

## MARKET REPORT

### BAKEWELL MARKET

**Monday 30th May 2022**



Decent entries for the Jubilee week market with 605 cattle and 1,204 sheep on parade. For the avoidance of doubt there is no Thursday Lunchtime Sheep Sale on 2<sup>nd</sup> June, but the Monday Market on 6<sup>th</sup> June will take place as normal.

The only other item of news is that the Store Cattle list will close at 12 noon on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June, so please let us know what you want to bring.

Trade has been outstanding again with all sections good and some departments most notably the OTM cattle exceptional.

The Store & Breeding cattle saw numbers starting to reduce with 377 forward.

A very mixed bag of cattle, but all well sold. Steers reached £1,350, Heifers £1,520, Cows & Calves to £1,500 and Lim Stock Bulls to £2,900.

A good show of Finished cattle with a total of 127. Top figures 301p/kg and £2,160.

The average for the 62 heifers was 241.3p which gives a good indication of price levels.

There was a shortage of OTM cattle with only 69 on offer. Top figures 234p and £1,843.

The average was a remarkable 189.2p.

Only 32 Calves today, but a decent demand and Bulls to £410 and Heifers to £255.

More numbers in the sheep section with Spring lambs out in force with 454 on offer. Top figures 378p and £169.90 per head.

The average gross price of a 39-45kg lamb was £132.33 which puts things into context.

The SQQ average was 352.0p.

The supply of Hoggs (OSLs) is drying up fast with only 284 on offer this week.

They were a rather mixed assortment selling to 326p/kg and £187.60 with the SQQ average 257.3p.

A large entry of 466 Cull sheep included ewes to £194 to average £134.34.

## FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June:** NO MARKET

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June:** Normal Market

Store List closes **12 noon Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June:** Dairy Dispersal Sale

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## BANK HOLIDAY OPENING

- ▼ BUSINESS AS USUAL MONDAY 30TH MAY
- ▼ No Thursday Sheep Market - 2nd June
- ▼ Office Closed - Friday 3rd June
- ▼ Cattle Entries for Monday 6th June (Business as Usual)  
to be rung in by **12 Noon**  
**Wednesday 1st June**

### Bakewell Office

Agricultural Business Centre, Agricultural Way, Bakewell,  
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## Store & Breeding Cattle

## Bank Holiday Arrangements

## Store Cattle Entries

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## News from The Farming Life Centre

The Farming Life Centre team will be having a stand at the ABC on the first Monday of every month. Please stop to say hello or pop across if you'd like to find out more about what we do.

Staffordshire County Show - The Farming Life Centre team will be at the showground on Wednesday and Thursday this week. Call in and say hello if you're about - the kettle will be on!

The Peak Farmers Group - Please get in touch if you would like to join the group or to book a place at our next event:

Massey Feeds Mill Tour - Tuesday 7th June, 7.30pm - 9pm, Massey Feeds Holmes Chapel Mill - Mill Tour: Gain a glimpse into the world of animal feed manufacture. Hear about Massey's sustainable ruminant feeds with no palm kernel or soya products - a UK 1st! Supper included. Free coach available - departs 6pm Market Place, Buxton, SK17 6EB. Please book your place by noon on Friday 3rd June.

To book a place at any of the events listed above please contact [info@thefarminglifecentre.org.uk](mailto:info@thefarminglifecentre.org.uk) or call, text or WhatsApp 07483 373435.

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## 69 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 189.2p or £1225 (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

### **THE BEST AVERAGE EVER!**

A smaller entry of cows and with the old laws of supply and demand at the fore, cows were certainly the dearest ever. Having said that, today we had a super show of cows and very few dairy cows in the entry. 24 cows today topped £2/kilo with a high price of 234p for a pure Limousin cow from Rob Rowlinson, Ramsor with plenty of others at 210p+. Natives had Angus to 206p, Hereford to 200p.

### Sample Results:

234p/kg	676kg	Lim, 4yrs	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor
230p/kg	594kg	Lim, 4yrs	AH & T Carr, Waterfall
224p/kg	648kg	Lim, 6yrs	AH & T Carr, Waterfall
220p/kg	776kg	Lim, 10yrs	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor
216p/kg	578kg	Lim, 10yrs	GH Ball & Partners, Hilderstone
214p/kg	716kg	Sim, 6yrs	RWA Thirlby, Seckington
212p/kg	508kg	Sim, 4yrs	RWA Thirlby, Seckington
211p/kg	770kg	Lim, 7 yrs	RM Ward, Ridgeway
211p/kg	756kg	Lim, 11 yrs	CW Taberner, Tean
210p/kg	822kg	B Blue x, 6 yrs	R Toon, Mayfield
210p/kg	604kg	Lim, 7yrs	AH & T Carr, Waterfall
209p/kg	598kg	Lim, 14yrs	GH Ball & Partners, Hilderstone
207p/kg	686kg	Lim, 13 yrs	IR Spendlove, Belper
206p/kg	610kg	Sim, 4yrs	IR Spendlove, Belper
204p/kg	578kg	Lim, 6yrs	JP Webster, Foolow

And Gross Prices:

£1843.80	878kg	B Blue x	R Toon, Mayfield
£1726.20	822kg	B Blue x	R Toon, Mayfield
£1707.20	776kg	Lim	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor
£1656.00	828kg	Lim	CW Taberner, Tean
£1624.70	770kg	Lim	RM Ward, Ridgeway
£1603.60	844kg	B Blue x	R Toon, Mayfield
£1595.16	756kg	Lim	CW Taberner, Tean
£1581.84	676kg	Lim	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor
£1579.76	806kg	Fries	RR Mason & Son, Hulland Ward
£1532.24	716kg	Sim	RWA Thirlby, Seckington

**8 Black & White and ex Dairy Cows ave 166.5p/kg**

Where have they all gone?

Two good cows 186 & 196p

Medium cows 151-180p

Only 1 under 150p

Top two:

196p/kg	£1579	Fries, 5yrs	RR Mason & Son, Hulland Ward
186p/kg	£1506	Fries, 6yrs	RR Mason & Son, Hulland Ward

**1 OTM Bull**

171p/kg	£1426	Hfd	AG Heath, Derby
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**2 OTM Steers**

225p/kg	£1408	Sim	RWA Thirlby, Seckington
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**127 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 233.4p**

**(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

A short week and some Abattoirs are getting full trying to fit five days in to three, but still all buyers operating and a solid trade if not a shade less money.

**23 Finished Bulls ave 208.7p**

11 Beef Bulls and 12 Dairy Holsteins but a good price and more better bulls could have easily been sold. Top today was a joint at 250p/kg for a smart Limousin from David Goddard and big posh Blue from Messrs Swindells that grossed a superb £2160. Friesians to 226p today.

Sample Results:

250p/kg	604kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
250p/kg	864kg	B Blue x	G Swindell, Buxton
241p/kg	736kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
240p/kg	664kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
234p/kg	668kg	Blonde x	TC James, Eccleshall
230p/kg	690kg	Blonde x	TC James, Eccleshall
229p/kg	688kg	Blonde x	TC James, Eccleshall



227p/kg	664kg	Lim	RW Valle, Summerley
226p/kg	546kg	Fries	C Beever, Alport
220p/kg	578kg	Hfd	C Beever, Alport
219p/kg	720kg	Fries	AB Massie & Son, Spondon

And Gross Prices:

£2160.00	864kg	B Blue x	G Swindell Buxton
£1773.76	736kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1619.64	818kg	Lim	CL Morton & Son, Dronfield
£1593.60	664kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1587.00	690kg	Blonde	TC James, Eccleshall
£1576.80	720kg	Fries	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook
£1575.52	688kg	Blonde x	TC James, Eccleshall
£1563.12	668kg	Blonde x	TC James, Eccleshall
£1512.96	768kg	Swed R/W	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook
£1510.00	604kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires

**42 Steers – overall average 236.4p**

The best were perhaps a little less but the second quality would be just as dear. Best pure Limousin from Amos Kaye, Dunford Bridge sold at 275p twice and 267p. 8 Angus to 245p, 2 Galloway to 212p, Lincoln to 236p and 3 B/W up to 222p.

Sample Results:

275p/kg	596kg	Lim	A Kaye & Son, Dunford Bridge
275p/kg	624kg	Lim	A Kaye & Son, Dunford Bridge
274p/kg	636kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
267p/kg	608kg	Lim	A Kaye & Son, Dunford Bridge
265p/kg	624kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
260p/kg	680kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
255p/kg	546kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
254p/kg	736kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
249p/kg	720kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
248p/kg	674kg	Lim	G Wardman, Matlock
248p/kg	674kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor

And Gross Prices:

£1869.44	736kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1792.80	720kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1785.96	738kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1768.00	680kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1742.64	636kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
£1732.90	806kg	AA	B Sayles, Crich
£1729.70	706kg	AA	B Sayles, Crich
£1716.00	624kg	Lim	A Kaye & Son, Dunford Bridge
£1715.92	712kg	AA	B Sayles, Crich
£1707.04	752kg	AA	RS & EJ Longden, Chinley

## 62 Heifers – overall average 241.3p/kg

A cracking good entry again and the best still top side of 300p selling to 301p for a powerful posh sort from Keith Harrop to gross £1992 with others from the same home at 281 and 278p. 6 Hereford to 242p, Angus to 226p and B/W to 216p.

### Sample Results:

301p/kg	662kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
281p/kg	640kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
278p/kg	640kg	Char	K Harrop, Alport
278p/kg	598kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
274p/kg	600kg	Lim	A Kaye & Son, Dunford Bridge
270p/kg	522kg	Lim	DM Elliott & Son, Little Hucklow
268p/kg	660kg	Lim	LW Elkin, Blythe Bridge
268p/kg	674kg	Lim	LW Elkin, Blythe Bridge
266p/kg	610kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
266p/kg	608kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
266p/kg	616kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
261p/kg	672kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
260p/kg	486kg	Lim	B & AB Perkins, Oughtbridge
260p/kg	652kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
260p/kg	514kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport

### Gross Prices:

£1992.62	662kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1806.32	674kg	Lim	LW Elkin, Blythe Bridge
£1798.40	640kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1795.20	704kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1779.20	640kg	Char	K Harrop, Alport
£1768.80	660kg	Lim	LW Elkin, Blythe Bridge
£1753.92	672kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£1715.34	678kg	Sim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£1701.40	724kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1698.84	726kg	Hfd	E Morten & Sons, Barmoor Clough

## STORE & BREEDING CATTLE – (Auctioneer Alastair Sneddon)

A few less about this week as Spring moves towards Summer although temperatures have yet to rise.

377 head on offer starting with **61 Breeding Cattle**. These attracted plenty of interest and produced the following results:

£1500	Ped Hfd Cow, 61 mnths & Hfr Calf	DL Elder, Wheatcroft
£1500	Ped Hfd Cow, 55 mnths & Hfr Calf	DL Elder, Wheatcroft
£1480	Lim x Cow, 67 mnths & Str Calf	Miss J Bonsall, Atlow
£1500	Char x Cow, 38 mnths & Str Calf	Miss J Riley, Hartington
£1450	Sim x Cow, 71 mnths & Bull Calf	LH Powell, Hundall
£1400	Angus x Cow, 35 mnths & Hfr Calf	SR Hinchley, Ashover
£1360	Angus x Cow, 36 mnths & Hfr Calf	SR Hinchley, Ashover

**Stock Bulls** which sold as follows:

£2900	Ped Lim, 20 mnths	Boden & Davies Ltd, Mellor
£2120	Ped Lim, 26 mnths	R Swindell, Hognaston

There were **12 Feeding Cows** all finding a ready market with top figures £1140 and £1130.

**49 Feeding Bulls**

Sample Prices as follows:

£895	Angus	12-15 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£470	Hfd	5-7 mnths	Bosworth Bros, Stanley
£710	Sim x	9-11 mnths	LH Powell, Hundall
£900	Hfd x	16 mnths	SH Hopkinson, Ashover
£1000	Lim	10 mnths	P Hurst, Ipstones
£760	Sal x	18 mnths	S Martin, Heanor
£1410	Lim	13 mnths	CG Buckston, Sutton on the Hill
£395	Fries	8 mnths	GJ Tideswell, Uttoxeter
£950	Angus	25 mnths	DG Allen, Smalley
£550	Angus	6-8 mnths	JF Gibson, Thorpe
£430	Holst	7-9 mnths	JF Gibson, Thorpe

**138 Steers ave £947**

Strong trade for all types, Angus crosses in particular demand. Quality rather mixed, but buyers present for all varieties.

Sample Results:

£500	Angus x	6 mnths	T Farrington, Rugeley
£550	Lim x	7 mnths	T Farrington, Rugeley
£870	Blonde x	9 mnths	CJ Stone, Buxton
£700	Lim x	13 mnths	A Twemlow, Stanton
£980	Char x	10 mnths	A Mosley & Son, Brassington
£740	Sim x	11-13 mnths	RE & J Taylor, Summerley
£1080	B Blue x	14 mnths	RE Staples, Burton on the Wold
£1000	Cont x	11-14 mnths	Miss J Bonsall, Atlow
£880	Hfd x	11 mnths	PW & JA Mansfield, Hyde
£700	Angus x	16 mnths	Wager & Son, Hartington
£980	B Blue x	13 mnths	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£1060	Lim x	10 mnths	D & LA Critchlow, Sheen
£770	Fries	13-14 mnths	D & LA Critchlow, Sheen
£900	Lim x	13 mnths	W Wright, Harpur Hill
£905	Angus x	12 mnths	AC Rouse, Brampton
£1075	Hfd x	12-15 mnths	KE Sessions, Foston
£770	Lim x	17 mnths	FT Bagnall, Longnor
£755	Angus x	11-17 mnths	W Hague & Son, Bradfield
£700	B Blue x	14 mnths	Mrs ME Collins, West Hallam
£1045	B Blue x	20-21 mnths	D & L Wain, Ilam

£970	Angus x	17 mnths	AC Langridge, Fole
£1120	B Blue x	16 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£950	Hfd x	19-20 mnths	RA Tatlow, Ashbourne
£1170	Angus x	24 mnths	CA Varley, Pentrich
£1210	Blonde x	22-23 mnths	W Bowler, Wirksworth
£1300	Hfd x	21-26 mnths	Furness Partners, Wheston
£1220	Lim x	23-24 mnths	Leasows Partners, Uttoxeter
£1055	Angus x	22-23 mnths	R & R Bennett, Mellor
£1115	Hfd x	20 mnths	R & R Bennett, Mellor
£1350	Sim x	24 mnths	RWA Thirlby, Tamworth
£1165	Angus x	32 mnths	DG Allen, Smalley
£1350	Angus x	26-28 mnths	SG Allen, Smalley
£905	Char x	14-16 mnths	A Kirk, Underwood
£1210	Lim x	29 mnths	AJ Byron, Denstone

### 129 Heifers ave £906

Some very nice consignments with prices to match.

All sorts well sold and plenty of interest at both ends of the age spectrum.

Angus & Hereford crosses selling very well indeed, but top honours to the Limousins.

Sample prices as follows:

£470	Lim x	6 mnths	T Farrington, Rugeley
£600	Lim x	7 mnths	JM & CE Shardlow, Trussley
£1060	Lim x	14 mnths	A Twemlow, Stanton
£940	Char x	10 mnths	A Mosley & Son, Brassington
£600	Angus	11-12 mnths	PJ Buxton, Kirk Langley
£720	B Blue x	13 mnths	RE Staples, Burton on the Wolds
£930	Hfd x	11 mnths	PW & JA Mansfield, Hyde
£500	Red Poll	13-14 mnths	FA Wilson, Edale
£660	Angus x	11-13 mnths	RP Lawley, Draycott
£840	Lim x	12 mnths	WS Wright, Harpur Hill
£840	Blonde x	8 mnths	JT Cantrell, WBC
£1350	Ped Lim	13-15 mnths	CG Buckston, Sutton on the Hill
£1000	Hfd x	14 mnths	KE Sessions, Foston
£1110	Lim x	13-16 mnths	IC Ford, Whaley Bridge
£990	Angus x	16 mnths	A & A Spooner, Macc Forest
£1520	Lim x	23 mnths	Boden & Davies, Mellor
£1500	Char x	23 mnths	Boden & Davies, Mellor
£1380	Lim x	16 mnths	Boden & Davies, Mellor
£1080	Char x	20-27 mnths	RH Bunting, Friden
£1090	Sim x	18 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£990	Sim x	23 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£1195	Lim x	23-31 mnths	DA Bailey & Son, Sutton on the Hill
£950	Hfd x	21-22 mnths	F Mycock & Son, Wormhill
£1160	Sim x	25 mnths	RWA Thirlby, Tamworth



£1160	Sim x	18-20 mnths	W Tomlinson, Retford
£1040	Hfd x	32 mnths	SH Hopkinson, Ashover

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

A few less about but all on offer looking well sold with Bulls to £410 and Heifers to £255. Very few Heifers in today's entry, but those forward keenly sought after and B/W a similar trade to last week.

#### **Bulls**

B Blue	£410	J & J Walton, Tideswell
Angus	£315	J & J Walton, Tideswell
Angus	£255	S Kirby, Eastmoor
Lim	£250	S Kirby, Eastmoor
B Blue	£282	RE Poyser & Son, Onecote
Hfd	£235	AP Critchlow, Wheston

#### **Heifers**

B Blue	£255	WJ Adams & Son, Mackworth
Angus	£205	GPK Trickett, Rowsley

### **Lambs, Ewes & Rams & Store Sheep (Auctioneers Ivor Lowe & Mark Elliott)**

#### **454 Finished lambs ave 352.03p/kg**

Trade up on last week for a nice show of lambs. All weights in keen demand with well finished lambs again commanding a distinct premium. Top prices of 378p/kg and £171/head.

#### **Leading Prices:-**

38.0kg	377p/kg	R Simpson, Longnor
37.1kg	372p/kg	T Hall, Radbourne
40.1kg	378p/kg	R Swift & Sons, Little Onn
41.4kg	378p/kg	S Allen, Thorpe
43.2kg	369p/kg	JJ Turner, Okeover
48.1kg	351p/kg	S Allen, Thorpe
48.7kg	340p/kg	J & J Walton, Tideswell

#### **Averages:**

Standard	To 377p/kg	Average 349.36p/kg
Medium	To 378p/kg	Average 352.49p/kg
Heavy	To 351p/kg	Average 332.54p/kg
Overweight	To 342p/kg	Average 339.59p/kg

#### **284 Old Season Lambs ave 257.39p/kg**

Well finished Hogs again easy to sell to tops of 326p/kg and £187 per head, but a large proportion of tail end types lacking finish more difficult to place.

#### **Leading Prices:-**

36.8kg	284p/kg	PC Mason, Idridgehay
40.0kg	326p/kg	RM Brown, Hope
44.0kg	318p/kg	CN Clayton, Norton Lees
40.0kg	304p/kg	R Swift & Sons, Little Onn
52.0kg	289p/kg	B & K Stevenson, Quarndon
45.7kg	282p/kg	IR Spendlove, Ambergate

Averages:

Standard	To 284p/kg	Average 239.92p/kg
Medium	To 326p/kg	Average 265.67p/kg
Heavy	To 289p/kg	Average 248.06p/kg
Overweight	To 230p/kg	Average 220.05p/kg

#### **466 Cull Sheep**

A very good entry for the last week of May and vendors were well rewarded as trade was fast.

The plainer sorts, best Mules and premium Texel were all firey to a top call of £194 for a smart long Texel from Salisbury Family at Abney. The Newtons at Mansfield also had £194 for Texels again. The best 10 pens averaged £184.20.

As detailed above best Mules very good to sell between £120 and £132 with the very best just over £135 per head.

Best Suffolks to £175 for Johnny Elkin at Hilderstone.

Better framed Swales (not the very biggest) but very well fleshed to £78/head.

The slaughter rams good to sell with all categories catered for.

Top – A Texel for Mark Hambleton at £179 others at £174 and £175.

Ewes averaged £134.34 all in.