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WORCESTER MARKET SATURDAY, 21st MAY 2016 SECOND SALE IN THE MONTH OF STORE CATTLE & STORE SHEEP

STORE CATTLE: 240

A good entry of Store Cattle to include a marvellous entry of Cows & Calves. Cows & Calves found a very strong following with customers for every type of cow and calf forward, topping at £2320 for younger Limousin x Cows with Limousin x calves at foot from S & A May.

CHAR X to £1800; £1700; £1570; £1560; £1410; **SIMM X** to £1380; £1300; £1200; £1180(x2); £1130; £980
BRB X to £2240; £2040 **CONTINENTAL X** £2020; £1300 **LIM X** to £2320; £2200; £1490
A.ANGUS to £1100; £1010 **HFD X** to £1220 **BLONDE X** to £1160 **DSHORT** to £1000
 All cows and calves averaged £1478.

Store cattle found a good following for all sorts with small shapely farming steers finding the best following, selling to 244p/kg (£1020/head), Heifers sold well reaching 228p/kg (£1040/head).

A good trade all round, keep them coming.

Top Ten Prices and Averages were as follows:

	Steers			Heifers		
	Weight	£'s	p/kg	Weight	£'s	p/kg
<u>Charolais cross</u>	340	690	203	350	550	157
	555	1020	184	395	545	138
	520	945	182			
	To: 203p/kg	Average: 189.6p/kg		To: 157p/kg	Average: 147.5p/kg	
<u>Limousin cross</u>	260	635	244	185	405	219
	300	710	237	345	720	209
	320	730	288	330	680	206
	360	810	225	285	530	186
	460	950	207	295	540	183
	345	690	200	440	790	180
	230	430	187	455	815	179
	545	1020	187	225	350	156
	520	950	183	400	600	150
	To: 244p/kg	Average: 188.5p/kg		To: 219p/kg	Average: 185.3p/kg	
<u>British Blue cross</u>	360	765	213	380	715	188
	445	900	202	525	910	173
	450	880	196	500	810	162
	505	980	194	405	640	158
	450	870	193			
	460	890	193			
	450	835	186			
	530	915	173			
	570	970	170			
	To: 213p/kg	Average: 186.4p/kg		To: 188p/kg	Average: 170.3p/kg	
<u>Hereford cross</u>	380	735	193	245	460	188
	425	810	191	265	450	170
	315	595	189	480	810	169
	310	580	187	335	555	166
	415	660	159	325	520	160
	320	500	156	420	670	160
				305	410	134
	To: 193p/kg	Average: 179.2p/kg		To: 188p/kg	Average: 163.8p/kg	

	<u>Steers</u>			<u>Heifers</u>		
	Weight	£'s	p/kg	Weight	£'s	p/kg
<u>Blonde cross</u>	470	985	210	375	855	228
	485	1020	210	485	1040	214
	480	1005	209	495	1010	204
	240	490	204	420	850	202
	410	820	200	255	505	198
	285	535	188	295	560	190
	330	465	141	350	635	181
				435	785	180
	To: 210p/kg		Average: 194.6p/kg	To: 228p/kg		Average: 192.6p/kg
<u>Aberdeen Angus cross</u>	450	860	191			
	480	890	185			
	To: 191p/kg		Average: 188p/kg			
<u>Longhorn</u>	430	800	186	410	655	160
	510	850	167	500	750	150
	490	780	159	425	610	144
	To: 186p/kg		Average: 170.6p/kg	To: 160p/kg		Average: 151.3p/kg
<u>Beef Shorthorn cross</u>	310	680	219	345	720	209
	205	410	200	405	600	148
	To: 219p/kg		Average: 209.5p/kg	To: 209p/kg		Average: 178.5p/kg

PRE- MOVEMENT T.B. TESTING

As from 1st 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: 134

Hoggs & Lambs found a keen following for all sorts with stronger Suffolk types topping out at £169/couple from the Halford Partnership. Smartest homebred couples would have been easiest sold. Older Ewes & lambs also selling well to £135. Ewe Hoggs to £95

PLEASE BOOK YOUR EWES/HOGGS & LAMBS TO ADVERTISE TO BEST ADVANTAGE.

CALVES: 1

Just a single Limousin cross calf entered this week, selling to £255

MORE MORE MORE calves needed ! We have the buyers for them.

FORTHCOMING SALES

- SATURDAY, 11TH JUNE** **FIRST SALE IN THE MONTH OF STORE CATTLE AND SHEEP TO INCLUDE "FEMALES WITH FIGURES" SALE OF RECORDED PEDIGREE CHAROLLAIS EWES, SHEARLING EWES AND EWE LAMBS – CATALOGUES AVAILABLE.**
ENTRIES FOR THE STORE SALE CATALOGUE CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 1ST JUNE
- SATURDAY, 2ND JULY** **ANNUAL PREMIER SALE OF PEDIGREE CHAROLLAIS SHEEP FOR THE CHAROLLAIS SHEEP SOCIETY – CATALOGUES AVAILABLE.**
- SATURDAY, 9TH JULY** **FIRST SALE IN THE MONTH OF STORE CATTLE AND SHEEP TO INCLUDE ANNUAL SHOW AND SALE OF HORN AND POLL DORSET SHEEP FOR THE DORSET SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION AND ANNUAL SHOW AND SALE OF BERRICHON SHEEP FOR THE BERRICHON SHEEP SOCIETY.**
ENTRIES FOR THE STORE SALE CATALOGUE CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 29TH JUNE

Entries for Store Sales and Catalogues
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