

## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

Monday 29th March



A big day with substantial entries in all departments and some 742 Cattle and 1,814 Sheep on offer.

Demand was outstanding for all classes of stock and a wealth of highlights in both sheep and cattle sections.

In normal times we would have had the Easter Lamb Show and there were 64 Spring Lambs forward with an astonishing trade and prices that could not have been contemplated.

Top figures 725p/kg and £300.88 per head.

The SQQ average for spring lambs was 635.8p/kg.

Hoggs (Old Season Lambs) were also in great demand, with the best of the 1,405 to 386p/kg and £172.80 per head. The SQQ levelled at 309.5 pence.

Dealing with the 342 Cull sheep, again plenty of trade with ewes to £155 to average £93.95.

Turning to the cattle department there was a bumper crop of 571 Store & Breeding cattle with prices if anything even dearer than last week.

Steers sold to £1,410, Heifers £1,320 and Feeding Bulls £1,100 and In calf cows reached £1,330.

Suffice it to say that anyone with Store Cattle to sell would be well advised to let the buyers at Bakewell bid for them.

A useful entry of 98 Finished Cattle sold exceptionally well with top figures 270p/kg and £,681 per head. The average for the 40 heifers at 221.4p/kg gives an indication on the strength of demand.

Rather more OTM Cattle on offer with 105 meeting a solid trade, top figures 187p and £1,664 with the average 142.6p.

Calves still thin on the ground, bulls sold to £385 and heifers £398.

### **Forthcoming Fixtures**

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April:** Lunchtime Sheep Sale, See our Facebook page for special entries.

**PLEASE NOTE: Bakewell Market will be operating on Easter Monday 5<sup>th</sup> April**, please let us have your Store Cattle entries by 12 noon on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April:** Orange Market, Sale of TB restricted cattle, further Entries invited, please speak to Oliver Hiles on the number below.



**WE HAVE A DATE!**  
Orange Sales starting at Bakewell  
Friday 16th April 2021

**BAGSHAWS**  
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In order to assist farmers who are under TB restriction to market their cattle competitively we are launching 'Orange Markets' at Bakewell on Friday 16th April 2021.

We are hoping these sales will attract Store Cattle, OTM Cows and Finished Cattle

**VENDORS**

1. Cattle must come from a restricted holding
2. Cattle must have had a clear TB test within the last 90 days
3. Cattle must comply with the 6 day rule
4. All cattle will need a TB 204 licence from APHA.

**PURCHASERS**

Cattle may only be sold to go direct to:

1. An AFU
2. To Slaughter

If you are a potential vendor or a prospective buyer speak to  
**Alastair Sneddon 07973982441 or Oliver Hiles on 07801530899**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We have been asked to inform you that Peter Morten of Barmoor Farm, Barmoor Clough, Buxton Has passed away.

**105 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 142.69p or £989.50 (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles).**

More on offer as expected and trade generally very similar with the overall average just £12 back on the week. Now is certainly the time to be selling. We can handle all sorts, big cattle, fat or thin. Please don't feel obliged or threatened to send them all direct when we can handle them.

Top cow today was a lovely Simmental cow from Paul Jolliffe, Cotton at 187p or £1496. Top 10 over 175p with the top 21 over 166p. Hereford to 160p, Angus to 180p and Lincoln Red to 137p.

**40 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 125.1p/kg**

Perhaps a little less but a good lot of hard worked cows about today reducing the average. Best cows still nicely over 145p and selling to 162p for Friesian, with an odd clean heifer at 168p. Big Holstein 130-140p with leaner cows 110-130p and only a few plain cows around £1.

**Sample Results:**

187p/kg	800kg	Sim	PV Jolliffe, Cotton
182p/kg	670kg	Lim	PS & JM Bloor, Sandbach
180p/kg	662kg	AA	BL & BM Corbett, Hopton
178p/kg	536kg	Lim	OS & JM Bloor, Sandbach
175p/kg	720kg	S Horn	ED Ironmonger & Son, Bonsall
175p/kg	754kg	Char	Thorp Farms, Baslow
175p/kg	752kg	Pied	A & PD Boam, Uppertown
175p/kg	734kg	Sim	IR Spendlove, Belper
175p/kg	640kg	Others	Thorp Farms, Baslow
174p/kg	772kg	Sim	DM Elliott & Son, Little Hucklow
174p/kg	564kg	B Blue x	Amos Farms Ltd, Parwich

**And Gross Prices:**

£1496.00	800kg	Sim	PV Jolliffe, Cotton
£1343.28	772kg	Sim	DM Elliott & Son, Little Hucklow
£1319.50	754kg	Char	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£1316.00	752kg	Pied	A & PD Boam, Uppertown
£1291.48	778kg	B Blue x	J & J Spillane, Fairfield Common
£1284.50	734kg	Sim	IR Spendlove, Belper
£1274.52	988kg	AA	W & E Lomas & Sons, Ashover
£1273.32	786kg	Char	L Marshall & J Boam, Monyash
£1260.00	720kg	S Horn	ED Ironmonger & Son, Bonsall
£1244.10	858kg	Holst	FJ Knibb, Derby

**3 OTM Bulls**

146p/kg	£1664	AA	A & DJ Gregory, Litton
150p/kg	£1563	Lim	Redgate Farms, Brinsley
150p/kg	£1452	Lim	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley

#### 4 OTM Steers

198p/kg      £1049      BB

GA & SM Wainwright & Sons, Bamford

#### 98 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 214.1p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

##### **UNBELIEVABLE TRADE!**

A few extras on offer and a quite remarkable trade throughout.

#### 16 Finished Bulls ave 198.7p/kg

Very, very dear like all cattle today with a couple of best handy weight bulls at 218p for Nigel Birch, Monyash. Friesians to 192p for SG Potter.

##### Sample Results:

218p/kg	584kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
218p/kg	536kg	Sim	NA Birch, Monyash
215p/kg	438kg	Lim	HK & S Parkinson, Mapperley
214p/kg	740kg	B Blue x	PJ Dale, Denby Village
211p/kg	512kg	Lim	HK & S Parkinson, Mapperley
211p/kg	440kg	Lim	HK & S Parkinson, Mapperley
210p/kg	506kg	Lim	HK & S Parkinson, Mapperley
210p/kg	480kg	Lim	HK & S Parkinson, Mapperley
208p/kg	586kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton

##### And Gross Prices:

£1583.60	740kg	B Blue x	PJ Dale, Denby Village
£1457.80	788kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£1294.08	674kg	Fries	SG Potter, Bonsall
£1273.12	584kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
£1218.88	586kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton

#### 42 Steers – overall average 213.1p/kg

Including 5 OTM's and 5 B&W. Trade remarkable with buyers for all shapes, sizes, breeds and finishes. Best quality Limousins sold to 254p for Don Lownds and 251p for Messrs Keeling, Hollington.

7 Hereford to 218p, Angus to 213p and OTM to 194p.

##### Sample Results:

254p/kg	658kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapmoor
251p/kg	652kg	Lim	D Keeling, Hollington
243p/kg	612kg	Sim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
239p/kg	562kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
239p/kg	554kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
236p/kg	586kg	Lim	Green Dales Farm, Alderwasley
230p/kg	688kg	Sim	D Lownds, Reapmoor
227p/kg	618kg	Lim	FR J & D Charlesworth, Bradbourne
224p/kg	526kg	B Blue x	Green Dales Farm, Alderwasley
222p/kg	638kg	B Blue x	A & K Farming, Leek
221p/kg	620kg	Lim	FR J & D Charlesworth, Bradbourne
220p/kg	620kg	Lim	A & K Farming, Leek

220p/kg	578kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton
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And Gross Prices:

£1681.92	768kg	Lim	RH & DT Swinson, Uttoxeter
£1671.32	658kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1636.52	652kg	Lim	D Keeling, Hollington
£1582.40	688kg	Sim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1579.60	718kg	Lim	RH & DT Swinson, Uttoxeter
£1520.82	714kg	Hfd	KJ White & Co, Swinscoe
£1487.16	612kg	Cont	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1424.64	672kg	Hfd	D Keeling, Hollington
£1416.36	628kg	B Blue x	A & K Farming, Leek
£1411.74	682kg	Hfd	KJ White & Co, Swinscoe

**40 Finished Heifers – overall average 221.4p/kg**

The highest average achieved at Bakewell for a regular Monday. 270p was the top call for the second week in a row. Don Lownds had a superb Limousin at that money to gross £1679. Keith Harrop's run today sold to 269p and 258p (twice) with the top 20 over 220p and even OTM heifers at 200p, Hereford to 214p and Angus to 210p

Sample Results:

270p/kg	622kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
269p/kg	592kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
258p/kg	614kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
258p/kg	564kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
240p/kg	630kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
237p/kg	620kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
236p/kg	564kg	Char	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
235p/kg	568kg	Lim	JA Mosley & Sons, Stannington
234p/kg	508kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
234p/kg	542kg	B Blue x	T & JM White, High Bradfield
232p/kg	462kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
230p/kg	458kg	B Blue x	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow

And Gross Prices:

£1679.40	622kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1592.48	592kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
£1584.12	614kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
£1512.00	630kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1493.72	698kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1469.40	620kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
£1455.12	564kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
£1440.60	686kg	AA	B Sayles, Park Head
£1433.60	640kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1404.48	616kg	Lim	DM Elliott & Son, Little Hucklow

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

A wonderful entry of 511 cattle encompassing a broad spectrum of breeds, sizes, ages and qualities, but buyers were out in force for all types and a tremendous trade prevailed from start to finish with several commentators saying they were the dearest yet.

### **41 Feeding Bulls**

The sale commenced with 37 Feeding Bulls with sample prices as follows:

£1100	Sim	10 mnths	Storer Smith, Uttoxeter
£670	S Horn x	10 mnths	Marchwood Farming, Birch Cross
£980	Hfd x	12-13 mnths	Ingram Bros, Atherstone
£820	Char	6 mnths	Mrs MJ Greener, Shireoaks
£965	Angus x	22 mnths	Arderne & Bothwell, Congleton
£890	Char x	16 mnths	A Gimbert, Cellarhead
£450	Holst	8-10 mnths	J & C Hitch, Stainsby
£1060	Sim	11-12 mnths	JC Shepherd, Dungworth

### **Feeding Cows included:**

£920	Lim x, 76 mnths	Frith Bros, Thorpe
£920	Baz x, 154 mnths	Roger Barton, North Leverton

### **Breeding Cattle**

£1330	B Blue x Cow, 52 mnths, i/c	MWM Barton, Holbrook
£1110	Lim x Cow, 58 mnths, i/c	MWM Barton, Holbrook
£960	Hfd Hfr, 20 mnths & Bull Calf	S Rains & Son, Grange Mill

### **228 Steers ave £904**

Some fine specimens hitting the highlights, but all well sold with grazing cattle exceptionally dear.

Sample results:

£480	Angus x	7 mnths	W & E Handford, Birch Vale
£390	Fries	6-7 mnths	W & E Handford, Birch Vale
£710	B Blue x	6 mnths	Roger Barlow, North Leverton
£570	Devon x	6-7 mnths	JG Thompson, Mayfield
£1025	Hfd x	20 mnths	KL Haywood, Huthwaite
£960	Hfd x	14 mnths	Manor Farming, Tatenhill
£800	Lim x	10 mnths	CJ Wigley & Son, Middleton
£850	Lim x	7 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£885	Char x	7-11 mnths	JP & D Helliwell, Oughtibridge
£1095	Char x	13-18 mnths	Chambers & Wilton, Flagg
£800	Lim x	9-10 mnths	AJ Parker, Ticknall
£1000	Lim x	11-12 mnths	HJ Burton, Brailsford
£1020	Lim x	10 mnths	B Chadwick, Onecote
£1390	B Blue x	21 mnths	R & C Bentley, Church Broughton
£975	Lim x	10-13 mnths	NA & J Stone, Tissington
£980	Sim x	9-12 mnths	RM Calcott, Tamworth
£1095	Sim x	12-13 mnths	DC Wright, Parwich

£860	B Blue x	13-14 mnths	Cook & Watson, Market Rasen
£925	Char x	13-16 mnths	A Gimbert, Cellarhead
£1030	Sim x	12-13 mnths	AJ Palmer, Uttoxeter
£930	Angus x	12-13 mnths	CS Edge, Ballidon
£1010	Lim x	19 mnths	M & A Challinor, Dilhorne
£1040	B Blue x	17 mnths	RF & JP Critchlow, Hartington
£1125	B Blue x	17 mnths	LA & H Burtonshaw, Middleton
£815	Angus x	18 mnths	SM Fletcher, Heathcote
£1150	B Blue x	17 mnths	N & S Pearson, Peak Forest
£765	Holst	14-15 mnths	N & S Pearson, Peak Forest
£1165	Angus x	22-24 mnths	R Fletcher, Windley
£1010	Hfd x	16 mnths	J Taylor, Bonsall
£1050	Lim x	17 mnths	Red Lion Inn, Dayhills
£1195	Lim x	18 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1080	Lim x	20 mnths	D & A Dickinson, Bradbourne
£1175	Hfd x	20-23 mnths	J Blant, Strelley
£1095	Hfd x	21 mnths	JT Flint, Ible
£1155	B Blue x	21 mnths	MT Wainwright, Poynton
£935	B Blue x	15-16 mnths	D & S Ede, Cubley
£1330	Lim x	20-21 mnths	H Wilton, Taddington
£1300	Lim	18-21 mnths	H Wilton, Taddington
£1130	Angus x	23 mnths	Alma Mount, Rowarth
£1055	MRI	20 mnths	JC Shepherd, Dungworth
£1050	Hfd x	22-23 mnths	Gosling Farming, Parwich
£1200	Angus	21-25 mnths	GL Brown, Spondon
£1285	Char	21-24 mnths	JG & JM Belfield, Sheen
£1400	Blonde x	25 mnths	Wilshaw & Hine, Macclesfield

### 235 Heifers ave £846

A good selection with plenty of well-matched bunches which helped speed the progress of the sale as well as commanding a premium.

Rough coated cattle for immediate turnout very keenly sought.

Sample Results:

£470	B Blue	2-5 mnths	W & E Handford, Birch Vale
£1040	Hfd x	21 mnths	KL Haywood, Huthwaite
£920	Lim x	9-11 mnths	R Boothby, Hazel Grove
£690	Angus x	9 mnths	PJ Chappell, Alton
£720	Hfd x	9-10 mnths	Manor Farming Tatenhill
£835	Sim	10 mnths	Storer Smith, Uttoxeter
£870	Lim x	8-10 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£745	Char	8 mnths	JP & D Helliwell, Oughtibridge
£1320	Char x	16 mnths	Chambers & Wilton, Flagg
£830	Lim x	12 mnths	AJ Parker, Ticknall
£800	Lim x	11 mnths	B Chadwick, Onecote

£870	B Blue x	10-13 mnths	R & C Bentley, Church Broughton
£935	Lim x	17 mnths	Mrs RJ Spalton, Stoney Middleton
£985	Sim x	12 mnths	RM Calcott, Tamworth
£850	Sim	13 mnths	DC Wright, Parwich
£830	Char x	13-20 mnths	A Gimbert, Cellarhead
£895	Sim	10-13 mnths	AJ Palmer, Uttoxeter
£1020	Lim x	23 mnths	D Byard, Clay Cross
£845	Angus x	19 mnths	GN & SM Seals, Wingfield
£850	B Blue x	14-16 mnths	MR & AS Challinor, Dilhorne
£890	B Blue x	15-18 mnths	LA & H Burtonshaw, Middleton
£1005	B Blue x	16 mnths	N & S Pearson, Peak Forest
£935	Angus x	19-21 mnths	R Fletcher, Windley
£1240	Lim x	20 mnths	M Wright, Hartington
£1025	Hfd	23-24 mnths	J Taylor, Bonsall
£1125	Lim x	18-20 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£1295	Lim x	21 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1240	B Blue x	12 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1100	Blonde x	18 mnths	JW & AJ Dakin, Smalley
£970	Hfd	21 mnths	JT Flint, Ible
£1085	Angus x	23-24 mnths	Alma Mount, Rowarth
£940	Blonde x	20-22 mnths	J Melland & Son, Flagg
£1300	B Blue x	20 mnths	AG Tomkinson, Thorpe
£980	B Blue x	20-21 mnths	CF Edge & Partners, Alsop
£1080	Angus x	22 mnths	Arderne & Bothwell, Congleton
£860	Hfd x	23-25 mnths	Gosling Farming, Parwich
£1090	Lim x	21-24 mnths	EW Surguy, Ashover
£1290	Blonde x	21-22 mnths	JG & JM Belfield, Sheen
£1160	Angus x	20 mnths	PJ Harrison, Taddington
£1315	Lim x	43 mnths	S & A Taylor, Wormhill
£670	Baz	10-12 mnths	S Wilson, Selston
£1000	Angus	27 mnths	S Bradbury, Tideswell

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

A few less forward with a shortage of Black & Whites.

All again an excellent trade with bulls seeing B Blue to £398 and Hereford to £355.

Heifers just as dear with B Blue to £385 and Limousin to £380 and many more could have been sold to vendors advantage.

Could all ARLA producers please indicate this on the entry form.

<b>Bulls</b>	<b>Top Price (£)</b>	<b>Ave</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
Holst	£43.00	£41.00	T Farrington & Sons, Abbots Bromley
AA	£152.00	£56.50	T Farrington & Sons, Abbots Bromley
B Blue x	£385.00	£380.00	JE Seals & Son, Shirland
Lim	£380.00	£361.00	JE Seals & Son, Shirland

### **Heifers**



Hfd	£355.00		DR & S Kirby, Eastmoor
AA	£92.00	£33.17	T Farrington & Sons, Abbotts Bromley
W Blk	£180.00		DR & S Kirby, Eastmoor
B Blue x	£398.00	£249.71	JE Seals & Son, Shirland

**1,814 Sheep including 1469 Finished Lambs, 341 Ewes & Rams & 4 Store Sheep  
(Auctioneer Peter Oven)**

A very good show of 1814 sheep included 64 spring lambs and 1405 old season lambs, The pre-Easter sale of spring lambs saw demand exceeding supply with resulting prices off the clock. Best sorts peaked at 725p/kg and £300.88/head with 5 pens over £275/head. Overall average £635.85p/kg

Leading Prices: -

30kg	640p/kg	Cross Lane Farms
31.5kg	675p/kg	AW & RA Mycock, Flagg
34.3kg	655p/kg	GG Burton, Repton
35kg	645p/kg	GG Burton, Repton
37kg	720p/kg	Cross Lane Farms
38kg	700p/kg	R Swift Sons, Little Onn
39kg	700p/kg	Cross Lane Farms
39.2kg	665p/kg	R Lea, Barnsley
40kg	705p/kg	R Brough & Son, Monyash
41kg	705p/kg	R Brough & Son, Monyash
41.5kg	725p/kg	R Brough & Son, Monyash
42kg	675p/kg	J & N Easom, Wessington
43kg	560p/kg	R Lea, Barnsley
46kg	460p/kg	R Lea, Barnsley

Averages:

Light	To: 675p/kg	Ave: 643.85p/kg
Standard	To: 720p/kg	Ave: 662.04p/kg
Medium	To: 725p/kg	Ave: 624.38p/kg
Heavy	To: 460p/kg	Ave: 403.24p/kg

In the old season lambs a total of 1405 saw best export sorts peak at 386p/kg with best butchers lambs to 380p/kg. Heavy weight butchers lambs to 348p/kg and overweight lambs to 295p/kg. Best sorts peaked at £172.80 with 9 pens over £160/head. The overall average 309.56p/kg

Leading Prices: -

34.1kg	310p/kg	R Lee, Barnsley
36.3kg	294p/kg	R Lee, Barnsley
37.5kg	338p/kg	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
38kg	330p/kg	Belper Skip Hire, Moorwood Moor
38.8kg	316p/kg	H & K Richards, Slaley
41.7kg	368p/kg	M Wright, Hartington
42.2kg	386p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
43kg	378p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
43.5kg	380p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
46kg	340p/kg	PJ & JA Morten, Barmoor

47.1kg	348p/kg	R Hodgson & Son, Kettleshulme
49kg	328p/kg	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
54kg	295p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
60kg	288p/kg	W, REA & WD Sessions, Trusley

Averages:

Standard	To: 378p/kg	Ave: 276.33p/kg
Medium	To: 386p/kg	Ave: 318.62p/kg
Heavy	To: 348p/kg	Ave: 285.51p/kg
Overweight	To: 295p/kg	Ave: 257.49p/kg

### 342 Cull Sheep (Auctioneer Mark Elliott)

The entry was good and the best 20% were quality with trade just as fiery as last week.

Best Mules to £107 with several pens over £100. The horned ewes a varied trade, but the highlights included medium Swales to £59 and best end to close on £70.

Top Continentals peaked at £155 for Toby Hall with others at £148, £145 and £140.

Big Suffolks topped at £136 with some half bred Texels at £134.

The Rams a good trade to a top of £140 for Jackie Trueman with other bigger Texels at £137.

<b>Cast Ewes</b>	<b>To: £155</b>	<b>Ave: £93.95</b>
<b>Cast Rams</b>	<b>To: £140</b>	<b>Ave: £108.35</b>
<b>Goats</b>	<b>To: 134</b>	