & Bull Calf
£1240	Sim x, 55 mnths & Hfr Calf
£1220	Lim x, 90 mnths & Hfr Calf

#### **In-calf Cows & Heifers**

£1080	Lim x, 103 mnths – i/c
£1080	Lim x, 102 mnths – i/c
£1260	Char x, 78 mnths – i/c
£1140	Lim x, 55 mnths – i/c
£1300	B Blue x, 43 mnths – i/c

### **Stock Bulls from H Spiby & Sons**

£2,150	Ped Lim, 41 mnths
£2000	Ped B Blue, 79 mnths
£1480	Pure B Blue, 31 mnths
£1280	Pure Lim, 103 mnths

## **Feeding Bulls**

There were a total of 39 feeding bulls which attracted plenty of interest with sample results as follows:

£1050	Lim x	16 mnths	H Spiby & Sons, Markfield
£780	Lim x	8-16 mnths	H Spiby & Sons, Markfield
£680	Lim x	6-8 mnths	H Spiby & Sons, Markfield
£600	Hfd x	14-15 mnths	J Byard, Wingerworth
£780	Sim	9-10 mnths (7)	Greasley Estate, Eastwood
£1240	Ped Lim	19 mnths	R Swindell & Sons, Hognaston
£610	Angus x	5-6 mnths	DE Gould, Sheen

### 169 Steers ave £793

An outstanding trade for the young suckler bred types.

Plenty of interest in the Angus crosses of which there were several of useful consignments. Some big bunches of Black & Whites including a ring full of 14 sold together attracting fierce competition and speeding up the progress of the sale.

Sample prices as follows:

£700	Lim x	5-7 mnths	AJ Martin, Holymoorside
£590	Lim x	3-6 mnths	J & C Shardlow, Trussley
£725	Lim x	6-8 mnths	Roger Barton, North Leverton
£740	Lim x	5-6 mnths	M Heathcote, Hartington
£820	Lim x	7-8 mnths	B & S Archer, Sutton on the Hill
£880	Lim x	16 mnths	H Hodgkinson, Earl Sterndale
£775	Lim x	12 mnths	SR Harrison, Ireton Wood
£785	Char x	18 mnths	JP & D Helliwell, Oughtibridge
£740	Lim x	7 mnths	PJ Wilson, Caunton
£890	Char x	12 mnths	DG Ditchfield, Calwich
£965	Angus x	15-16 mnths	PJ Burton, Kirk Langley
£915	Sim x	13 mnths	P & J Mansfield, Hyde
£1020	Angus x	19 mnths	WJ Nadin, Earl Sterndale
£770	Hfd x	12-14 mnths	S & S Smith, Selston
£995	Angus x	17 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£960	B Blue x	17-18 mnths	CF Edge & Partners, Alsop
£1000	Angus x	17-18 mnths	WH Burgess & Son, New Mills
£980	Angus x	18-19 mnths	Willshee's Farming, Bretby
£1040	Char x	18-19 mnths	RH Bunting, Friden
£990	Lim x	18-20 mnths	GH Ball & Partners, Hilderstone
£1160	Lim x	17 mnths	DR Gould, Grange Mill
£925	Angus x	21-22 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£700	Holst	15-19 mnths (14)	JP & SL Hotchin, Parwich
£1105	Angus x	25-26 mnths	PJ Wheeldon, Longnor
£815	Holst Fries	23-28 mnths	PJ Wheeldon, Longnor
£1175	B Blue x	21-24 mnths	W & EE Lomas, Ashover
£690	Holst	21-25 mnths (9)	WJ Heathcote, Grange Mill
£1300	Fleck x	25 mnths	KJ White & Co, Swinscoe
£1060	Sim x	21 mnths	Miss B Foster, Hanch

### 153 Heifers ave £666

A good selection with a tremendous trade for all types. Young Cattle looking very well sold indeed.

Angus & Hereford crosses selling well and the stronger continentals finding a ready market.

Sample Results:

£550	Lim x	5-6 mnths	AJ Martin, Holymoorside
£600	Sim x	9 mnths	Greasley Estate, Eastwood
£570	Lim x	6 mnths	J & C Shardlow, Trussley
£600	Char x	5-8 mnths	JP & D Helliwell, Oughtibridge
£830	Sim x	15 mnths	R Bowler, Wirksworth
£770	Saler x	17-18 mnths	ES Rowarth, Bradwell
£700	Lim x	8-10 mnths	PJ Wilson, Caunton
£670	Angus x	17 mnths	A Skinner, Cromford
£960	Angus x	15 mnths	PJ Buxton, Kirk Langley
£675	Blonde x	16-17 mnths	FT Bagnall, Longnor
£865	Angus x	15 mnths	WJ Nadin, Earl Sterndale
£1005	Lim x	13-19 mnths	AR Milner, Pilsley
£665	Lim x	7-10 mnths	WT & K Greatholder, Turnditch
£775	Angus x	18-20 mnths (9)	Wilshee's Farming, Bretby
£615	Angus x	9-18 mnths (7)	WH Burgess, New Mills
£860	Hfd x	19-20 mnths	N Rickards, Slaley
£940	Lim x	18 mnths	GH Ball & Partners, Hilderstone
£635	Hfd x	17-18 mnths	Hall Partnership, Litton
£1040	Lim x	21 mnths	DR Gould & Son, Grange Mill
£1160	Lim x	21 mnths	DR Gould & Son, Grange Mill
£750	W Blk	20 mnths	Eyam Woodlands
£965	B Blue x	24-27 mnths	D Poole & Son, Flagg
£1090	Sim x	25 mnths	Miss B Foster, Hanch



### 67 CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)

A similar entry of calves to last week with trade strong for all types.

The offering lacking much in the way of top-quality sorts with a smart B Blue Heifer topping the day at £335.

Better bulls generally upwards of £200 to a top of £295 with black & whites again creating significant interest with stronger sorts upwards of £50 to a top of £78

<b>Bulls</b>	<b>Top Price (£)</b>	<b>Ave</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
Hfd	£272.00	£198.00	JW Brandrick & Sons, Beamhurst
Sim	£280.00	£211.67	G &D Shuker & Sons, Whaley Bridge
Holst	£75.00	£46.00	JJ Furness Ltd, Elton
B Swiss	£38.00		G & D Shuker & Sons, Whaley Bridge
Mont	£285.00		W & A Cartledge & Son, Sparrow Pit
Fries	£78.00	£55.75	JW Brandrick & Son, Beamhurst
AA	£262.00	£151.71	JJ Furness, Elton
S Horn	£34.00		W & N Sherratt & Son, Hartington
B Blue x	£295.00	£207.50	RS Torr, Tissington
Lim	£230.00	£90.40	RS Torr, Tissington
<b>Heifers</b>			
Hfd	£60.00		T & CJ Hadfield, Tideswell
Sim	£225.00	£138.50	G & D Shuker & Sons, Whaley Bridge
Saler	£68.00	£68.00	JF Hayes, Shottle
AA	£170.00	£104.00	JJ Furness Ltd, Elton
B Blue x	£335.00	£200.58	DR & S Kirby, Eastmoor
Lim	£215.00	£99.50	W & A Cartledge & Son, Sparrow Pit

## **1,270 Sheep including 889 Finished Lambs & 381 Cull Sheep (Auctioneer Peter Oven)**

A smaller entry of 1270 head of sheep saw buyers bidding briskly in all sections to secure the numbers required. A total of 889 lambs saw a top of 252p/kg for Bernard Archers pen of lambs, with 3 further pens from various vendors realising 250p/kg. Best heavy butchers lambs peaked at 239p/kg with over weight sorts to 206p/kg with top gross of £129.78/head. Overall average 216.46p/kg up 20p/kg on the week.

### Leading Prices: -

26.7kg	238p/kg	CA Ollerenshaw, Grindlow
31.8kg	228p/kg	J Greatorex & Son, Oker
34kg	220p/kg	PE Yates, Quarndon
35.2kg	222p/kg	J Greatorex & Son, Oker
36kg	250p/kg	Stoneyford Farms, Notts
37.2kg	237p/kg	HJ Archer, Scropton
38.7kg	244p/kg	HJ Archer, Scropton
39.4kg	250p/kg	Stoneyford Farms, Notts
39.6kg	236p/kg	I&T Greenfield, Nuneaton
40kg	233p/kg	N Pearson, Peak Forest
41.2kg	238p/kg	EL Brown, Bradwell
42.1kg	239p/kg	DM Elliott & Son, Hucklow
42.8kg	252p/kg	BR & SB Archer, Sutton on Hill
43.2kg	238p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
44.3kg	250p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire
47.1kg	237p/kg	R Quarmby, Sheffield
47.6kg	239p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire
50.2kg	230p/kg	R & S Salisbury, Abney
51.8kg	218p/kg	R & S Salisbury, Abney
63kg	206p/kg	R & S Salisbury, Abney

### Averages:

Light	To: 238p/kg	Ave: 219.7p/kg
Standard	To: 250p/kg	Ave: 217.23p/kg
Medium	To: 252p/kg	Ave: 216.03p/kg
Heavy	To: 239p/kg	Ave: 208.67p/kg
Overweight	To: 206p/kg	Ave: 186.79p/kg

## **Old Season Lambs to 149p/kg – Average 146.4p/kg**

### **Cull Sheep**

In the cull ewes just 381 on offer attracted very brisk bidding with several grazing buyers operating. Best Texels topped the day at £131/head with the top 10 pens averaging £126/head. Strong Suffolk ewes were in the £90-£100 bracket with mules in the £65 to £75 range.

<b>Cast Ewes</b>	<b>To: £131</b>	<b>Ave: £77.36 (up £5/head)</b>
<b>Cast Rams</b>	<b>To: £138</b>	