

## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

**Monday 21st February 2022**



After the third storm in a week, it was hardly surprising that numbers were down. In fact, it was surprising that we ended up with 453 Cattle and 837 Sheep to sell. Things looked particularly bleak at 6am Monday morning, but both vendors and purchasers made valiant efforts to bypass flooded roads and make the journey to Bakewell. A good proportion of the pre-entered Store & Breeding Cattle amounting to 282 animals have re-booked for next week.

Anyone concerned about the trade had nothing to fear with prices even higher than last weeks outstanding trade.

Steers reached £1,460 to average an extraordinary £1,012, Heifers to £1,390 ave £908 and Feeding Bulls to £1,030.

In the Breeding section Cows with Calves sold to £1,800 and a Simmental Stock Bull to £2000.

There were 75 Finished Cattle with numbers down due to flooding problems, but trade was solid with top figures 286p and £1,877 with both Steers & Heifers averaging 240p.

67 OTM & Feeding Cows braved the conditions with top figures 210p and £1,801 to average a record breaking 164.5p.

Not the best of days to sell calves, but there were 29 on offer with Bulls to £395 and Heifers £150.

The Sheep department definitely suffered from a weekend of particularly foul weather and there were only 664 Hogs on offer. The best on offer hit 316p and £151.50 with the SQQ average at 277.9p.

Competition was particularly fierce for the 173 Cull Sheep with ewes to £210 to average £105.80

## Announcement

### FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> February:** Regular Lunchtime Sheep Market

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March:** Orange Sale for TB restricted cattle

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March:** HPLS Cattle Sale

### FARM SALES

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March: Brook Farm, Atlow

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March: Plardiwick Farm, Stafford

## HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THE FUTURE OF bTB VACCINATION?

### Come along to two workshops and give us your views

Help raise money for Farm Community Network (FCN) by participating in a new research project on the future of bTB vaccination.

We will donate £20 per farmer to FCN's newly established bTB hotline.  
*(Although participants can claim the money towards travel expenses, if preferable)*

**Monday 28th Feb & 14th March**

**12 - 2pm**

Bakewell Livestock Market, Agricultural Business

Centre, Agricultural Way, Bakewell, DE45 1AH.

Places are limited, and we would ideally like you to attend both workshops, but please let us know if you can't and we will do our best to include everyone.

**Refreshments will be provided.**

**So please contact us to register or to find out more -**

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# STORE CATTLE SECTION

**Do you have Store Cattle in test?**

If so....

**BAKEWELL BUYERS  
WOULD LIKE TO BID FOR THEM**

**If you are thinking of selling  
Call Alastair Sneddon 07973 982441**

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**67 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 164.51p or £1175 – Up 13p or £140 on the week  
(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

They were dear last week but today they were 'off the clock'. The dearest trade ever experienced at Bakewell for Barren Cows with cows up £140/head on the week. Way too many highlights to quote today as every cow looked well sold with all the buyers hunting for cows in a week when it may be hard to secure any loads due to the adverse weather conditions. Top price today was a lovely black Blue x Cow from Mark Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale at 210p or £1801 with 2 Blue Heifers from Messrs Locker at 209p and Mark Hambletons 11 year old Blue at 204p. Just 21 Continental cows today. Herefords to 176p and Angus to 164p.

**Sample Results:**

210p/kg	858kg	B Blue x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
209p/kg	588kg	B Blue x	PW & M Locker & Son, Boylestone
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204p/kg	844kg	B Blue x	M Hambleton, Alstonefield
198p/kg	804kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
194p/kg	742kg	B Blue x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
188p/kg	574kg	Lim	GH Ball & Partners, Hilderstone
180p/kg	768kg	B Blue	MY Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
180p/kg	772kg	Mont	JD Pickford & Sons, Kniveton
178p/kg	764kg	Lim	JD Jackson, Wardlow
176p/kg	800kg	Hfd	EJ & WM Webster Ltd, Caudon
176p/kg	766kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
174p/kg	678kg	Lim	TJ & H Oakes, Rocester

**And Gross Prices:**

£1801.80	858kg	B Blue x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
£1721.76	844kg	B Blue x	M Hambleton, Alstonefield
£1591.92	804kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£1508.22	882kg	Fries	RW Arden & Sons, Topley Pike
£1485.80	874kg	Holst	RW Arden & Sons, Topley Pike
£1441.44	858kg	Mont	Moor Farmers, Flagg
£1439.48	742kg	B Blue x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
£1423.24	884kg	Holst	CPR & KM Mycock, Friden
£1408.22	814kg	Fries	GC & BJ Cresswell, Atlow
£1408.00	800kg	Hfd	EJ & WM Webster, Caudon

### 35 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 157.1p/kg

#### THE BEST TRADE EVER!

7 Best Cows over 170p

Big well meated Holsteins 160-170p

Plainer Parlour Holsteins 140-155p

Lean Cows under 130p

#### The best Today

180p/kg	£1389	Mont, 8yrs	JD Pickford & Son, Leek
173p/kg	£1408	Fries, 8yrs	GC & BJ Cresswell, Atlow
171p/kg	£1508	Fries, 11yrs	RW Ardern & Sons, Buxton
171p/kg	£1313	Holst, 4yrs	AJ & ME Minshall, Tean
170p/kg	£1485	Holst, 7yrs	RW Ardern & Sons, Buxton
170p/kg	£1343	Fries, 6yrs	RW & R Walker, Ashgate
170p/kg	£1040	Fries, 4yrs	A Sims, Hulland
168p/kg	£1118	Fries, 11yrs	GC & BJ Cresswell, Atlow
167p/kg	£1406	Holst, 6yrs	AJ & ME Minshall, Tean
167p/kg	£1155	Holst, 8yrs	JD Pickford & Sons, Leek

#### 1 OTM Bull

160p/kg	£1715	Lim, 5yrs	AG Hallam & Son, Hayfield
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#### 4 OTM Steers

196p/kg	£1470	Holst, 34 mnths	RW Ardern & Sons, Buxton
186p/kg	£1015	S Horn, 31 mnths	Derbyshire Wildlife Trust

### 75 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 235.7p

#### (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

A storm affected entry with only 75 on offer but all buyers in attendance and solid price for each and every one.

#### 9 Finished Bulls ave 201p

Not enough to make a meaningful average with only a couple of Beef Bulls and the rest Dairy cross. A smart Shorthorn x made 250p for James Hole, Eddlestow with John Ottewell big Lims up to 229p.

#### Sample Results:

250p/kg	636kg	S Horn	J Hole & Sons, Ashover
229p/kg	746kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
218p/kg	730kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
211p/kg	580kg	S Horn	J Hole & Sons, Ashover

#### And Gross Prices:

£1708.34	746kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1591.40	730kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1590.00	636kg	S Horn	J Hole & Sons, Ashover
£1258.00	740kg	Fries	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook

## 28 Steers – overall average 240.8p

13 Native and 15 Continental that included a super run of 4 Limousin from John Grummett, Smisby that sold to 276p twice, 275p and 266p and a couple of big boys from Sue and Charles Jeffery at 266p and 265p to gross £1877 and £1835. Angus to 254p and Hereford to 249p.

### Sample Results:

276p/kg	602kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
276p/kg	658kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
275p/kg	648kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
266p/kg	670kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
266p/kg	706kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
265p/kg	662kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
264p/kg	568kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton
260p/kg	706kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
260p/kg	554kg	Blonde x	MT Sweetmore, Earl Sterndale
258p/kg	606kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
254p/kg	630kg	AA	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
250p/kg	686kg	AA	RW Ardern & Sons, Topley Pike

### And Gross Prices:

£1877.96	706kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£1835.60	706kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
£1835.20	740kg	Blonde x	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£1816.08	658kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£1782.20	670kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£1782.00	648kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£1754.30	662kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£1749.24	774kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1721.34	786kg	B Blue x	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1720.74	714kg	B Blue x	WG Astell, Pilsley

## 38 Heifers – overall average 240.2p/kg

Just like the Steers with plenty of trade for all shapes with well fed cattle certainly attracting a distinct premium. Mark Hadfield had the day at 286p for a well-fed Limousin selling to Miss Katie Freya on behalf of Joe Kemp, Quality Butchers at Hayfield. Best fed cattle generally 260p plus with 3 big powerful Heifers over £1800. Angus to 242p and Hereford to 236p.

### Sample Results:

286p/kg	504kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton
272p/kg	548kg	Lim	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton
270p/kg	628kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
266p/kg	696kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
264p/kg	616kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
262p/kg	596kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
262p/kg	526kg	Stab	R Belfield, Upper Hulme

260p/kg	712kg	B Blue x	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
258p/kg	584kg	Stab	R Belfield, Upper Hulme
256p/kg	662kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
253p/kg	720kg	B Blue x	RG Bacon, Lichfield

Averages:

£1851.36	696kg	Lim	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£1851.20	712kg	B Blue x	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£1821.60	720kg	B Blue x	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£1695.60	628kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
£1694.72	662kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1682.18	698kg	B Blue x	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£1655.28	684kg	AA	RW Ardern & Sons, Topley Pike
£1636.80	682kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1626.64	616kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1593.84	696kg	Char	DS Gregory, Glossop

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

The majority of cattle entered for the sale were able to make the trip and so there were 282 on offer out of a possible 350. Most of the absentees have rebooked for next Monday.

There was a full line up of buyers including the regular long-range ones which ensured a tremendous trade throughout.

The sale commenced with a few Breeding Stock which included:

£2000	Ped Sim Stock Bull, 17 mnths	PV Jolliffe, Cotton
£1800	Ped Lim Cow, 72 mnths & Bull Calf	HE Reddish, Pleasley Vale
£1400	Stab Cow, 71 mnths & Bull Calf	S Burley, Loxley

**33 Feeding Bulls**

Sample prices as follows:

£1030	Sim x	8-9 mnths	Mosley & Co, Chelmorton
£990	B Blue x	16 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£570	Angus x	5 mnths	DE Gould, Sheen
£660	Hfd x	8 mnths	JF Gibson, Thorpe

**129 Steers ave £1012**

A decent selection with trade as dear as we have seen them. Angus & Hereford selling well and some good bunches of Black & White looking very dear.

Sample Results:

£1295	Lim x	15 mnths	TJ & H Oakes, Rocester
£1010	Cont x	11-13 mnths	Miss J Bonsall, Atlow
£620	B Blue x	8-11 mnths	TW Kent & Co, Yaveley
£1040	Angus x	9-13 mnths	AE & VJ Parkinson, Osliston
£760	Sim x	11 mnths	R & R Beardow, Ashover
£800	Hfd x	7 mnths	Mrs BA Williamson, Wheatcroft
£840	Hfd x	13-15 mnths	MG & JR Jordan, Belper

£940	Lim x	14 mnths	C & M Wainwright, Denstone
£1090	Lim x	15-19 mnths	IF & RW Smith, Ilam
£1040	Saler x	17 mnths	RP Lawley, Draycott
£620	B Blue x	6-7 mnths	H Yung, Peak Forest
£955	Sim	15-16 mnths	R Parker, Leek
£1400	Lim x	21 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1100	Mont	14-16 mnths	P Furness, Monyash
£1095	Lim x	16 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£1120	Angus x	17 mnths	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin
£1265	Lim x	21 mnths	JS Bramall, Totley
£1225	Hfd x	20-21 mnths	CA Heathcote, Kniveton
£1185	B Blue x	18 mnths	MJ Wain, Brassington
£1270	Lim x	19-20 mnths	G & M Limer, Taddington
£945	Fries (10)	18-24 mnths	MD Webster, Sturston
£1310	B Blue x	20-22 mnths	D & L Wain, Ilam
£1250	Lim x	20 mnths	Bagshaws, Chelmorton
£1205	Angus x	31 mnths	AW Gilman, Wetton
£980	Hol Fries	17-18 mnths	Rusty Farming Ltd, Flagg
£1175	Lim x	17-20 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley
£1205	B Blue x	22 mnths	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
£1300	Angus x	20-21 mnths	GPK Trickett, Rowsley
£1205	B Blue x	22-28 mnths	LW Hancock, Stoney Middleton
£1440	Lim x	29 mnths	CV Whilock, Ipstones
£1460	Sim x	26-27 mnths	CV Whilock, Ipstones
£1195	Angus x	19 mnths	SG Hollins, Gratwich
£1185	Hfd x	29-31 mnths	SG Hollins, Gratwich
£950	Lim x	9-10 mnths	B Ainley, Mercaston

### **110 Heifers ave £908**

Some good bunches, pairs and individuals and all finding fierce competition and an outstanding trade. The statistics speak for themselves.

Sample prices as follows:

£990	Lim x	12 mnths	TJ & H Oakes, Rocester
£775	Hfd x	11 mnths	A & W Helliwell, Oughtibridge
£790	Angus x	11-12 mnths	AE & VJ Parkinson, Osliston
£1095	Lim x	9-13 mnths	GM Grindey & Son, Hartington
£940	Lim x	10-11 mnths	A & AA Riddle, Ecclesfield
£1055	B Blue x	22 mnths	IF & RW Smith, Ilam
£1095	Angus x	22 mnths	EA & MM Miller, Ribden
£520	Angus x	5 mnths	DE Gould, Sheen
£580	Lim x	6-10 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1350	Lim x	21 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1290	Lim x	20-21 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave



£1360	Lim x	24 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1300	B Blue x	30 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1130	Lim x	21-23 mnths	GH Ball & Son, Hilderstone
£1120	Devon	18 mnths	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin
£1150	Angus x	19 mnths	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin
£990	B Blue x	20-21 mnths	MJ Wain, Brassington
£1245	B Blue x	31 mnths	AW Gilman & Son, Wetton
£1245	Hfd x	32 mnths	AW Gilman & Son, Wetton
£1180	Lim x	17-21 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley
£1145	Angus	22-24 mnths	CV Whilock, Ipstones
£695	Gall	33 mnths	D Needham, Riddings

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

Bulls looking well sold with B Blues to £355 and £320 and Salers to £230 but a slightly more selective trade for the heifers with both B Blue and Limousin to £150.

A strong trade for the B/W with additional buying support and a top price of £95.

#### **Bulls**

B Blue	£355	JE Seals & Son, Shirland
B Blue	£320	JD & B Broadley, Hartington
B Blue	£265	TW Kent, Yeaveley
Saler	£230	JF Hayes, Shottle
Hfd	£210	JW Brandrick, Beamhurst
Lim	£210	WJ & DM Madin, Holymoorside

#### **Heifers**

B Blue	£150	JE Seals & Son, Shirland
Lim	£150	RE Poyser, Onecote

### **664 Lambs & 173 Ewes & (Auctioneers Peter Oven & Mark Elliott)**

A total of 837 Sheep on offer included 664 lambs. Despite the bad weather all buyers were in attendance or represented and resulting trade for the right goods brisk. Best lighter weight lambs peaked at 316p/kg with best butchers lambs to 314p/kg, heavy weight butchers lambs to 304p/kg. The best heavy butchers lambs topped at £151.50 per head. Overall market average 277.92p/kg

Leading Prices: -

37kg	284p/kg	S Carnaby, Loughborough
38.6kg	316p/kg	E & A Cork, Hazlewood
39.6kg	290p/kg	F Lomas, Kniveton
41kg	314p/kg	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
41.7kg	305p/kg	R Simpson & Son, Longnor
42.7kg	294p/kg	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
43.1kg	368p/kg	DM Elliott & Son, Hucklow
45kg	300p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
46.5kg	304p/kg	DM Elliott & Son, Hucklow
47.1kg	298p/kg	M Hambleton, Alstonefield
48.7kg	298p/kg	IR & AD Wildgoose, Scarcliffe
50.6kg	299p/kg	JP Blackshaw, Pilsley

Standard	To 316p/kg	Average 271.88p/kg
Medium	To 314p/kg	Average 279.28p/kg
Heavy	To 304p/kg	Average 266.57p/kg
Overweight	To 260p/kg	Average 221.91p/kg

### **173 Cull Sheep**

Some of the best pure Texels forward today for many a month and vendors very well rewarded. Top call of the day £210 for Hayden Fletcher at Peak Forest and more could have been sold to advantage.

The best Mules over £115 with plenty of bidders for less weight and less flesh.

Big Suffolks over £155 with the best 8 pens averaging £190.20, Swales to over £70.

Slaughter rams a mixed entry with Beltex to £136.

**Ewes To: £1210 Ave: £105.80**

**Rams To: £136 Ave: £104**