

KINGTON MARKET REPORT TUESDAY 14th MAY 2019 SALE OF STORE CATTLE

McCartneys report a good entry of store cattle at Kington on Tuesday 14th May 2019 for their May sale of store cattle.

We had a good entry of cattle, which sold to a very good trade throughout for the type and quality on offer to a number of buyers.

Several cattle selling between £1000 and £1200 per head.

The ages of the cattle ranged from 7 to 22 months and weights from 290kg to 560kg.

The well-bred and good confirmation cattle which were farm assured and would hit supermarket specs sold to premium prices and these sold up to £2.35ppk for some Charolais x steers from JT Jones and Sons and R Sankey and Co.

The store cattle sold to a very good trade and up to £1200 per head for some 15 month old Charolais x steers from Richard Hammond

May Cattle prices were as follows.

All steers averaged a very good £2.16ppk up to £2.35ppk from JT Jones and Sons

The steers averaged a very good £1052 per head and sold up to £1200 per head from Richard Hammond.

All heifers averaged a good £2.07ppk up to £2.35ppk from R Sankey and Co

The heifers averaged a good £967 per head up to £1140 per head from R Sankey and Co

All cattle forward at the sale averaged a very good £1006 per head from the smallest to the largest in the market.

Farm assurance is very important on store cattle and premiums were also being paid for those cattle which would meet the supermarket specs when finished.

In our June sale of Store Cattle, Feeding Bulls, Cull Cows and Cows with Calves, which will be held on Tuesday 11th June 2019 at 2.00pm with catalogue entries closing on Tuesday 4th June 2019 at 5.00pm we expect a good trade and guaranteed support from buyers for this forth coming sale.

Please note all cattle over 42 days of age will need to be pre-movement tested for TB purposes within 60 days prior to their movement.

For further information on all forthcoming sales please contact Gareth Wall on 01544 230316 or 07974 143336