



Market Report

Bakewell Market

MONDAY 24TH APRIL

Another very busy Monday market with 915 cattle and 1,275 sheep a strong trade in all sections and every animal changing hands.

IMPORTANT REMINDER

Regardless of the forthcoming Bank Holidays we will be holding normal Monday markets on:

Monday 1st May
Monday 8th May

The demand for store cattle remains very brisk at all levels of age and quality with steers selling to £1,880 (ave £1,012) and heifers to £1,780 (ave £920) with feeding bulls to £1,400. Cows & Calves peaked at £1,940.

Finished cattle numbers remain steady at 121 with trade again 'off the clock'
Top figures 348p or £2,269.

As an indication of the level of trade the average for the 66 heifers was an astonishing 289.3p and perhaps an even more remarkable £1,774 per head.

The story is much the same in the OTM department with a decent entry of 103 and top figures of 251p and £2,188 per head.

The average also looked good at 196.6 pence.

Calves were out in greater numbers with no fewer than 73 on offer. Bulls sold to £435 and heifers £275.

Turning to the sheep section numbers were well down on last week's massive turnout.

There were 133 Spring lambs forward with the best on offer to 417 pence and £167.28 per head the average emerged at a solid 332.2 pence.

The 716 hogs sold to 350p/kg and £171.97 per head.

The average was a useful 292.0 pence.

There were 426 cull sheep forward with ewes selling to £1162 to average £90.40.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

Thursday 27TH April: Thursday Lunchtime Sheep Sale

Friday 28th April: Darley Moor Machinery Sale

Peak Farmers Group

The next Peak Farmers Group event is Farm Health and Safety and will take place on Tuesday 9th May at Lower Plumpton Farm, Barmoor Clough, Dove Holes. We will be joined by Amy Gyte & Richard Archer. Amy will be discussing slurry gases and machinery health and safety and will be giving us advice on the topic. Richard will be talking to us about safe cattle handling and demonstrating cattle handling systems. The talk will start at 11am and close at 1pm when lunch will be served. To book a place please give Alice a call on 07904691457 or email info@peakfarmersgroup.co.uk

103 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows overall average 196.6p/kg or £1334 (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

Just over 100 cows again and very, very dear once again with a full line up of buyers all competing hard for the offering. 56 vendors today sold cows and all would be exceptionally happy with the results with the cows up 11 pence on the year. 46 cattle today topped £2/kilo with a super Lim x cow at the top of the pile at 251p (£2063) from Alex at Thorp Farms with 7 in total over 240p. Whilst this level of trade continues, the only way to market your cows is to a full national audience of buyers in Bakewell Market. If you are unsure about selling at Bakewell or have not done so for a while and would like to give it a try, give me a call on 07801 530899 and I would be happy to help.

Results:

251p/kg	822kg	Lim, 5 yrs	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
244p/kg	750kg	Lim, 11 yrs	JM AM MJ Bennett, Threaphurst
241p/kg	908kg	Sim, 9 yrs	Storer Smith Simmentals, Uttoxeter
241p/kg	772kg	Lim, 6 yrs	Marston Park Farm Ltd, Marston Montgomery
240p/kg	606kg	Lim, 5 yrs	W & P Charlton, Brassington
240p/kg	688kg	Lim, 1 calf	CW Taberner, Tean
240p/kg	606kg	Lim, 7 yrs	A Twemlow, Stanton
239p/kg	756kg	Lim, 8 yrs	R Wood, Middleton by Youlgreave
238p/kg	864kg	Char, 5 yrs	P Carrington, Roston Common
236p/kg	846kg	Fleck, 7 ½ yrs	JW Handford & Sons, Aspenshaw
236p/kg	694kg	Lim, 8 yrs	JA Hall, Longnor
233p/kg	626kg	Lim, 3 yrs	E Morten & Sons, Barmoor Clough
232p/kg	726kg	B Blue x, 11 yrs	WP Carson & Son, Grange Mill
228p/kg	550kg	Hfd, 32 mnths	JJ Barlow, Dore

Gross Prices:

£2188.28	908kg	Sim	Storer Smith Simmentals, Uttoxeter
£2063.22	822kg	Lim	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£2056.32	864kg	Char	P Carrington, Roston Common
£1996.56	846kg	Fleck	JW Handford & Sons, Aspenshaw
£1905.12	972kg	Holst	JE & CM Fletcher & Co, Peak Forest
£1860.52	772kg	Lim	Marston Park Farm Ltd, Marston Montgomery
£1830.00	750kg	Lim	JM AM MJ Bennett, Threaphurst
£1806.84	756kg	Lim	R Wood, Middleton by Youlgreave
£1804.56	824kg	Lim	WP Carson & Son, Grange Mill
£1752.72	804kg	Sim	Marston Park Farm Ltd, Marston Montgomery

45 Black & White and ex dairy cows at 184.3p

Top price Fleckv cow, 7 ½ yrs at 236p or £1996.56

Unbelievable the prices at present with the above mentioned and others at £1905.

12 better cows 195-263p

Big Holsteins 185-195p

Leaner Holsteins 170-180p

Smaller framed parlour sorts 160-170p

Only a few plainer sorts under 150p

The best today:

236p/kg	£1996.56	Fleckv, 8 yrs	JW Handford & Sons, Aspenshaw
219p/kg	£1568	Fries, 8 yrs	WB & DE Gyte, Barmoor Clough

214p/kg	£1634	Fries, 6 yrs	FJ Gould & Son, Longnor
214p/kg	£1108	Norw, 3 yrs	JW Handford & Sons, Aspenshaw
211p/kg	£1295	Holst, 3 yrs	HB Wildgoose & Partners, Newton Grange
207p/kg	£1362	Fries, 4 yrs	WB & DE Gyte, Barmoor Clough
200p/kg	£1380	Holst, 4 yrs	TN Palfreyman & Son, Flagg
197p/kg	£1390	Holst, 8 yrs	JE & CM Fletcher & Co, Peak Forest
197p/kg	£1686	Fries, 6 yrs	FJ Gould & Son, Longnor
196p/kg	£1176	Fries, 4 yrs	C Beever, Alport
196p/kg	£1905	Holst, 6 yrs	JE & CM Fletcher & Co, Peak Forest
195p/kg	£1423	Fries, 12 yrs	AC Rouse, Brampton

2 OTM Bulls

230p/kg	£1683	Blonde x, 32 mnths	DC Hoggard, Newark
194p/kg	£1916	Sim, 36 mnths	Mosley & Co, Chelmorton

2 OTM Steers

219p/kg	£1918	Holst, 41 mnths	RG Sisson, Dale Abbey
209p/kg	£1943	Holt, 33 mnths	RW Ardern & Sons, Buxton

Monday 1st May

Monday 8th May

BUSINESS AS USUAL

All cattle are wanted and will be needed.

Sale times as normal:

Cows at 9.45am

Bulls followed by Clean Cattle at 11.30am

Any question call Oliver Hiles

on 07801 530899

Bakewell Market - 01629 812777



**121 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 281.6p/kg
(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

NEW HEIGHTS ACHIEVED

A sensational day around the prime ring with all cattle very dear and some new record prices.

22 Young Bulls ave 271.8p

Look at the average as well as the top prices. 5 good bulls over 300p from 5 different vendors with a couple at 315p from Mark Ludlam and David Goddard (£2488). Arthur Prue had 2 Char at £2551 and £2256 with 7 over £2000 today. B/W to 234p

Results:

315p/kg	628kg	Lim	MJ Ludlam, Moorwood Moor
315p/kg	790kg	Blonde x	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
313p/kg	752kg	B Blue x	JT Ottewell, Calow
304p/kg	550kg	Lim	RP Hall, Heaton
300p/kg	554kg	B Blue x	SG Potter, Bonsall
298p/kg	682kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
296p/kg	570kg	Lim	MJ Ludlam, Moorwood Moor
290p/kg	678kg	Lim	SG Potter, Bonsall
284p/kg	604kg	Lim	SG Potter, Bonsall

Gross Prices:

£2551.36	952kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£2488.50	790kg	Blonde x	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£2353.76	752kg	B Blue x	JT Ottewell, Calow
£2256.56	842kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£2128.00	760kg	W Blk	JT Ottewell, Calow
£2032.36	682kg	Lim	S & D Fearn, Wardlow Mires
£1978.20	628kg	Lim	MJ Ludlam, Moorwood Moor
£1966.20	678kg	Lim	SG Potter, Bonsall

33 Steers ave 273.1p/kg

Unbelievable the level of trade. Richard Shaw topped the Steers at 339p for a handy weight Limmy with weight from John Grummett at 328p & 320p etc. 7 Natives had Angus to 274 and Hereford to 270p with 6 B/W up to 240p.

Results:

339p/kg	544kg	Lim	R & JT Shaw, Stanley
328p/kg	638kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
324p/kg	654kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
320p/kg	608kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
312p/kg	680kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
310p/kg	512kg	B Blue x	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
306p/kg	708kg	Lim	Moor Farmers, Flagg
304p/kg	678kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
300p/kg	710kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby

Gross Prices:

£2166.48	708kg	Lim	Moor Farmers, Flagg
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£2138.40	792kg	AA	B Sayles, Crich
£2130.00	710kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£2121.60	680kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£2118.96	654kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£2117.20	790kg	B Blue x	Moor Farmers, Flagg
£2115.60	820kg	AA	B Sayles, Crich
£2106.50	766kg	Blonde x	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£2092.64	638kg	Lim	KM & D Grummett, Smisby
£2061.12	678kg	Lim	RG Bacon, Wadshelf
£2006.34	714kg	B Blue x	AJ Steeples, Shipley

66 Heifers ave 289.39p/kg

Good numbers and a startling trade with a new record price of 348p for a shapey Lim x heifer from Richard Shaw (Steer/Heifer double) with this posh heifer selling to Joe Kemp, Quality Butchers at Hayfield. 6 Hereford to 298p, Angus to 282p and a Devon made 302p.

Results:

348p/kg	550kg	Lim	RS & JT Shaw, Stanley
329p/kg	524kg	Lim	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
329p/kg	574kg	Lim	SJ Wainwright, Poynton
326p/kg	480kg	Lim	RP Hall, Heaton
326p/kg	546kg	B Blue x	MJ Wells & Son, Monyash
323p/kg	472kg	Lim	RP Hall, Heaton
320p/kg	618kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
318p/kg	590kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
316p/kg	670kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
315p/kg	548kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
314p/kg	644kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
310p/kg	426kg	Lim	RP Hall, Heaton
305p/kg	744kg	Blonde x	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
304p/kg	590kg	Lim	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave

Gross Prices:

£2269.20	744kg	Blonde x	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£2198.56	728kg	Devon	M Wynne, Snitterton
£2117.20	670kg	Lim	LM & D Grummett, Smisby
£2099.60	724kg	Blonde x	C & D Jeffery, Pilsley
£2095.68	708kg	Lim	SJ Wainwright, Poynton
£2061.84	726kg	Blonde x	CH Leeson & Son, Ipstones
£2050.24	688kg	Hfd	Moor Farmers, Flagg
£2022.16	644kg	Lim	M Wynne, Snitterton
£1978.80	680kg	B Blue x	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
£1977.60	618kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1963.70	730kg	B Blue x	GW Smith & Son, Aldwark

STORE & BREEDING CATTLE – (Auctioneer Alastair Sneddon)

Another full house with a capacity entry of 618 head and a number of cattle already entered for next Monday 1st May.

Despite the large entry of cattle, the sale commenced on time and a total clearance was effected with the sale finished by 3pm.

There were **52 Breeding Stock** to start the sale with a mixed bag and plenty of interest for all qualities and ages.

Sample prices included:

£1940	Ped Char Cow, 89 mnths & Bull Calf	S Franks, Bradfield
£1600	Ped Char Cow, 102 mnths & Bull Calf	S Franks, Bradfield
£2080	Ped Char Stock Bull, 20 mnths	S Franks, Bradfield
£1500	Angus Cow, 24 mnths & Hfr Calf	ST Walker, Kirk Ireton
£1480	Angus Cow, 63 mnths & Hf Calf	S Downing & Daughter, Little Eaton
£1330	Hfd Cow, 186 mnths & Bull Calf	Bosworth Bros, Stanley
£1190	Hfd Cow, 59 mnths i/c	Bosworth Bros, Stanley

33 Young Bulls

Sample prices as follows:

£980	B Blue x	12 mnths	E Hancock, Foolow
£920	Hfd x	13-14 mnths	A & DG Stevenson, Brackenfield
£1400	Sim	24 mnths	VK, RM & PJ Booth, Heage
£1050	B Blue x	10 mnths	GA & SM Wainwright, Bamford

282 Steers ave £1010

A wonderful variety of stock and a full line up of buyers from near and far.

There was a customer for all varieties and results exceeded expectations on virtually all occasions.

Where possible, cattle were bunched in lots of up to 12 animals which certainly attracted a premium and assisted the progress of the sale.

Sample Results:

£570	Angus x	5-7 mnths	SR Bardwell, Hathersage
£660	S Horn x	6 mnths	IC Williamson, Lea
£710	Lim x	12 mnths	FL Short, Eastmoor
£1200	AA	13-15 mnths	WH Burgess & Son, New Mills
£900	AA	14 mnths	AE & VJ Parkinson, Osliston
£910	Blue Albion	11 mnths	R Toon, Mayfield
£840	Lim x	14 mnths	A Allwood & Son, Crich
£945	B Blue x	13 mnths	J & J Mellor, Kniveton
£960	Lim x	10-11 mnths	DG Allen, Smalley
£1200	Lim x	11 mnths	AK Belfield, Sheen
£720	B Blue x	8-12 mnths	JH Avery, Yeaveley
£940	B Blue x	16 mnths	J & L Pott, Stanshope
£1600	Char x	13 mnths	P Carrington, Roston
£715	Holst	13 mnths (10)	SA Voce, Ravenshead
£890	S Horn x	12-16 mnths	J & SJ Tunstall, Heage
£1170	Lim x	11-13 mnths	AB Bowler, Ashleyhay
£1030	Blonde x	11-12 mnths	A Brown & Son, Bonsall
£1130	B Blue x	12-13 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£1160	Angus x	12-13 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£870	Holst	11-16 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£1560	Lim x	12-15 mnths	R Gratton, Buxton
£900	Angus x	10-11 mnths	DA Bott, Kniveton
£1400	Hfd x	22 mnths	DA Bott, Kniveton
£1040	Sim x	12 mnths	VH Mellor, Chelmorton
£1560	Lim x	21 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley

£1350	Lim x	11 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley
£1880	Lim x	17 mnths	K & S Harper, Dungworth
£1190	Holst	21-22 mnths	FJ Knibb Farms, Shardlow
£1390	AA x	22 mnths	LW Hancock, Stoney Middleton
£1840	Lim x	22-24 mnths	M Hambleton, Alstonefield
£1560	B Blue x	22-23 mnths	Riverside Farmers, Scropton
£1520	Hfd x	23 mnths	CH & AJ Berrisford, Cheddleton
£1450	Angus x	20-22 mnths	J Ratcliffe, Alton
£1070	Angus x	19-23 mnths	AC Langridge, Fole
£1260	S Horn x	24 mnths	RJ & JA Hancock, Foolow
£1190	Sim x	21-22 mnths	RJ Lichfield, Newborough
£990	Holst (10)	25-27 mnths	GW Taylor, Gosmore
£1410	Lim x	24-27 mnths	Mycock Farming, Hamstall Ridware
£1330	Angus x	17 mnths	P Birch, Hartington
£1400	Blonde	26 mnths	NI Naylor, Crowdicote
£1235	Fries	25-26 mnths	PJ & RA Mitchell, Fradswell
£1350	Hfd x	26-27 mnths	PJ & RA Mitchell, Fradswell

251 Heifers ave £920

Some lovely cattle and a great trade to go with them. No difficulty finding a customer for the many different types on offer.

Hereford and Angus attracting a good deal of interest.

Sample Results:

£700	Lim x	7 mnths	SR Bardwell, Hathersage
£680	Hfd	12 mnths	A & A Spooner, Macc Forest
£500	AA x	7-11 mnths	H Andrew & Co, Dungworth
£720	Lim x	12-14 mnths	FL Short, Eastmoor
£940	AA x	12-15 mnths	AE & VJ Parkinson, Osliston
£1000	B Blue x	9 mnths	T Currington, Biggin
£980	AA x (7)	11-12 mnths	JB & GE Hayward, Oughtibridge
£1180	B Blue x	17 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£790	Hfd x	13-21 mnths	JW Witham, Clifton
£1400	Lim x	13 mnths	RM Calcott, Tamworth
£890	B Blue x	14-23 mnths	JH Avery, Yeaveley
£900	B Blue x	15-16 mnths	J & L Pott, Stanshope
£1530	Saler	25 mnths	P Carrington, Roston
£1290	Char	12-13 mnths	P Carrington, Roston
£1370	B Blue x	23 mnths	GA & SM Wainwright, Bamford
£1050	Lim x	12 mnths	AB Bowler, Ashleyhay
£1090	B Blue x (7)	12-16 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£1110	Hfd x	13-15 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£1480	Lim x	16 mnths	R Gratton, Buxton
£620	Hfd x	10-11 mnths	DA Bott, Kniveton
£1240	Char x	19 mnths	CG Matkin, Alderwasley
£1090	Char x	17 mnths	K & S Harper, Dungworth
£1180	Lim x	20 mnths	W & P Charlton, Brassington

£1380	Lim x	21-22 mnths	FJ Knibb Farms, Shardlow
£1100	B Blue x (8)	17-22 mnths	PK & C Heathcote, Buxton
£1780	B Blue x	22 mnths	Riverside Farms, Scropton
£1560	Hfd x	24 mnths	CH & AJ Berrisford, Cheddleton
£1520	Lim x	23-24 mnths	CH & AJ Berrisford, Cheddleton
£930	AA x	20-22 mnths	J Ratcliffe, Alton
£1100	AA x	24-25 mnths	AC Petford Ltd, Watling Street
£1110	AA	21-29 mnths	AC Langridge, Fole
£1450	AA	23 mnths	AC Langridge, Fole
£1120	AA	23 mnths	Miss SO Hodgson, Glossop
£1135	Lim x	24-26 mnths	Mycock Farming Ltd, Hamstall Ridware
£1500	Hfd	22 mnths	P Birch, Hartington
£940	L Horn x	20 mnths	P Wilson, Ecclesfield
£1240	AA	25 mnths	P Wilson, Ecclesfield

73 CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)

Another pleasing increase in numbers forward with all meeting keen interest but a number of smaller sorts within the entry.

Black & White calves again well bid for with the stronger sorts upwards of £100 to a top of £125.

Bulls

B Blue	£290	JM & D Shepherd, Hassop
B Blue	£260	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
Hfd	£135	C Carr, Tissington
Fries	£125	JW Brandrick, Beamhurst

Hfrs

B Blue	£275	TN Palfreyman, Flagg
Saler	£155	JF Hayes, Shottle

An entry of reared calves created significant interest with B Blue bulls to £460 and Angus heifers to £370.

849 Lambs & 426 Ewes & Rams (Auctioneer Peter Oven)

A very good post festival entry of 1275 head of sheep included 849 lambs. An excellent show of 133 new season lambs attracted brisk bidding to peak at 417p/kg with 3 pens from Monyash all selling at over 400p, top gross of £167.28/head and overall average 333.24p/kg.

Averages:

Light	To 339p/kg	Average 314.73p/kg
Standard	To 417p/kg	Average 357.76p/kg
Medium	To 408p/kg	Average 326.71/kg

In the Old Season Lambs a total of 716 on offer saw demand outstanding with best meated sorts just as good as last week's high levels to peak at 350p/kg, with 7 lots from out of Nottinghamshire averaging 330p/kg. Heavy butchers lambs sold to 324p/kg with overweights to 316p/kg and a top gross of £172/head. The overall average 292.7p/kg.

Leading Prices:-

38.6kg	293p/kg	JJ Turner, Ashbourne
41.1kg	346p/kg	SH Gunn Ltd, Notts
42.2kg	337p/kg	SH Gunn Ltd, Notts
43kg	350p/kg	SH Gunn Ltd, Notts
44.5kg	336p/kg	AV Marsden, Hucklow
46.5kg	294p/kg	AB Bowler, Ashleyhay
47.6kg	294p/kg	N Mosley, Crich
48kg	298p/kg	F Gee, Bottomhouse
48.2kg	306p/kg	P Britain-Cartledge, Buxton
49kg	305p/kg	P Britain-Cartledge, Buxton
50.8kg	308p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
51kg	324p/kg	B & K Stevenson, Quarnford
51.6kg	324p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
53.4kg	316p/kg	P Britain-Cartledge, Buxton
55.5kg	290p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
59.3kg	290p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
61.5kg	275p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn

Averages:

Standard	To 293p/kg	Average 274.83p/kg
Medium	To 350p/kg	Average 299.94p/kg
Heavy	To 324p/kg	Average 288.09p/kg
Overweight	To 316p/kg	Average 278.26p/kg

Cull Sheep

A total of 426 cull ewes and rams saw best Texels to £162 and the top 10 pens averaging £143.10. The plainer grazing type ewes looked very well sold on the day with 3 grazing men operating.

Ewes to £162 Ave £90.40
Rams to £136 Ave £130.56