

## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July



With settled weather and temperatures well up in the 20's it was definitely a hay making market with vendors dropping off stock early and heading for the hayfields.

It was also the first day of freedom from the official COVID restrictions, however at Bakewell Market we are carrying on with 'Drop & Go' and a Watch & Go for vendors to see their stock sold. As a result, it was business only and we are going to keep it that way for the coming weeks.

Infection rates are still increasing and we have several staff isolating at present.

Despite all of the above there were 490 cattle and 914 sheep on offer and a strong trade reported in all sections.

The Store & Breeding Cattle department mustered 302 head with prices very similar to last week.

There were plenty of highlights with Steers to £1,540 and a remarkable average of £1,013 despite a good many young cattle in the entry.

Heifers peaked at £1,350 with Feeding Bulls to £1,100 and Cow & Calf outfits to £1,380.

The Store cattle demand is underpinned by the trade for Finished Cattle which continues apace.

There were 99 Finished Cattle this week peaking at 276p and £1,836 to average 234.3p overall. Surely a record for any day other than the Christmas Show week.

The OTM entry was not surprisingly down with grass harvesting taking precedence. Just 68 this week but reaching 203p and £1,571 to average 150.99p and £967 per head.

Only a few calves on offer with bulls to £400 and heifers £390.

Things were a bit quiet in the sheep section with only 823 lambs forward, but perhaps because of the lighter show trade was brisk.

Lambs sold to 282p and £131.07 with the SQQ average at 251.9p and the overall, which included the heavy lambs at 253.6p indicating the demand for meat.  
A very small entry of 90 cull sheep saw ewes to £132 to average £85.94 for a moderate sample.

## **Forthcoming Market Fixtures**

**Thursday 22nd July:** Lunchtime Sheep Sale, See our Facebook page for special entries.

## **FARM DISPERSALS**

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July – Woodside Farm, Osgathorpe

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July – Burnwood Farm, Ockbrook

## **PLEASE NOTE**

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**Miriam Parker MBE**

**Leading expert on farm animal behaviour**

**On Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> July at Bakewell Market at 7.30 pm**

**Light refreshments will be served**

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## 68 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 151.0p

### (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

Half the numbers of last week a very similar trade overall with the average still over 150p and up 28p in the same week last year. Demand remains on fire for all sorts, although, the plainer old parlour girls look best sold at present. Best today was a strong limousin heifer (32 mnths) at 203p for F Botham & Son, with best cows at 193p for Messrs Heath, Hazelwood. Best cows 175p plus with Hereford to 171p.

#### Sample Results:

203p/kg	774kg	Lim	F Botham & Son, Barlow
194p/kg	646kg	AA	C Brown & Son, Uttoxeter
193p/kg	602kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
191p/kg	748kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield & Son, Alsop
190p/kg	632kg	Lim	F Botham & Son, Barlow
187p/kg	610kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
179p/kg	634kg	Lim	D & L Wain, Ilam
179p/kg	680kg	Lim	L Slater & Sons, Winster
178p/kg	684kg	Lim	J Castle, Chapel
177p/kg	718kg	B Blue x	RN Hoggard, Edingley
176p/kg	620kg	B Blue x	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
176p/kg	816kg	B Blue x	F Botham & Son, Barlow

#### And Gross Prices:

£1571.22	774kg	Lim	F Botham & Son, Barlow
£1436.16	816kg	Lim	F Botham & Son, Barlow
£1428.68	748kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield, Alsop
£1339.52	832kg	Hfd	C Brown & Son, Uttoxeter
£1303.68	776kg	AA	RN Hoggard, Edingley
£1296.82	826kg	Cont	SJ Buckley & Partners, Doveholes
£1270.86	718kg	B Blue x	RN Hoggard, Edingley
£1253.24	646kg	AA	C Brown & Son, Uttoxeter
£1244.80	778kg	B Blue x	DL Batterbee, Sparrowpit
£1230.80	24kg	B Blue x	JT & RA Deacon, Rolleston on Dove

## 25 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 131p/kg

Rather more plainer sorts on offer but they do look best sold at present.

Best Fed Cows	145-156p
Big Holsteins	138-145p
Plainer Holsteins	120-130p
Very Plain	100-120p

#### Top Cows today

156p/kg	£1073	Fries Cow	J & J Walton & Sons, Castleton
153p/kg	£1031	Fries Cow	C Brown & Sons, Uttoxeter
153p/kg	£1055	Fries Cow	L Slater & Son, Winster
153p/kg	£1018	Fries Cow	C Brown & Sons, Uttoxeter
147p/kg	£1137	Holst Cow	L Hadfield & Sons, Peak Forest

### 3 OTM Steers

161p/kg      £936      Holst      JR Barker & Sons, Friden

### 99 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 234.33p (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

**2020 – 84 Cattle ave 191p**

They have gone dearer again with today's cattle and average producing the best results that we have ever seen. To put the prices in to context at Christmas 2020 we had 64 heifers to average 227.7p (including 8 over 300p and the champion at 570p/kg) Today it is 237p.

### 11 Finished Bulls ave 212.4p/kg

Nowhere near enough for the demand at ringside. Buyers want the bulls and that is demonstrated in the prices. Two suckler bulls from Nigel Birch topped the prices up to 250p and Friesian up to 204p.

#### Sample Results:

250p/kg	584kg	B Blue x	NA Birch, Monyash
237p/kg	600kg	Sim	NA Birch, Monyash
221p/kg	522kg	AA	P Ritter & Sons, Peak Forest
220p/kg	500kg	AA	P Ritter & Sons, Peak Forest
210p/kg	576kg	AA	P Ritter & Sons, Peak Forest
206p/kg	584kg	Lim	Alan Birchenough, Dove Holes
205p/kg	788kg	Hfd	C Molloy, Hucknall
204p/kg	584kg	B Blue x	JR Johnson & Sons, Ipstones
204p/kg	584kg	B Blue x	J & C Beaver, Alport

#### And Gross Prices:

£1615.40	788kg	Hfd	C Molloy, Hucknall
£1460.00	584kg	B Blue x	NA Birch, Monyash
£1422.00	600kg	Sim	NA Birch, Monyash
£1209.60	576kg	AA	P Ritter & Sons, Peak Forest
£1203.04	584kg	Lim	Alan Birchenough, Dove Holes
£1191.36	584kg	B Blue x	JR Johnson & Sons, Ipstones

### 32 Steers – overall average 236.6p/kg

The best average for steers ever and a scintillating trade from start to finish. Top 3 over 260p with another 9 over 240p. Keith Hodgson topped the day at 275p or £1606 with Michael Hadfield's pair at 264p (£1584) and 260p (£1700). Hereford to 245p, Angus to 230p.

#### Sample Results:

275p/kg	584kg	Lim	P & B Hodgson Ltd, Boston
264p/kg	600kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield & Son, Alsop
260p/kg	654kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield & Son, Alsop
248p/kg	582kg	Blonde x	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
248p/kg	454kg	Lim	AW & RA Mycock, Flagg
245p/kg	610kg	Hfd	MR Walker, Alport

243p/kg	604kg	B Blue x	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
243p/kg	600kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
242p/kg	582kg	Lim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
241p/kg	668kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
240p/kg	648kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
240p/kg	598kg	Lim	RE & D & D Priestley, Castleton

And Gross Prices:

£1702.00	740kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
£1700.40	654kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield & Son, Alsop
£1680.28	706kg	Sim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£1670.76	702kg	Lim	I Kerry, Derby
£1610.00	700kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
£1609.88	668kg	B Blue x	Cowley Knoll Farms, Uppertown
£1606.00	584kg	Lim	P & B Hodgson Ltd, Boston
£1584.00	600kg	Lim	G & J Hadfield & Son, Alsop
£1555.20	648kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1494.50	610kg	Hfd	MR Walker, Alport

**56 Finished Heifers – overall average 237.26p/kg**

Unbelievable the level of trade experienced today. 11 better heifers over 250 with the top 5 over 270p. Keith Hodgson topped the day at 276 and 275p with two superb show heifers and a trio of powerhouses from Stan Evans at 273p (£1659) 270p x2 (£1836 & £1803) Middle range heifers 235-250p look well sold on the day.

Sample Results:

276p/kg	538kg	Lim	P & B Hodgson Ltd, Boston
275p/kg	518kg	Lim	P & B Hodgson Ltd, Boston
273p/kg	608kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
270p/kg	680kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
270p/kg	668kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
263p/kg	468kg	Lim	AW & RA Mycock, Flagg
259p/kg	604kg	Lim	NH Gaunt & Son, Dronfield
259p/kg	648kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
255p/kg	594kg	Blonde x	C Molloy, Hucknall
250p/kg	620kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
250p/kg	600kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
249p/kg	562kg	Lim	RE & D & D Priestley, Castleton
249p/kg	540kg	Lim	J Gibbs, Hartington
249p/kg	664kg	Lim	GW Johnson & KG Shuttlewood, Burnaston
248p/kg	720kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor

And Gross Prices:

£1836.00	680kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
£1822.50	750kg	Lim	GW Johnson & KG Shuttlewood, Burnaston
£1803.60	668kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
£1785.60	720kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1678.32	648kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
£1659.84	608kg	Lim	S Evans, Edwinstowe
£1653.36	664kg	Lim	GW Johnson & KG Shuttlewood, Burnaston
£1577.80	644kg	Lim	J Gibbs, Hartington
£1564.36	604kg	Lim	NH Gaunt & Son, Dronfield
£1556.72	638kg	Char	NH Gaunt & Son, Dronfield

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

A wonderful turnout of 302 Store & Breeding cattle with a wonderful trade right through the sale.

Every animal changed hands with feeders keen to replenish their stocks after selling finished cattle at prevailing prices.

The sale started with a few Breeding Cattle which included:

£1380	Hfd x Cow, 61 mnths & Bull Calf	JA & PG Crampton, Snelston
£1330	Hfd x Cow, 37 mnths & Bull Calf	JA & PG Crampton, Snelston
£1320	Hfd x Cow, 43 mnths & Bull Calf	JA & PG Crampton, Snelston
£1110	Lim x Hfr, 32 mnths in calf	H Byard Prtnrs, Morton

**24 Feeding Bulls**

Only a small selection with sample Prices as follows:

£190	Holst	4-5 mnths	JR & JA Marsden, Hathersage
£1100	MRI/Sim	12-14 mnths	JC Shepherd, Dungworth
£860	Angus x	12 mnths	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
£725	Angus x	9-11 mnths	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
£545	Blonde x	4-5 mnths	CH Ede & Son, Alkmonon

**125 Steers ave £1013**

A terrific trade for a mixed sample with a remarkable average of over £1000 despite a good many young cattle in the entry.

Sample Results:

£900	Lim x	10 mnths	RTF & P Marshall, Tansley
£615	Lim x	5-6 mnths	IC Williamson, Lea
£790	B Blue x	8 mnths	Artaine Ltd, Shottle
£690	B Blue x	6 mnths	Artaine Ltd, Shottle
£635	Angus x	6-7 mnths	Artaine Ltd, Shottle
£900	B Blue x	13 mnths	J & M Riley, Hartington
£980	Lim x	15 mnths	J & M Riley, Hartington
£1140	Sim x	11-13 mnths	Emily Mellor, Chelmorton
£750	Holst	24 mnths	C Bowler, Ashleyhay
£940	Blonde x	13 mnths	CJ Nash, Dayhills

£1090	Angus x	13 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£1270	Angus x	25 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£1260	Lim x	21-24 mnths	F Potter & Son, Yeaveley
£1090	Lim x	23 mnths	D & A Dickinson, Bradbourne
£1230	B Blue x	21-22 mnths	CF Edge & Partners, Alsop
£1020	Angus x	18-19 mnths	Mrs PM Naden, Glossop
£1050	Holst	20-22 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1480	B Blue x	22 mnths	P & N Allen, Uttoxeter
£1180	Angus x	20-21 mnths	P & N Allen, Uttoxeter
£1230	B Blue x	19 mnths	Red Lion Inn, Dayhills
£1400	B Blue x	28 mnths	WI Fletcher, Sheldon
£1190	Hfd x	21-25 mnths	WI Fletcher, Sheldon
£1055	L Horn	26 mnths	JG Jackson, Wardlow
£1540	B Blue x	16 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1380	Angus x	25-26 mnths	JG Jackson, Wardlow
£1280	B Blue x	23 mnths	G White & Partners, Ilam
£1295	Hfd x	22 mnths	RD & SR Furness, Wheston
£1290	AA x	25 mnths	RD & SR Furness, Wheston
£1160	B Blue x	14-24 mnths	MT Wainwright, Poynton
£1440	Lim x	27 mnths	C Bannister, Colton

### 143 Heifers ave £792

Plenty of buying power in operation for what was a mixed sample including a good many smaller cattle. Several vendors sent large consignments which allowed large bunches to be sold together. These certainly attracted a premium and helped shorten the sale time allowing stock to be loaded in a timely fashion a distinct benefit on what was a very warm day.

Typical Prices:

£960	Lim x	13 mnths	RTF & P Marshall, Tansley
£730	B Blue x	7 mnths	Artaine Ltd, Shottle
£635	Angus x	6-7 mnths	Artaine Ltd, Shottle
£710	Blonde x	7 mnths	CH Ede & Son, Alkington
£550	Hfd x	15 mnths	ER & CA Kirby, Tideswell
£1080	Char x	13-17 mnths	SC Proctor, Longnor
£820	B Blue x	18-18 mnths	Cook & Watson, Market Rasen
£980	Sim x	14-15 mnths	B Ainley, Mercaston
£1090	B Blue x	22 mnths	CJ Nash, Dayhills
£910	Lim x	13-15 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£1350	Lim x	21-26 mnths	F Potter & Son, Yeaveley
£1230	Lim x	27 mnths	D & A Dickinson, Bradbourne
£850	Angus x	20-23 mnths	AP Moore, Longdon
£1050	Angus x	20 mnths	Mrs PM Naden, Glossop
£1240	B Blue x	20-22 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1040	B Blue x	19-22 mnths	P & N Allen, Uttoxeter

£1225	B Blue x	23 mnths	G White & Partners, Ilam
£1185	Lim x	23 mnths	RD & SR Furness, Wheston
£1230	Char x	28 mnths	W & M Whitbread, Biggin
£1070	Angus x	26-28 mnths	W & M Whitbread, Biggin
£1000	Hfd x	24-26 mnths	W & M Whitbread, Biggin
£1290	Lim x	25-27 mnths	C Bannister, Colton
£800	Lim x	12-16 mnths	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook
£770	Lim x	6 mnths	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook

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

Light on numbers but no easing in the trade with all types in keen demand.

Bulls saw Limousin to £400 and B Blue to £390 and only a small number of heifers on offer.

Black & White just as well sold as in recent weeks with the best of these to £125.

<b>Bulls</b>	<b>Top Price (£)</b>	<b>Ave</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
Holst	£58.00		JM & CM Wainwright, Buxton
Saler	£220.00		JF Hayes, Shottle
Fries	£125.00		J & J Walton & Sons, Buxton
AA	£200.00	£111.25	JF Hayes, Shottle
B Blue x	£300.00	£173.33	TN Palfreyman & Son, Flagg
Lim	£400.00		Moor Farmers, Flagg

### **Heifers**

Saler	£125.00		TN Palfreyman & Son, Flagg
AA	£175.00	£124.25	JF Hayes, Shottle
B Blue x	£390.00	£269.00	J & J Walton & Son, Buxton
Lim	£220.00	£180.00	Moor Farmers, Flagg

### **914 Sheep including 824 Lambs & 90 Ewes & Rams (Auctioneer Peter Oven)**

A smaller show of 914 sheep included 824 lambs. Prices still very good especially for larger meated sorts with best butchers lambs to 282p/kg and £131 per head, with heavy weight lambs averaging 265p/kg (13p above the SQQ). Overall average 251.95p/kg.

Leading Prices: -

37.5kg	272p/kg	P Cox, Bitch Vale
38.4kg	270p/kg	PE Yates, Quarndon
39kg	278p/kg	MG Mosley & Sons, Rivelin
39.5kg	270p/kg	MG Mosley & Sons, Rivelin
40.8kg	271p/kg	Clark Farms, Ringinglow
41.8kg	279p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
42.1kg	278p/kg	N Cupit, Newark
43kg	276p/kg	R & K Woods, Cubley
43.7kg	275p/kg	R Wheeldon, Chelmorton
44.2kg	271p/kg	Hazelwood Hall Farm
46kg	282p/kg	M Kidd, Congleton

46.7kg	270p/kg	Hazelwood Hall Farm
47.5kg	270p/kg	FA Lomas, Peak Forest
49.0kg	267p/kg	P Wale, Tansley

Averages:

Standard	To: 278p/kg	Ave: 232.01p/kg
Medium	To: 279p/kg	Ave: 260.78p/kg
Heavy	To: 282p/kg	Ave: 264.86p/kg
Overweight	To: 239p/kg	Ave:

**Cull Sheep**

**Cast Ewes      To: £132      Ave: £85.94**