



CIRENCESTER LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2018

92 REARING CALVES

10.30 am - Auctioneers: Jon Pullin
Bulls £435, Heifers £328

A very good entry with a wonderful run of weaned calves from FE White & Son. Fresh calves saw Friesians to £100 for WJ Hunt and a Dairy Shorthorn at £240 for B Gough & Sons.

Native breeds saw a superb Hereford bull from AR & M Highman at £412 and another good sort from J Stag & Sons at £360.

Best Continentals another very good trade British Blues twice at £435 for JR & ED Newton and £435 for Simmental from B Gough & Sons. A wonderful Shorthorn from the same home at £400.

Heifer calves also sold well with British Blues to £328 for JR & SE Cook, £242 for Cimmarron Partnership, very best Hereford heifers sold to £240 from J Stag & Sons, £210 for AR & M Highman.

A run of weaned calves 4-5 months from FE White & Son saw Friesians to £208 and superb British Blue steers to £568 and £488. Aberdeen Angus steers to £380 and £392. British Blue heifers saw five make £418 and three smaller at £310 with Aberdeen Angus heifers of a similar age £305-£340.

Two Herefords from RP & VJ Tobin saw a Hereford steer at £595 and a good heifer at £450.

MORE CALVES NEEDED TO MEET A VERY STRONG DEMAND

BULLS				
Breed	Qty	Top £	Avg £	Vendor
British Blue	16	435	271	JR & ED Newton
Shorthorn	1	400	400	B Gough & Sons
Aberdeen Angus	2	90	63	RE Seex & Son
Hereford	5	412	308	AR & M Highman
Simmental	3	435	266	B Gough & Son
Friesian	8	140	63	KJ & WM Kingston

HEIFERS				
Breed	Qty	Top £	Avg £	Vendor
British Blue	10	328	183	JR & SE Cook
Hereford	3	240	199	J Stag & Sons
Simmental	1	102	102	WJ, MM, EWJ Hunt

WEANED BULLS				
Breed	Qty	Top £	Avg £	Vendor
British Blue	6	568	514	FE White & Sons
Aberdeen Angus	6	392	384	FE White & Sons
Hereford	1	595	595	RP & VJ Tobin
Friesian	15	208	168	FE White & Sons

WEANED HEIFERS				
Breed	Qty	Top £	Avg £	Vendor
British Blue	8	418	377	FE White & Sons
Aberdeen Angus	6	340	316	FE White & Sons
Hereford	1	450	450	RP & VJ Tobin

135 STORE CATTLE

11.00 am - Auctioneer: Chris Voyce
Avg: Steers £789 (177p/kg), Heifers £788 (174p/kg)

A similar number forward saw a few more faces around the ring and a much improved trade with some of the better cattle some £80 - £100 dearer.

Only a few real strong, near meat sorts on offer topping at £1212 (183p/kg) for Beef Shorthorn steers from M/s H Farnsworth & Son, Chedworth Laines. The stronger farming steers were firmer but in short supply trading between £1100 - £1180 (180 - 185p/kg) with the younger, stronger sorts much dearer between £880 - £1000 (185 - 200p/kg) topping at £1008 (199p/kg) for Simmental steers from M/s J & E Goulding, Newent.

The native breeds met a good trade with a run of Aberdeen Angus steers from M/s J & N Biddle, Berkeley selling to £890 (207p/kg) & £840 (210p/kg). Hereford steers to £908 (178p/kg) from Mr M Hathaway, Staverton. The Friesian steers were also a good trade with the stronger sorts to £885 (152p/kg) from Mr B Hillier, Minety. Medium types around £750 (150 - 155p/kg).

The heifers saw the few stronger sorts topping at £1052 (181p/kg) for Limousin's from Mr A Smith, Badminton. The stronger farming heifers were £850 - £920 (185 - 195p/kg).

A few younger weaned calves sold to a similar trade with Hereford steers (5 - 8mths) to £510 (185p/kg) from M/s H & P Saunders, Braydon.

STEERS / BULLS				HEIFERS			
Prices in Green are Bulls				Prices in Blue are Organic			
Age	£	p/kg	Vendor	Age	£	p/kg	Vendor
Hereford							
5	510	185	H & P Saunders	8 - 10	365	140	H & P Saunders
8 - 10	488	180	R Groves				
10	505	155	R Groves				
16 - 22	850	178	J & N Biddle				
17	760	153	W & D Hillier				
23 - 24	908	178	M J Hathaway				
Aberdeen Angus							
10	665	160	R T Morland	15 - 20	715	188	J & N Biddle
15 - 16	578	172	D Penn & Son	19 - 24	865	182	J & N Biddle
15 - 19	840	210	J & N Biddle	22	828	151	S Poultney & Son
16 - 20	890	207	J & N Biddle	26	835	156	B J Parry
22	835	175	S Poultney & Son				
26	1172	183	B J Parry				
29	9189	174	D & H Smith				
Beef Shorthorn							
27	1178	175	B J Parry				
27 - 28	1212	183	H Farnsworth & Son				
Simmental & Charolais							
16 - 18	1008	199	J & E Goulding	16 - 17	835	179	J & E Goulding
17 - 21	800	190	H & A Whiting	22	860	175	S Poultney & Son
24	1000	185	C & C Hicks	26	960	176	J & E Goulding
Limousin, Blonde & Saler							
12 - 13	750	187	P H Baker	14	700	175	P H Baker
12 - 14	920	195	P H Baker	22	1052	181	A Smith
18	915	174	D & H Smith	25 - 26	895	175	B J Parry
22	1158	176	H Farnsworth & Son				
24	870	183	B Hillier				
26	980	192	B J Parry				
British Blue							
21	910	183	H & A Whiting	19 - 23	900	195	A Young & Son
Friesian							
20 - 24	760	153	J & N Biddle				
30	885	152	B Hillier				

BCMS UPDATE

When you apply for a passport, you should receive it within 14 days. If you don't, the passport will be treated as lost and you should contact BCMS.

If BCMS have issued the passport and you haven't received it, they will carry out checks and may send you a replacement free of charge if you have informed them within 6 weeks.

From 1 October 2018, if you do not inform BCMS within 6 weeks of the date the passport was produced, you will have to pay a fee of £20 per animal when you apply for the replacement passport.

You should also tell BCMS if you've sent in a passport for any reason and you've not received it back within 14 days.

TB RESTRICTED CATTLE

NEXT SALE - MONDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2018

Licenses must be obtained from Animal Health by Monday, 17th September 2018

APPLYING FOR A LICENCE HAS NOW CHANGED

Rather than making your application by telephone, Animal health now require a completed application form (tb204) to be completed & emailed / posted to CSC.TBlicensing@apha.gsi.gov.uk (available on our website)

APHA, Polwhele, Truro, Cornwall, TR4 9AD

FURTHER TB RESTRICTED SALE

MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER 2018

THURSDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER 2018

961 PRIME LAMBS

10.00 am – Auctioneer: Chris Voyce
Lamb SQQ 169.5p/kg Overall Average 168.9p/kg

A larger entry has seen a very steady week of trading with very little demand at home or abroad. Trade today was better than many were expecting following some lower trades locally on Wednesday. The few very best lambs topped at 191p/kg £88 for 46kg from Mr R Richins. The general better shaped, good meat lambs traded between 169 – 175p/kg with the fair meat but looser coated sorts were 165 – 170p/kg. The few heavier lambs sold mostly between £75 - £80.

Top Lamb Prices

Kgs	Vendor	£	p/kg
33.5	Jones & Bateman	60.00	179.0
36.5	G Duckett	64.00	175.0
37	W Bush & Co	67.00	181.0
37.5	W Bush & Co	66.00	176.0
38	A & S Clark	67.50	178.0
39	D G Davis & Son	68.00	174.0
39.5	C Benson	69.00	175.0
40	A Morgan, C Benson & Hartley Farms	70.00	175.0
40.5	D G Davis & Son & A' Bear & Cox	70.00	173.0
43	S & J Lambert	73.50	171.0
46	R Richins	88.00	191.0
50.5	C Bell	80.00	158.0

205 STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer: Chris Voyce

205 STORE LAMBS: Another decent entry sold to a firm trade. The stronger framed half meat sorts mostly when for slaughter between £66 - £70. Mediums farming lambs were £54 - £58 & smaller sorts £40 - £48.

THURSDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER 2018

CIRENCESTER SHEEP FAIR

Sales of Prime Lambs, Cull ewes, Theaves & Breeding Ewes,
Ewe & Store Lambs & Breeding Rams
Beef Cattle & Barren Cows

Includes a Genuine Dispersal Sale of 700 North Country Mule Breeding Ewes (Flock Ages)

On behalf of M/s R & J Drew, Home Farm, Upper Wraxall, Chippenham, Wilts

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THURSDAY, 4TH OCTOBER & 18TH OCTOBER 2018

SPECIAL SALE OF BREEDING & STORE SHEEP

Sales of Prime Lambs, Cull ewes, Theaves & Breeding Ewes,
Ewe & Store Lambs & Breeding Rams, Beef Cattle & Barren Cows

Entries Invited – Entry forms on website

288 CULL EWES

10.30 am – Auctioneer: Chris Voyce
Overall Average – Ewes - £44.52

Another similar number forward again saw an entry of mostly plain or lesser ewes. Trade was firm throughout and pleasing for the entry on offer. No real strong ewes on offer topping at £90. The stronger half meat Continental & Suffolk ewes trading between £70 - £80. The medium half meat ewes were £55 - £65 & smaller sorts £45 - £50. Leaner grazing types were £25 - £40 with extremely plain £15 - £25. Rams to £80.

153 PIGS

11.00 am – Auctioneer: Jon Pullin

Sow trade remains depressed and surely look a good buy if you have a job for them. Medium well meat sows £70, plain sows £40 - £50, best sows £100 - £120.

Fat Pigs short in numbers, but an excellent trade, two from Gwen Norris at £115, 2 at £100 from B M Wherrett, £75 - £90 for Janet Jones.

A lot of weaned pigs forward and again quality sold well, medium types more selective but all sold reasonably well. Liz Best sold good old Spot weaners to £33 and Cullimore Partnership to £36. Most trading £18 - £22 a few smaller sorts £10 - £15 but all well sold.

Please be aware that African Swine Fever has been confirmed in wild boar in Belgium. Please ensure that best practice in relation to biosecurity is in place at all times.

21 BEEF CATTLE & BARREN COWS

11.30 am – Auctioneer: Jon Pullin
Steers 162p/kg, Heifers 157p/kg, Cows 134p/kg

A few decent cattle forward saw Bazadaise steers & heifers topping at 191p/kg from M/s P & T Akers with an average Limousin heifer to 190p/kg from Mr S Butler. Another flying trade on the cows with no real top cows on offer. The better, good meat cows were 130 - 140p/kg topping at 146p/kg £1025 from Mr J Pritchard. Medium cows 125 - 130p/kg with leaner cows 80 - 90p/kg.

1111 POULTRY

12.00 noon – Auctioneers: Arthur White & Richard Barrow

A very busy day met a good trade generally throughout with the better birds £20 - £35. Most £8 - £15.

NEXT SALE – THURSDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2018

FRIDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER 2018

2817 THEAVES

11.00 am – Auctioneer: Chris Voyce

An exceptional entry of Theaves for the second sale met a difficult days trading as at most centres around the country with little demand and little interest even at low levels but 88% clearance throughout the day.

The Mule section was generally hard work with more sheep than customers. The better sorts traded over £120 topping at £127 from Mrs F Plummer, £125 from M/s J T Hartland & £122 from M/s J Emmerson & Son. The medium sorts were generally £95 - £110 with the general running sorts £75 - £85 and struggling at that.

The Suffolk x Mules saw the better quality sorts trading between £110 - £115 topping at £116 from M/s Swangrove Estate. The medium's sold between £95 - £105 and the lesser sorts £80 - £85.

Continental x Theaves sold to £122 from Mr A Goscombe with most £80 - £90.

604 BREEDING EWES

Auctioneer: Chris Voyce

Again a total difference in the breeding ewes with all extremely well sold especially compared to the shearing trade. Top of the top was a pen of Suffolk x ewes (2 years) from M/s Thorne Farm Enterprises selling to £114. Charollais ewes topped at £102 from Mr S Thompson.

The older ewes saw 4 flock dispersals and all traded between £10 - £15 above cull value generally.

1068 EWE & STORE LAMBS

1.00 pm – Auctioneer: Chris Voyce

A pleasing entry but very little strength on offer. The stronger ewe lambs saw at top of £88 for Charollais from Mr S Thompson with Texel x to £85 from Mr K Smith & Suffolk's to £79 - £80 from M/s Barley Park. The medium ewe lambs were £55 - £60 generally.

The few stronger framed store lambs were £62 - £66 with medium farming types £55 - £60 & the smaller sorts very well sold £45 - £53.

99 BREEDING RAMS

1.15 pm – Auctioneers: Jon Pullin & Richard Barrow

A good entry sold to a good, solid trade with the best rams well sold between £450 - £500 for Texel Shearling topping at £540 from M/s D & R Williams & Son. Suffolk Shearlings to £480 & £460 from the same home & £440 from Mr S T Pierce. The best of the rest were £300 - £400 with mediums £230 - £280 & lesser sorts & older sorts £80 - £140.

PROPERTY/LAND SALES

Riverside Farm, Epney, Gloucestershire

4 bedroom farmhouse, Yard with range of Traditional and Modern Buildings and 160 acres of level permanent pasture land

For Sale by Private Treaty

Guide Price – OIEO £1,750,000

Fair View, Cutts Heath, Nr Thornbury

3 Bedroom Cottage, Large Garden, Outbuildings, Stables and Yard plus 1.56 acres of adjoining Land

For Sale by Private Treaty

Guide Price – £375,000

COMING SOON

Residential Farm, Buildings & 96 Acres

West Gloucestershire

For Sale by Public Auction – Date to be Confirmed

5 Bedroom Cotswold House, Large Garden,

approx. 20 Acres, Stables, Menage

For Sale by Informal Tender

Particulars available on website

MAIZE

100 Acres in 3 Lots

Located at Sandy Lane Village, Chippenham

Tender Deadline – Wednesday, 19th September 2018

Tender Form available on Website

FORTHCOMING MACHINERY SALES

SATURDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER 2018 AT 11 AM

Collective Machinery Sale at Lower Naunton Farm, Toddington,
Cheltenham, Glos, GL54 5BZ

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50 Lots of Good quality machinery already consigned to include a Dispersal of Arable Equipment.

Further Entries Invited – Entry Form on Website