

KINGTON MARKET
FAT SHEEP REPORT
THURSDAY 28th OCTOBER 2021

McCartneys of Kington report an fabulous trade again on the lambs and cull sheep.

All sheep were in excellent demand with excellent competition throughout all sections.

The buyers are requiring well meated lambs of all weights for their orders.

Lambs sold to £2.60ppk and £132 per head and cull sheep to £130 per head.

We have excellent buying support and need good entries each week to suffice the good numbers of buyers we have and their current demand for lambs and cull ewes.

We can easily sell 2000 lambs and 600 cull sheep each week given the number of buyers and demand we have on a weekly basis.

LAMBS

We had a good entry of lambs, which all sold to a fabulous trade on the week. We have buyers for all types and weights and a good weekly order for the well bred continental lambs weighing from 40 to 46kg which obtain premium prices.

Good meat is what is required for a good trade in any weight of lamb.

Lambs weighing from 40kg to 45kg averaged £2.48ppk or £109 per head, this trade was closely followed by the 45kg to 52kg lambs which averaged £2.44 ppk or £120 per head

Well meated lambs regularly sold between £2.40ppk and £2.55ppk and up to £2.60ppk.

All weight ranges were in very good demand again with excellent buying support at Kington for all types of lambs.

The lamb section averaged a fabulous £2.48ppk SQQ and £113 per head and £2.42ppk throughout the whole market.

The lambs sold up to £132 per head from Mr P Williams and B & O Morgan

Our light lamb section under 36kg was very well supported again and received a very good trade on the week with these lambs averaging £2. 37ppk up to £2.50ppk

Lambs 32 to 39 kg averaged 2.37ppk up to 2.50pk which averaged £88 per head
Lambs 40 to 45 kg averaged 2.48ppk up to 2.60ppk which averaged £109 per head
Lambs 45 to 52 kg averaged 2.44ppk up to 2.55ppk which averaged £120 per head
Lambs over 52 kg averaged £2.32ppk up to £2.45ppk which averaged £127 per head up to £132 per head

CULL EWES, TUPS, WETHERS, STORE LAMBS & GOATS

A better quality entry than last week but still a mixed entry of cull & store sheep.

The best trade again being on the heavier well meated ewes which sold to £130 per head.

A large number of thinner ewes forward again, but selling to a good trade throughout.

We need good entries of these each week to suffice the excellent demand we have.

We have excellent demand from 10 buyers on a weekly basis with a good trade and premiums paid to the best meated sheep.

A number of sheep over £100 per head upto £130per head

The best meated ewes sold regularly from £100 to £130 per head

All types of ewes sold to an excellent trade to 10 buyers with a number of the best meated cull sheep regularly selling between £100 and £130 per head depending on type for the stronger sorts and averaged a very good £76 per head including the thinner ewes

The buyers are currently requiring all kinds of cull sheep for their orders, if you have any cull sheep it is a good time to get them sold.

Continental x and strong ewes averaged £105 per head and sold up to £130 per head

Mule type ewes averaged £68 per head and sold up to £95 per head.

Welsh, Speckle and smaller hill type ewes averaged £53 per head and sold up to £68 per head.

Tups averaged £94 per head up to £155 per head from GL Davies

Store lambs were a very good trade and averaged £74 per head up to £85 per head

McCartneys at Kington, offer an on-farm livestock grading and marketing advice service on a free of charge basis.

Kington Market is every Thursday,
Commencing at 11.00am with Lambs
Followed by Cull Sheep, Light and Store Lambs

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