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## WORCESTER MARKET SATURDAY, 2<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017 FIRST SALE IN THE MONTH OF STORE CATTLE & STORE SHEEP

### STORE CATTLE

A good sharp trade throughout for the types on offer and for the time of year – many grazing men are not looking for numbers and in many cases it is too early to consider buying yarding cattle. That said the trade was buoyant. As autumn approaches “go for the October and November sales” for optimum returns.

Prices and averages were as follows:

	<b>Steers</b>			<b>Heifers</b>		
	<b>Weight</b>	<b>£'s</b>	<b>p/kg</b>	<b>Weight</b>	<b>£'s</b>	<b>p/kg</b>
<b><u>Blonde cross</u></b>	420	795	189	380	760	200
				435	740	170
	To: 189p/kg			To: 200p/kg	Average: 185p/kg	
<b><u>Limousin cross</u></b>	370	925	250	345	725	210
	265	635	239			
	435	1000	229			
	550	1060	192			
	To: 250p/kg	Average: 227.5p/kg		To: 210p/kg		
<b><u>Simmental cross</u></b>	385	910	236			
<b><u>Charolais cross</u></b>	595	1250	210			
<b><u>British Blue cross</u></b>	500	1110	222	350	670	191
	310	645	208	405	730	180
	440	880	200			
	445	870	195			
	505	950	188			
	To: 222p/kg	Average: 202.6p/kg		To: 191p/kg	Average: 185.5p/kg	
<b><u>Hereford cross</u></b>	350	720	205	390	730	187
	450	860	191			
	475	755	158			
	330	500	151			
	To: 205p/kg	Average: 176.2p/kg		To: 178p/kg	Average: 171p/kg	
<b><u>Aberdeen Angus x</u></b>	380	820	215	425	710	167
	470	975	207	400	650	167
				460	720	156
	To: 215p/kg	Average: 211p/kg		To: 167p/kg	Average: 163p/kg	
<b><u>Longhorn</u></b>	415	750	180	340	655	192
<b><u>Devon</u></b>	330	575	174	385	690	179
	380	640	168	270	450	166
	To: 174p/kg	Average: 171p/kg		To: 179p/kg	Average: 171p/kg	
<b><u>Ayrshire</u></b>	510	720	141			
<b><u>Holstein/Friesian</u></b>	300	460	153			

Cows and calves and in calf cows to £1,280; £1,260; £1,030; £1,020; £1,000

### **PRE- MOVEMENT T.B. TESTING**

**As from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2007 all cattle aged 42 days and over** are required to be T.B. Tested (and be negative) **within 60 days** of proposed movement if they are destined for further finishing (i.e. Store cattle at "Green Markets") provided you are in a parish of 1 or 2 years testing. If less frequent than this do not worry!

**FINISHED CATTLE/OTM CATTLE at "Red Markets" (every Wednesday) there is no requirement for testing**

### **STORE SHEEP: 2288**

A grand entry of 1200 store lambs met a flying trade with all sorts well competed for. Plenty of strength forward and this would be easiest sold selling to £75. Farming lambs also a flyer with one run of medium lambs off the top of the Cotswolds selling to £69 and averaging £58 to include some very long term sorts.

More lambs are needed each and every week at Worcester. Overall average £61

### **BREEDING EWES**

What a trade for the breeding ewes, all sorts in hot demand.

Yearlings sold to £146 for black faced ewes from the Halford Partnership.

North Country Mule ewes sold to £142 and sound a keen following throughout.

A genuine dispersal of North Country Ewes sold exceptionally well to £126 for 2y.o. ewes and averaged £111 all the way through.

More more more ewes needed in Worcester.

### **BREEDING RAMS**

A selective trade with shape and power the name of the game.

*Please book your sheep in to the sales, it really helps maximize your returns.*

### **FORTHCOMING SALES**

<b>SATURDAY, 16<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>ANNUAL HOP &amp; CHEESE FAIR</b>
<b>SATURDAY, 23<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>AUTUMN SHOW &amp; SALES FOR THE LONGHORN CATTLE SOCIETY AND THE BEEF SHORTHORN SOCIETY AND ANNUAL AUTUMN SALE FOR THE EASYCARE SHEEP SOCIETY</b> CATALOGUES AVAILABLE. <b><u>NO STORE SHEEP OR CATTLE</u></b>
<b>SATURDAY, 30<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>SECOND STORE SALE IN THE MONTH FOR STORE CATTLE AND SHEEP ENTRIES FOR THE CATALOGUE CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>
<b>SATURDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER</b>	<b>JOINT BREEDERS "WORCESTER SAUCY SALE" OF PEDIGREE IN LAMB CHAROLLAIS EWES</b> CATALOGUES AVAILABLE.
<b>SATURDAY, 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER</b>	<b>FIRST STORE SALE IN THE MONTH OF CATTLE AND SHEEP – ENTRIES FOR CATALOGUE CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER.</b>
<b>SATURDAY, 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER</b>	<b>"KINASTON" BLONDE DISPERSAL SALE FOR THE EXORS OF THE LATE R KINNISH</b>
<b>SATURDAY, 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER</b>	<b>SECOND STORE SALE OF THE MONTH FOR STORE CATTLE AND SHEEP ENTRIES FOR THE CATALOGUE CLOSE WEDNESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER.</b>

### **Entries For Store Sales and Catalogues**

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