



# Market Report

## Bakewell Market

MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup> May

Decent entries for the first of the Bank Holiday Monday markets, which was well supported by both sellers and buyers with 665 cattle and 864 sheep on offer. Don't forget that next week is also a Bank Holiday Monday market.

Prices were well up to snuff with new market records in both store and finished cattle sections.

There were 437 store and breeding cattle, a very good show for a May Day market. Trade was outstanding as was the quality of cattle on offer. The combination of the two factors produced record prices with a 24 month old Blonde x steer from Eric Slaney, Stowe by Chartley making £2,100, he also had store heifers to £1,830 and another vendor had heifers to £1,880.

Feeding bulls sold to £1,430 and in the breeding section a Lim Stock Bull made £2,850.

The finished cattle section also had a bonanza with steers to 338p and £2,403 per head and heifers to 332p and £2,177 per head.

The average for the 48 heifers was a healthy 279.0p.

Business was brisk in the OTM department with 90 head on offer. Top figures of 273 pence and £2,161 per head. The average settle at 201p, possibly the highest it has ever been.

Calves seem to be a little more numerous with 51 on offer this week. Bulls sold to £270 and heifers £225.

Over in the sheep section Spring lamb numbers are on the rise with 98 on parade.

Trade was exceptional with the best on offer to 426p/kg and £170.83 per head.

The SQQ average was 380.6 pence. Hogg numbers starting to fall with just 611 forward, but selling well.

Top figures 348p and £198.03 per head with the SQQ looking good at 307.5p.

Relatively few cull sheep with only 155 on offer. Trade remarkable with ewes to £200 to average £119.29

## FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May:** Thursday Lunchtime Sheep Sale

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### 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](mailto:info@peakfarmersgroup.co.uk)



Property of the Week



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**Grove Farm, Wirksworth Road, Hazelwood, Belper, DE56 2LS**

Occupying a truly delightful setting within 21 acres, enjoying stunning views to every aspect, stands this charming extended detached farmhouse along with a separate detached barn which has consent for conversion to a further independent residential dwelling.

Guide Price £1,350,000

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**90 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows overall average 201.1p/kg or £1345 (Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

They get dearer and dearer with the average today over £2/kg for only the second time, but cattle today are simply off the clock. Although it is a Bank Holiday, all buyers were in attendance and needing cattle to fill orders.

53 today topped £2/kg including a big number of B/W's. Best suckler bred cows rose to 273p/kg for a Blue x feeder from C Whittaker with the better done cows generally 230p plus. Trade is here and now and if you have them to sell you should act now and sell them in Bakewell Livestock Market next week, business as usual with cows starting at 9.45. God Save The King!

**Results:**

273p/kg	652kg	B Blue x	C Whittaker, Glossop
262p/kg	660kg	Lim, 33 mnths	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor
248p/kg	670kg	B Blue x, 8 yrs	AJ & GH Bland, Mottram
244p/kg	686kg	Lim, 4 yrs	B Chadwick, Onecote
243p/kg	810kg	Lim, 10 yrs	CW Taberner, Tean
242p/kg	648kg	Lim, 4 yrs	HJ Burton, Brailsford
242p/kg	686kg	B Blue x, 7 yrs	AJ & GH Bland, Mottram
242p/kg	702kg	Mont, 3 yrs	Sewell Farmers, Deby Village
239p/kg	646kg	Lim, 3 yrs	D & LA Critchlow, Sheen
238p/kg	596kg	AA, 3 yrs	HJ Burton & Son, Brailsford
236p/kg	436kg	Hfd, 30 mnths	GA & SM Wainwright & Sons, Bamford
235p/kg	864kg	Char, 10 yrs	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
230p/kg	794kg	Char, 4 yrs	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
228p/kg	892kg	Hfd, 7 yrs	R Weston & Son, Longnor

**Gross Prices:**

£2033.76	892kg	Hfd	R Weston & Son, Longnor
£2030.40	864kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£1968.30	810kg	Lim	CW Taberner, Tean
£1826.20	794kg	Char	R Prue & Son, Alfreton
£1801.58	862kg	Holst	AJ & ME Minshall, Tean
£1784.00	800kg	Hfd	R Gratton, Ashwood Dale
£1779.96	652kg	B Blue x	C Whittaker, Glossop
£1729.20	660kg	Lim	CM Rowlinson, Ramsor

**33 Black & White and ex dairy cows at 188.1p**

Unbelievably dear with the top 14 over £2 with dairy cows wanted.

Better fed cows 210-242p/kg

Big framed and fed Holsteins 190-209p/kg

Parlour Holsteins 180-190p/kg

Leaner Cows 160-180p/kg

Plain cows under 150p/kg

**The best today:**

242p/kg	£1698	Mont, 3 yrs	Sewell Farms, Denby Village
224p/kg	£1603	Fries, 4 yrs	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
217p/kg	£1605	Fries, 5 yrs	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
216p/kg	£1702	Holst, 5 yrs	AJ & ME Minshall, Tean
216p/kg	£1624	Fries, 6 yrs	G & M Limer, Taddington

216p/kg	£1166	Holst, 3 yrs	RJ Neville & Sons, Ashover
211p/kg	£1464	Fries, 8 yrs	J & J Walton, Tideswell
209p/kg	£1801	Holst, 8 yrs	AJ & ME Minshall, Tean
207p/kg	£1602	Fries, 9 yrs	G & M Limer, Taddington
207p/kg	£1295	Fries, 5 yrs	JR Hallam, Hayfield
206p/kg	£1524	Fries, 8 yrs	FJ Gould & Son, Longnor
205p/kg	£1582	Holst, 11 yrs	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
203p/kg	£1295	Holst, 7 yrs	AE Ross & Son, Rotherham

#### 4 OTM Bulls

187p/kg	£2161	Hfd, 6 yrs	TA & DE Spooner, Upper Hulme
179p/kg	£2015	Hfd, 4 yrs	FJ Gould & Son, Longnor

#### 3 OTM Steers

241p/kg	£1590	BB, 32 mnths	NI Naylor, Crowdicote
233p/kg	£1472	Hfd, 33 mnths	RN Hoggarth, Newark

**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**

 **BAGSHAW'S**  
 Land - Property - Livestock

## **87 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 276.7p/kg**

**(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

Super numbers and trade throughout for the May Day sale with some startling top prices. Next week – Business as usual with the finished cattle needed and all buyers expected for the second Bank Holiday in succession.

### **4 Young Bulls ave 266.5p**

Results:

282p/kg	£1246	BB	JM & B Mann, Bakewell
274p/kg	£1687	BB	C Beever, Alport
272p/kg	£1931	Blonde	RF & JP Critchlow, Hartington
235p/kg	£1151	Fries	C Beever, Alport

### **35 Steers ave 274.8pkg**

Trade on fire once again with an amazing top price of 338p (£2224) for a Limmy from Peter B, with the top 10 all over £3/kg and the top 11 over £2000. 13 Natives today had OTM Angus to 259p and Hereford to 300p/kg.

Results:

338p/kg	658kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
325p/kg	602kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
324p/kg	624kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
322p/kg	674kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
310p/kg	684kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
308p/kg	662kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
302p/kg	796kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
301p/kg	632kg	Lim	RP Hall, Heaton
300p/kg	628kg	Hfd	J Brennand, High Peak

Gross Prices:

£2403.92	796kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£2224.04	658kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£2170.28	674kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£2133.60	762kg	Lim	Moor Farmers, Flagg
£2124.30	730kg	Lim	NI Naylor, Crowdicote
£2120.40	684kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£2052.00	760kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£2038.96	662kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£2021.76	624kg	Blonde x	K Harrop, Alport
£2021.66	746kg	Lim	JH Byard, Chesterfield

### **48 Heifers ave 279.1p/kg**

Super numbers for the Bank Holiday sale and trade on fire from start to finish. Keith Harrop topped the day at 332p with others at 324 and 317p. Messrs Brennand had 326 for his best with a lovely run from the Hollinshead family at 314,312p etc. Angus to 298 and Hereford to 271p.

Results:

332p/kg	656kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
326p/kg	648kg	Lim	P Brennand, Little Hayfield
324p/kg	596kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport

317p/kg	678kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
314p/kg	606kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
312p/kg	658kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
309p/kg	632kg	Lim	P Brennand, Little Hayfield
306p/kg	610kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
304p/kg	578kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
304p/kg	630kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
302p/kg	622kg	B Blue x	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
300p/kg	640kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
300p/kg	622kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield

Gross Prices:

£2177.92	656kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
£2149.26	678kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£2112.48	648kg	Lim	P Brennand, Little Hayfield
£2053.44	744kg	Lim	Moor Farmers, Flagg
£2052.96	658kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1952.88	632kg	Lim	P Brennand, Little Hayfield
£1931.04	596kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1920.00	640kg	Lim	D Lownds, Reapsmoor
£1915.20	630kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1902.84	606kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield

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

A wonderful entry of 437 head meant that a full line up of buyers appeared for the Bank Holiday fixture and a fantastic trade prevailed from start to finish.

The sale started with **22 Breeding Stock** which included:

£1960	W Blk Cow & twin Calves	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston
£1350	Angus Hfr, 34 mnths & Hfr Calf	K & M Ede, Checkley
£1220	Angus Hfr, 28 mnths & S Horn Calf	S Downing & Daughters, Little Eaton
£2850	Ped Lim Stock Bull, 41 mnths	D Byard, Holmgate

**53 Young Bulls**

A better show with sample prices as follows:

£890	B Blue x	16 mnths	DW & LK Mycock, Overhaddon
£800	Sim x	10-11 mnths	NJ Morris, Blackfordby
£1430	Lim x	15 mnths	Bardill Bros, Killamarsh
£570	Sim x	9 mnths	Mrs NC Gregory, Blackwell
£920	Blonde x	8 mnths	Garlick Partners, Kettlethulme
£790	Lim x	10 mnths	GCG Robinson, Longnor
£620	Lim x	9 mnths	G Stubbs, Wetton
£880	Mont x	13 mnths	H Hodgkinson, Earl Sterndale
£1160	Angus x	13 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston
£1300	Lim x	10 mnths	M Leason, Sudbury
£780	Lim x	5-8 mnths	S Burford, Hayfield
£610	B Blue x	10 mnths	RP Lawley, Draycott

### 157 Steers ave £994

A very varied selection with some outstanding sorts on offer, but there were also animals from the other end of the spectrum. All found a ready market at an appropriate price. Mr EJ Slaney topped the sale with a great run of cattle. Top honours went to the nearly finished continental crosses, but Angus were as ever in demand and we could do with some more strong Black & Whites to satisfy demand.

#### Sample Results:

£705	Blonde x	7 mnths	JT Cantrell, Macc Forest
£1020	Lim x	6-8 mnths	D Byard, Holmgate
£1700	Lim x	15 mnths	GM & DE Storer, Wincle
£1380	Lim x	11 mnths	GM & DE Storer, Wincle
£750	Angus	10 mnths	S Downing & Daughters, Little Eaton
£1240	Lim x	10-11 mnths	CPR & JM Mycock, Friden
£1200	Angus x	8 mnths	JJ Cundy, Longnor
£1470	B Blue x	17 mnths	DT Hodgkinson, Friden
£1480	Angus	16-17 mnths	DT Hodgkinson, Friden
£1180	Lim x	12 mnths	A Twemlow, Stanton
£850	S Horn x	18 mnths	A Twemlow, Stanton
£1290	Lim x	13 mnths	RM Calcott, Tamworth
£1630	Sim x	23 mnths	CL Cox, Marchington
£1230	Lim x	10-11 mnths	K & S Harper, Dungworth
£1500	Lim x	21 mnths	Riverside Farmers, Scropton
£1000	Lim x	13-14 mnths	PJ Bailey, Grindon
£1350	B Blue x	16 mnths	R Gratton, Ashwood
£1510	B Blue x	15 mnths	P Furness, Monyash
£1340	Angus x	25 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£855	Hfd x	14-17 mnths	J & L Pot Ltd, Stanshope
£1900	Lim x	17 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1370	B Blue	21 mnths	C Matthews, Castleton
£1290	Lim x	17-20 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£1390	B Blue x	18-19 mnths	RA Tatlow, Ashbourne
£1670	Char x	19 mnths	IP Carrington, Kniveton
£2100	Blonde x	24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1880	Blonde x	24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1860	Blonde x	24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1770	Blonde x	24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1480	S Horn x	21 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston
£1420	Sim x	21 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston
£1080	Holst	21 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston

### 205 Heifers ave £844

A good selection with buyers operating for all types of cattle that had been outwintered attracting a noticeable premium. Mr EJ Slaney's cattle were a notable highlight of the sale.

#### Sample Results:

£590	B Blue x	5-6 mnths	H Andrews & Co, Dungworth
£1260	Lim x	21 mnths	D Byard, Holmgate
£960		10-14 mnths	D Byard, Holmgate
£1020	Lim x	11 mnths	GM & DE Storer, Wincle

£1160	B Blue x	11 mnths	G Jones, Langley
£680	Lim x	8-11 mnths	G Stubbs, Wetton
£1120	Lim x	12-13 mnths	CPR & JM Mycock, Friden
£1110	B Blue x	13-16 mnths	JW Walker, Tideswell
£1050	Lim x	9-12 mnths	A Twemlow, Stanton
£1110	Lim x	12 mnths	RM Calcott, Tamworth
£900	Char x	9 mnths	CL Cox, Marchington
£990	Lim x	11-12 mnths	K & S Harper, Dungworth
£1380	Lim x	23 mnths	Riverside Farmers, Scropton
£1020	B Blue x	16-17 mnths	A & DJ Gregory, Litton
£840	Angus x	18-19 mnths	P Hambleton, Calton
£1320	Lim x	15 mnths	R Gratton, Ashwood
£1090	Lim x	14 mnths	WJ & DM Madin, Holymoorside
£1140	Angus x	25 mnths	J Shardlow, Shirland
£875	B Blue x	20 mnths	R Dilks, Hassop
£1080	Lim x	19 mnths	JA & D Shepherd, Hollowmeadows
£830	Hfd x	16-19 mnths	J & L Pot Ltd, Stanshope
£1880	B Blue x	25 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1070	Char x	16 mnths	C Matthews, Castleton
£1145	Lim x	16-19 mnths	C Matthews, Castleton
£830	Lim	9 mnths	RD Gould & Son, Longnor
£1470	Lim x	22 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£1165	B Blue x	23-24 mnths	Hough Park Farm, Hulland Ward
£1055	Angus	19 mnths	Hough Park Farm, Hulland Ward
£1280	Lim x	24 mnths	IP Carrington, Kniveton
£1760	Blonde x	21 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1690	Blonde x	24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1830	Blonde x	23-24 mnths	EJ Slaney, Stowe by Chartley
£1320	Angus x	26-27 mnths	J Brough, Rudyard
£1210	Char x	19 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston
£1145	S Horn x	21 mnths	Ellis Farming, Thurvaston

### 51 CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)

A large gathering of prospective purchasers ensured a brisk trade for all.

Bulls saw a strong B Blue at £480 with stronger heifers of the same breed at £380.

Black & white bulls a competitive trade to a top of £175

#### Bulls

B Blue	£480	DW Beresford & Son, Wheston
Lim	£270	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
Hfd	£205	AP Critchlow, Wheston
Holst	£175	P & A Thornhill

#### Hfrs

B Blue	£225	D Fotherby & Son, Wormhill
Hfd	£180	Holtwood Farm, Doveridge



### 709 Lambs & 155 Ewes & Rams (Auctioneer Peter Oven)

A total entry of 864 sheep included 709 lambs. Demand was very brisk in all sections with buyers keen to keep fridges full. The 98 new season lambs sold to a top of 426p/kg with an overall average of 380.6p/kg

#### Leading Prices:-

36kg	396p/kg	C Titterton, Darley Dale
39kg	390p/kg	Hawksworth Farms, Shardlow
40kg	426p/kg	R Brough & Son, Monyash
42.5kg	398p/kg	Hawksworth Farms, Shardlow
43.1kg	396p/kg	Miss Jessica Easom, Wessington

#### Averages:

Standard	To 396p/kg	Average 376.68p/kg
Medium	To 426p/kg	Average 381.96p/kg

In the old season lambs demand was as good as the festival week with buyers struggling to fill their order books. Best butchers lambs sold to 351p/kg with heavy weights to 348p/kg and overweight butchers lambs to 316p/kg. The best big lambs grossed just short of £200/head. The overall market average 307.55p/kg

#### Leading Prices:-

38.2kg	328p/kg	P Langton, Derby
39kg	320p/kg	P Moody, Kegworth
39.6kg	333p/kg	P Langton, Derby
41kg	340p/kg	R Frith, Thorpe
42.6kg	339p/kg	J & J Spillane, Buxton
43.1kg	351p/kg	V & G Bowring, Notts
44.7kg	329p/kg	T Hall, Radbourne
45kg	328p/kg	J & M Riley, Parsley Hay
46.1kg	340p/kg	V & G Bowring, Notts
47.5kg	348p/kg	R Wartig, Sheffield
50kg	322p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
51.2kg	324p/kg	S & D Fearn, Wardlow
51.4kg	339p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
52.2kg	316p/kg	O Pilkington & Sons, Mayfield
54.2kg	314p/kg	O Pilkington & Sons, Mayfield
56.5kg	302p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
61kg	300p/kg	R Wartig, Sheffield

#### Averages:

Medium	To 351p/kg	Average 309.86p/kg
Heavy	To 348p/kg	Average 307.7p/kg
Overweight	To 316p/kg	Average 292.95p/kg

### Cull Sheep

Just 155 cull ewes and rams continued at the high levels with best Texels to £200 and strong Mule ewes sold in the £118-£128 bracket and Cheviot Mules to £160.

<b>Ewes to £200</b>	<b>Ave £119.29</b>
<b>Rams to £159</b>	<b>Ave £130.57</b>