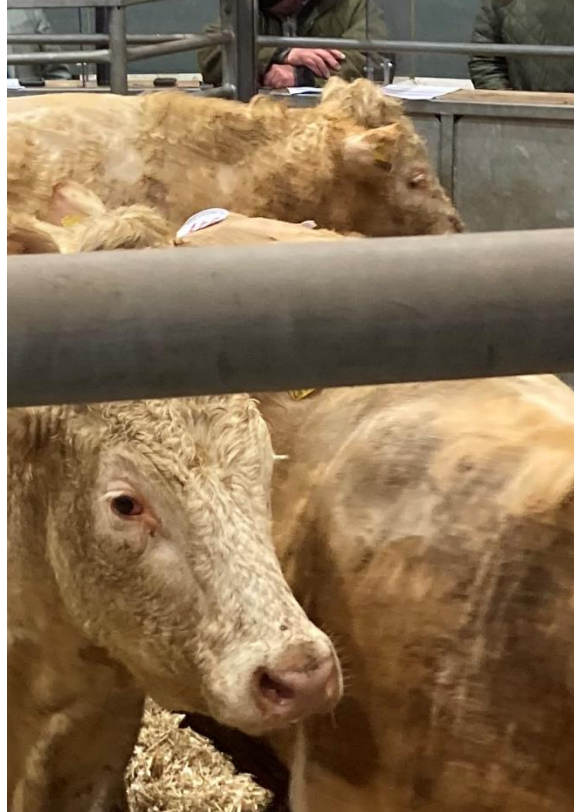


## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February



Better weekend weather and much improved travelling conditions ensured that entries were back to normal this week, with 614 cattle and 1,592 sheep on offer.

No question marks over trade either with tremendous prices achieved and plenty of competition in all sections.

The market is still operating under strict 'Drop & Go' rules, but with trade at its current level vendors need have no concerns about prices.

Bakewell buyers want the opportunity to bid for your cattle so if you have stores in test and are minded to sell do not hesitate to speak to Alastair Sneddon on 07973 982441.

A good show of 344 Store & Breeding Cattle sold exceptionally well with results greatly in advance of expectations. Steers sold to £1,290, Heifers £1,270 and Feeding Bulls £1,120.

Finished cattle remain in great demand and the increased entry of 122 saw top figures of 259p and £1,670 per head.

Our regular barometer of prices the average for 50 heifers at 202p was testament to a solid trade.

OTM & Feeding Cows were more numerous at 115 with top figures 182p and £1,630 per head. The average almost matched last week at 133.0p.

Just 33 Calves on parade this week, with bulls to £390 and heifers £280.

Better entries of sheep with 1,133 old season lambs forward. An outstanding trade from start to finish with top figures 302p and £139.65 per head. The SQQ average looked good at 260.1p

A decent turnout of 457 Cull Sheep saw the best ewes to £160 and the average a creditable £86.57

It is with great sadness that we inform you that Ian Hill, Farmer & Haulier from Totley, Sheffield has passed away.

A minute's silence was held in his memory in both cattle rings prior to Monday's sale.

### **Forthcoming Fixtures**

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> February: Lunchtime Sheep Sale, See our Facebook page for special entries**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February: Catalogued Cattle Sale, entries now being taken, call the Bakewell office on 01629 812777**

### **MARKET NEWS**

Doug Parker who has worked with Bagshaws for 50 years has decided to retire.

Doug has been a familiar face at Bakewell and other markets looking after the finished cattle and OTM's with the fat bulls being his specialist subject in recent years.

The partners of Bagshaws would like to express their thanks to Doug for all his efforts over the years and to wish him well in his retirement.

### **115 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 133.1p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles).**

A better show of cows this week after a snow affected market last week. Trade is absolutely remarkable for the time of year with all the regular buyers working hard to secure their loads. Top price today was a 3-way tie for Limousin and Lincoln Red cows from Margaret Heath and Jack Blackshaw. Plenty of better sorts 165p plus with the best fed sorts grossing over £1200. As always, a number of cows sold for further feeding with buyers looking for lean, green or recently weaned cows to improve.

### **40 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 127.1p**

Very strong money again with the best fed and Farm Assured cows easily place and a high of 146p for Messrs Walker, Ashgate. Better sorts 140p plus, big fed Holsteins 130-140, leaner Holsteins 110-125 with only a couple of the plainer cows under £1.

#### Sample Results:

182p/kg	794kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
182p/kg	738kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
182p/kg	896kg	Linc Red	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
180p/kg	822kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Pilsley
178p/kg	740kg	Saler	CE Hancock & Son, Elton
177p/kg	680kg	Lim	J & J Mellor & Son, Kniveton
176p/kg	664kg	Cont	SJ Buckley & Partners, Doveholes
174p/kg	760kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
169p/kg	580kg	Stab	Flash House Farms, Penistone
169p/kg	640kg	B Blue	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
168p/kg	662kg	AA	WN Brough & TJ Fox, Hurdlow
167p/kg	550kg	Stab	Flash House Farms, Penistone
166p/kg	512kg	Lim	WI Fletcher, Sheldon
165p/kg	658kg	Lim	J Simpson, Bradwell

#### And Gross Prices:

£1630.72	896kg	Linc Red	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1479.60	822kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
£1445.08	794kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
£1343.16	738kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1338.60	970kg	Lim	S & CM Jones & Sons, Idridgehay
£1322.40	760kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1317.20	740kg	Saler	CE Hancock & Son, Elton
£1212.68	854kg	Holst	W Salt & Son, Denstone
£1203.60	680kg	Lim	J & J Mellor & Son, Kniveton
£1197.96	894kg	B Blue x	S & A Taylor, Cumberworth

### **3 OTM Bulls**

174p/kg	£1566	Blonde	D & SE Edge, Pike Hall
122p/kg	£1437	Hfd	Bowring Enterprises Warsop

## **120 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 196.2p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

A bumper entry of 29 bulls and 91 finished cattle that included 12 OTM clean with their number. Trade blistering from start to finish and many more could have been sold.

### **29 Finished Bulls ave 177.8p/kg**

Better numbers today and many thanks for your support. The bulls do look well sold at present and if you have any to sell, why not try a few at Bakewell? Top call today was John Ottewell at 231p or £1737 with a couple from Messrs Shenton at £1771 and £1795 (225p) 16 Friesian sold to 185p

#### Sample Results:

231p/kg	752kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
225p/kg	798kg	Blonde c	CW Shenton, Handforth
214p/kg	704kg	Blond x	JT Ottewell, Calow
207p/kg	608kg	Lim	A Sims Ltd, Atlow
199p/kg	890kg	Blonde x	CW Shenton, Handforth
198p/kg	608kg	Lim	J Hole & Sons, Ashover
197p/kg	804kg	B Blue x	A Hoggarth, Bamford
194p/kg	564kg	B Blue x	A Sims Ltd, Atlow
193p/kg	530kg	B Blue x	J Hole & Sons, Ashover
185p/kg	550kg	Fries	GC & BJ Cresswell, Atlow

#### And Gross Prices:

£1795.50	798kg	Blonde x	CW Shenton, Handforth
£1771.10	890kg	Blonde x	CW Shenton, Handforth
£1737.12	852kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1583.88	804kg	B Blue x	A Hoggarth, Bamford
£1506.56	704kg	Blonde x	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1258.56	608kg	Lim	A Sims Ltd, Atlow
£1226.10	670kg	Lim	A Sims Ltd, Atlow
£1203.84	608kg	Lim	J Hole & Sons, Ashover

### **43 Steers – overall average 198.7p/kg**

20 Continental, 12 Native (5 OTM) and 11 B&W in the entry with buyers for all and a very very strong trade. Best fed suckler bred sorts topped at 259p for a tremendous Blue from Steff, Steven and Owen Wells of Monyash with their other at 248p. Messrs Edge, Pike Hall had 244p or £1,600 with Jack Blackshaw at 238p or £1646. Angus to 203p, Hereford to 200p with OTM L Horns to 189p and OTM Hereford to 185p.

#### Sample Results:

259p/kg	556kg	B Blue x	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
248p/kg	586kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
244p/kg	656kg	Lim	D & SE Edge, Pike Hall
238p/kg	692kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
235p/kg	570kg	B Blue x	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
232p/kg	602kg	B Blue x	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
228p/kg	596kg	B Blue x	RA & CW Bentley, Church Broughton

225p/kg	604kg	Lim	D & SE Edge, Pike Hall
224p/kg	620kg	Lim	DS & A Prince, Back of Ecton
223p/kg	562kg	Blonde x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
222p/kg	582kg	Lim	DS & A Prince, Back of Ecton
222p/kg	606kg	B Blue x	RA & CW Bentley, Church Broughton

And Gross Prices:

£1646.96	692kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1600.84	656kg	Lim	D & SE Edge, Pike Hall
£1493.28	732kg	Lim	DS & A Prince, Back of Ecton
£1481.22	702kg	Lim	JJ Austin, Brockhurst
£1453.28	586kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
£1440.04	556kg	B Blue x	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
£1398.10	682kg	Lim	DS & A Prince, Back of Ecton
£1383.80	748kg	Hfd	KJ White & Co, Swinscoe

**48 Finished Heifers – overall average 205.7p/kg**

Like the steers some tremendous cattle and well sold. Best suckler sorts to 257p or £1670 for a lovely sort from Jack Blackshaw. Ian Mellor had 252p and 249p for his pair and Keith Harrop 243p for the best of his run. 4 Angus to 208p with 6 other OTM Natives to 195 for Longhorns.

Sample Results:

257p/kg	650kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
252p/kg	564kg	Lim	J & J Mellor & Son, Kniveton
249p/kg	526kg	Lim	J & J Mellor & Son, Kniveton
243p/kg	544kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
242p/kg	596kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
242p/kg	588kg	Blond x	K Harrop, Alport
233p/kg	624kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
232p/kg	580kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
229p/kg	570kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
228p/kg	528kg	Blonde x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
227p/kg	484kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
224p/kg	550kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport

And Gross Prices:

£1670.50	650kg	Lim	PJ Backshaw, Pilsley
£1453.92	624kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1422.96	588kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
£1421.28	564kg	Lim	J & J Mellor & Son, Kniveton
£1401.84	708kg	Blonde x	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1350.48	662kg	B Blue x	E Morten & Sons, Barmoor Clough
£1345.60	580kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport

£1342.44	678kg	Char	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1332.00	666kg	AA	B Sayles, Park Head
£1321.92	544kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport

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

A decent entry of 344 included some which had failed to appear last week as a result of snow in certain areas.

There was plenty of buying power present or represented and an outstanding trade right through.

### **We Need Your Help**

Please try to have your cattle delivered to Bakewell in good time, so that they can be sorted and numbered well before the sale starts.

There is a very good reason for doing this.

Buyers want a chance to view them before the sale starts, but because of the COVID-19 rule they also want to secure their places around the ring well before the sale commences.

It would assist our numbering team greatly and ensure the buyers can view your stock if the cattle could arrive in good time.

### **The sale commenced with a few Breeding Stock**

£1000	B Blue x Cow, 99 mnths	WT & K Greatholder, Turnditch
£950	B Blue x, 58 mnths	WT & K Greatholder, Turnditch
£1160	Lim x Cow & Calf	P Hurst, Ipstones

### **33 Feeding Bulls**

An interesting selection with sample prices as follows:

£500	Hfd	8 mnths	TA & DE Spooner, Upper Hulme
£760	Sim x	7-8 mnths	M & C Morris, Clay Cross
£980	Blonde	9 mnths	JD Brown, Bonsall
£1060	B Blue x	19 mnths	IT Lomax, Saverley Green
£1120	Lim x	21 mnths	R Wartig, Thurgoland
£630	Char x	8 mnths	P Emery, Gratwich
£600	Blonde x	8 mnths	CH Ede & Son, Alkmonton
£840	B Blue x	14 mnths	JP Webster, Foolow

### **172 Steers ave £919**

Tremendous prices for all breeds, sizes and age groups as the £919 average indicates. Young suckled calf sorts were very keenly sought and the old cattle attracted plenty of interest.

Angus crosses finding their usual fans, likewise Herefords of which there were some very fine specimens in the entry.

Sample results:

£560	Angus	7-9 mnths	W Salt & Son, Denstone
£850	Lim x	8 mnths	Conway & Mellor, Pike Hall
£790	Sim x	8-9 mnths	CJ Stone, Buxton
£690	Sim x	8 mnths	Riverside Farms, Scropton

£1030	B Blue x	17 mnths	I & DJ Hammersley, Offcote
£860	Angus x	17 mnths	S Bowler, Idridgehay
£770	B Blue x	14-16 mnths	GS & L Wheeldon, Atlow
£760	Lim x	16 mnths	GS & L Wheeldon, Atlow
£740	Lim x	18-21 mnths	JA & D Shepherd Hollow Meadows
£1290	Sim	17-18 mnths	P Cafferty, Ashover
£1150	B Blue x	18-19 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1020	Lim x	20 mnths	D & A Dickinson, Bradbourne
£1035	Lim x	16 mnths	W & P Charlton, Brassington
£1190	Lim x	19 mnths	IT Lomax, Blythe Bridge
£1050	Hfd x	20-22 mnths	JW Handford, Birch Vale
£1250	Lim x	20 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£870	Lim x	20 mnths	PE Ward, Kirk Ireton
£1270	Lim x	19-20 mnths	R Rowlinson, Ilam
£1275	Angus x	18 mnths	PJ Buxton, Kirk Langley
£920	Lim x	19-21 mnths	GE Wilmott, Ashover
£1060	Angus x	22 mnths	Mrs M Sellors, Grange Mill
£1090	Angus x	17-20 mnths	AG Mellor, Sutton
£1280	Char x	17-20 mnths	DJ Sowerby, Edale
£660	Angus x	17-19 mnths	PJ Brown, Tansley
£1135	Lim x	20-22 mnths	RA Tatlow, Ashbourne
£1100	Angus x	17-21 mnths	RA Tatlow, Ashbourne
£980	Sim x	16-20 mnths	RA Tatlow, Ashbourne
£1155	Hfd x	21-22 mnths	JW Shepherd, Winshill
£1105	Hfd x	22-23 mnths	JW Shepherd, Winshill
£1140	Fries	25 mnths	G & R Gould, Elton
£1120	B Blue x	24 mnths	GW Smith & Son, Aldwark
£1210	Angus x	27 mnths	GS Heathcote, Romiley
£850	Lim x	9 mnths	GCG Robinson, Longnor
£720	Holst	27 mnths	J & JW Stafford, Ashbourne

### 133 Heifers ave £805

Everything well sold with some superb bunches of well-matched cattle attracting a distinct premium.

Angus and Hereford crosses much in demand.

Sample Results:

£460	Angus	7-11 mnths	W Salt & Son, Denstone
£400	B Blue x	6 mnths	W Salt & Son, Denstone
£600	Lim x	7 mnths (7)	J & HM Dowey, Woodhead
£900	Lim x	9 mnths	Mrs D Brown, Hazelwood
£800	Lim x	8 mnths	Conway & Mellor, Pike Hall
£700	Lim x	9-11 mnths	Roger Barlow, North Leverton
£875	Angus x	9-16 mnths	Riverside Farms, Scropton

£1000	B Blue x	17 mnths	I & DJ Hammersley, Offcote
£1030	Lim x	15 mnths	S Wilde, Bradfield
£780	B Blue x	14-18 mnths	GS & L Wheeldon, Atlow
£730	Lim x	13 mnths	J & D Shepherd, Hollow Meadows
£805	B Blue x	16 mnths (6)	S Bradbury, Tideswell
£1170	B Blue x	20 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1155	B Blue x	20 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1055	Lim x	17-19 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley
£1150	Lim x	21-23 mnths	MJ Burnett, Rowsley
£1270	Char x	20 mnths	AG Tomkinson, Thorpe
£1240	B Blue x	20 mnths	AG Tomkinson, Thorpe
£955	Angus	17-18 mnths	PJ Buxton, Kirk Langley
£740	Angus x	18-21 mnths	Mrs M Sellors, Grange Mill
£985	B Blue x	21-22 mnths	CF Edge & Partners, Alsop
£605	Angus x	16-25 mnths	PJ Brown, Tansley
£945	Lim x	20 mnths	C Matthews, Castleton
£1045	Hfd x	22-23 mnths	JW Shepherd, Winshill
£960	Lim x	29 mnths	R & P Ratcliff, Sudbury
£1145	Char	16-21 mnths	S Franks, Bradfield
£1160	Sim x	24 mnths	GS Heathcote, Romily
£810	Angus x	21 mnths	R & E & R Bennett, Whiston
£700	Lim x	8 mnths	GCG Robinson, Longnor
£755	B Blue x	13 mnths	JF Gibson, Thorpe

### **CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)**

An excellent trade for all with a number of purchasers going home short of requirements.

Bulls saw B Blues to £390 and heifers to £280, together with a Saler bull to £280.

Plenty of interest in the Black & Whites with the best of these to £115.

<b>Bulls</b>	<b>Top Price (£)</b>	<b>Ave</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
Hfd	£155.00	£140.00	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
Holst	£100.00	£44.43	JF Hayes, Shottle
Saler	£280.00		JF Hayes, Shottle
Fries	£115.00		JW Brandrick & Son, Beamhurst
Baz	£295.00		Moor Farmers, Flagg
B Blue x	£390.00	£249.33	W&A Cartledge & Son, Sparrowpit
Lim	£262.00	£231.67	GHW Dakin & Son, Matlock
<b>Heifers</b>			
Hfd	£62.00		JW Brandrick & Son, Beamhurst
Saler	£168.00	£156.00	JF Hayes, Shottle
AA	£170.00		JF Hayes, Shottle
B Blue x	£280.00	£228.33	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
Lim	£165.00		GHW Dakin & Son, Matlock



### **1,592 Sheep including 1,133 Finished Lambs, 457 Ewes & Rams & 2 Store Sheep (Auctioneer Peter Oven)**

A total entry of 1592 head of sheep included 1133 lambs. Demand very brisk throughout with a top of 302p/kg for best butchers lambs and 300p/kg of best export lambs. Heavy weight butchers lambs to 273p/kg with overweight sorts to 263p/kg. A top gross of £139.65/head with a market average of over £108/head. The overall average was 260.17p/kg.

#### Leading Prices: -

32kg	278p/kg	C Naylor, Stanton
35kg	278p/kg	A & S Seals, Alfreton
36kg	280p/kg	RS Torr, Tissington
37.3kg	270p/kg	BL & BM Corbett, Hopton
37.8kg	270p/kg	AV Marsden, Hucklow
38kg	272p/kg	C Naylor, Stanton
38.7kg	283p/kg	MJ Burnett, Rowsley
41.2kg	292p/kg	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
42.4kg	290p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
43.2kg	296p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
43.7kg	300p/kg	DM Elliott & Son, Hucklow
45kg	302p/kg	AV Marsden, Hucklow
46.1kg	273p/kg	DM Elliott & Son, Hucklow
48.9kg	256p/kg	F Green, Bottomhouse
50.6kg	251p/kg	H Hodgkinson & Son, Earl Sterndale
52.5kg	263p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire
57kg	263p/kg	J Trueman & Partner, Cheshire

#### Averages:

Light	To: 278p/kg	Ave: 270.73p/kg
Standard	To: 282p/kg	Ave: 261.83p/kg
Medium	To: 302p/kg	Ave: 259.45p/kg
Heavy	To: 273p/kg	Ave: 235.95p/kg
Overweight	To: 263p/kg	Ave: 231.59p/kg

### **457 Cull Sheep (Auctioneer Mark Elliott)**

A good post snow fall entry and vendors were well rewarded for their efforts.

All categories good to sell with the prime Texels, Beltex and heavy pure Suffolks particularly strong as well as the heavy Mules.

Mules topped at £96 with several runs £81-£86 and the best Jacob at £82.

Long sweet Texels topped the day at £166 for the Hadfields at Chamber Farm, with the Smith Family at Carlecoates close behind at £158.

Several packets of horned and Gritstone ewes over £70 to a top in the mid £80.

The best 7 lots averaged £151.57 and a pedigree Suffolk at £149.

<b>Cast Ewes</b>	<b>To: £166</b>	<b>Ave: £86.57</b>
<b>Cast Rams</b>	<b>To: £155</b>	<b>Ave: £85.92</b>
<b>Goats</b>	<b>To £94.00</b>	<b>Ave: £77.00</b>