

BAKEWELL MARKET

"Orange Sale"

Sale of TB restricted cattle – Friday 17th December 2021

The pre-Christmas sale of Orange 'restricted' cattle took place today. All cattle from these sales have to go direct to slaughter or to an Approved Finishing Unit (AFU) for feeding.

The sales have become somewhat of a regular fixture at Bakewell and are a way for farms shut down with TB to sell feeding cattle to the fattening yards through a live auction ring.

The buyers gathered at ringside all armed with the necessary AFU's and bid freely for the cattle on offer. To those buyers it makes no difference that the cattle are under restriction and they bid as they would on a normal Monday Sale for what they wanted. The trade for the stronger cattle is very similar to an unrestricted sale but the slightly younger or smaller stores are a little less.

Sample Prices:

Bulls

£880 Blonde x 4 13-15 mnths JD Brown, Bonsall

Steers

£1300	Lim x7	18-22 mnths	F & FN Wigley, Bonsall
£1040	Lim	16 mnths	F & FN Wigley, Bonsall
£1080	AA	14-18 mnths	TC & VF & IT Lomax, Blythe Bridge
£980	Devon x 2	21 mnths	TC & VF & IT Lomax, Blythe Bridge
£950	Hfd x 3	20-21 mnths	JH & DJ Avery, Yeaveley
£940	BB x 4	18-22 mnths	JH & DJ Avery, Yeaveley
£910	Lim x 2	15 mnths	F & FN Wigley, Bonsall

Heifers

£1100	Lim x 4	19-25 mnths	F & FN Wigley, Bonsall
£920	Lim x 7	16-19 mnths	F & FN Wigley, Bonsall
£940	Sim	15 mnths	TC & VF & IT Lomax, Blythe Bridge
£940	Char x 5	18-19 mnths	S White, Tissington
£930	Char	28 mnths	S White, Tissington
£910	AA	19 mnths	BG Adams, Brailsford
£890	BB x 2	15-21 mnths	JH & DJ Avery, Yeaveley
£890	Hfd x 2	20-21 mnths	JH & DJ Avery Yeaveley

Barren Cows

£990 AA 12 yrs Garner Holdings, Nether Heage

The next sale will be held on Friday 11th February

For any enquiries, please contact the auctioneer Oliver Hiles on 07801 530899.