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# The Market Report

### **Stratford Forthcoming Events**

#### **Tuesday 1st November**

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am Fur, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

### **CHARITY DAY AT STRATFORD**

#### **Tuesday 1st November**

Come and sell a lamb for Charity!

We are looking for lambs to raise money for a number of Charities. We will hopefully have a pen or two of lambs, if you would like to donate any kind of sheep. The money raised will be distributed to a number of Charities or the Charity of your choice.

#### **Tuesday 8th November** Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am Fur, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

For further information regarding any of the sales please contact the Market Team

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#### **REPORT FOR TUESDAY 25TH OCTOBER**

690 sheep forward today which was a great entry. It would be great if the Auctioneers had known these sheep were coming in, as we would of marketed them presale to full advantage. We knew of 50 Store Lambs prior to Tuesday and 150 turned up and when we contacted potential buyers presale many didn't want to come to buy stores because of the lack of entries, this then reduces the competition around the pens. PLEASE MARKET YOUR sheep for the best possible price **Phone, Text, WhatsApp, Messenger, Email** there couldn't be any easier way of contacting the Auctioneers who would be pleased to hear from you, for them to then promote and market your stock. Unfortunately we don't know what you are thinking and we are here to help you get the best prices on the day. Please don't just hope for the best.

Lambs forward today were made up of 75% of lambs weighing under 45kg, not what the current market is looking for unfortunately. But many lambs were better sold in the finished section in comparison to the store section.

**60 Standards** – Quite a number are being bought as store lambs for further finishing in this section. Prices topped at 230p for two Beltex lambs weighing 36kg from E & N Noble; 35.5kg Texels from A Summers sold to 221p; Walters Partnership sold 35kg lambs to 207.5p; WE Budd & Son sold 36.5kg lambs to 206p; Cotswold Stud & Farms sold their 36.5kg lambs to 205p; WW Steele sold 37.5kg Easycare lambs to 186p; and RE Greenhill sold a 34kg lamb to 180p. Top price per head £82.80 for E & N Noble; £78.46 for A Summers; £78.39 for Walters Partnership; and £75.19 for WE Budd & Son.

То		From		Average	
230p	£82.80	180p	£61.20	203.7p	£74.94

**205 Mediums** – A Phillips topped this section at 224p for 44kg lambs; A Summers saw 222p with 43.5kg lambs; R Righton sold 42kg lambs to 219.5p; P & M Careless sold 44.5kg lambs to 219.5p; JH Butcher sold 45.5kg lambs to 219p; R Wixey sold 39.5kg lambs to 219p; J Campbell sold 45kg lambs to 218p; Walters Partnership sold 41kg lambs to 217.5p; and E & N Noble sold 39.5kg lambs to 217.5p. Top price per head £99.65 for JH Butcher; £98.56 for A Phillips; £98.10 for J Campbell; and £97.68 for P & M Careless.

То		From		Average	
224p	£99.65	191p	£75.45	211p	£88.07

**73 Heavies** – R Hall & Sons topped this section with 46kg lambs selling to 224.5p; R Wixey sold 46.5kg lambs to 224p; A Berks sold 46kg lambs to 224p; E & N Noble sold 47.5kg lambs to 223p; TJ Hyatt sold 48.5kg lambs to 220p; P & M Careless sold 49kg lambs to 219p; A & KM Byrd sold 48kg lambs to 207p; and A Berks sold 50kg lambs to 203p. Top price per head £107.56 for R Hall & Sons; £107.31 for P & M Careless; £106.70 for TJ Hyatt; and £105.93 for E & N Noble.

То		From		Average	
224.5p	£107.56	200p	£94.00	214.5p	£101.91

**13 Over 52kg** – Topping at 209p or £110.77 for Cotswold Stud & Farms for 53kg lambs; P & M Careless sold a 57kg lamb to 200p or £114; RE Greenhill sold 53kg lambs to 195p or £103.35; and TJ Hyatt sold a 60kg lamb to 180p or £108.

То		From		Average	
209p	£114.00	180p	£103.35	191.1p	£108.03

#### 152 Store Lambs

With an average of £57.06 surely these look good value to finish, why not come and buy some if you think they are cheap? Topping at £69 for A Phillips; K Branston sold her lambs to £66; J Campbell sold to £65; MF Spencer sold theirs to £64; A Summers sold to £63; and MR & BE Baylis sold to £61. Six buyers are in attendance and more would come if more numbers were advertised presale.

То	From	Average
£69.00	£27.00	£57.06

#### 187 Cull Ewes

Still an abundance of ewes coming forward, top price went to K Welsby with a Texel selling to £126; next top price went to K Branston at £119; David Howard sold his ewes to £107; R Righton sold Mules to £107; WE Budd & Son sold theirs to £104; Mules from A Berks sold to £97; Suffolks from J Albutt sold to £97; Mules from GL Bomford sold to £96.50; and £96 for NK Butchers Mules.

То	From	Average
£126.00	£1.00	£67.24

Our chaplain Rev. Richard Wilde, Methodist Minister, member of the Agricultural Chaplains Association and the Farming Community Network will be in attendance at the market on Tuesdays for a chat, if you would like to talk.

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#### **REPORT FOR FRIDAY 21ST OCTOBER**

#### J Unwin, Kings Farm, Cottenham, Cambridge.

An impressive collection of quality lots at the sale, only 150 lots came under the hammer from John and other items from local farmers, but the well looked after items drew bidders & buyers from afar.

We would like to thank John for letting us conduct his Farm Dispersal Sale, and we wish him Good Luck in his future ventures.

#### **Top Prices Achieved:**

£27,300.00	Massey Ferguson 5445	£480.00	MF Spring Tines
£25,000.00	Massey Ferguson 5470	£480.00	Stocks Ag Micro Meter
£9,800.00	Matbro	£380.00	Vintage Corn Dresser
£9,000.00	Mitsubishi L200 Pick-Up	£350.00	Standen Pig Tines
£8,200.00	2017 Easterby Et10 Grain Trailer	£300.00	Horstine Farmery Chemsafe
£5,200.00	2009 Easterby Et10 Grain Trailer	£220.00	Engine & Grain Fan
£4,900.00	Weaving Short Disc	£200.00	Industrial Vacuum Cleaner
£4,200.00	Team Sprayer	£200.00	Ventilator Bin Fan
£2,800.00	Loadmaster Trailer	£200.00	Mc Master Drag Harrows
£1,700.00	Drake & Fletcher Sucker/Blower	£200.00	Pig Tines
£1,500.00	Sulky Drill	£140.00	Stocks Micro Meter
£1,300.00	Sulky Fert Spinner	£105.00	Grain Spear
£1,250.00	Dowdeswell Plough	£100.00	Bale Sledge
£1,250.00	Maschio Power Harrow	£90.00	Qty of Green Pipe
£1,250.00	Cambridge Rolls	£85.00	Kennedy 3/4" Socket Set
£850.00	Arndale Fuel Pump	£80.00	Sip Startmaster
£800.00	Bucket	£75.00	Oxford 3 Phase Arc Welder

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 6th December Stratford Fat Stock Show

**Tuesday 20th December** Christmas Sale of Dressed Poultry

*Further information will be available in the coming weeks. Please contact the Market Team* 

#### **REPORT FOR SATURDAY 22ND OCTOBER**

#### H Fricker & Sons, White House Farm, Buckingham.

The sun shone and this interesting Dispersal Sale drew a massive crowd of buyers and bidders, who had travelled from all over the country to our sale, which included, individuals from Wales, Cumbria, Scotland, Staffordshire, Gloucester and London, along with many locals, to witness this sale. Some extremely good prices were achieved on the day for all lots presented in the sale.

We would like to thank the Fricker Family for inviting us to conduct their sale, and we would like to wish them Good Luck for their new way of life after the sale of the farm, that the family has owned for over 96 years.

#### **Top Prices Achieved:**

£9,400.00	Landrover Defender	£500.00	Qty of Scrap
£7,000.00	Zetor 6341 Tractor	£500.00	Fuel Tank
£5,550.00	Same 80 Tractor	£500.00	Maschio Rotavator
£5,200.00	International Case 1494	£500.00	Cooks Round Bale Spreader
£4,700.00	IFOR Williams Stock Trailer	£460.00	Flat Land Roller
£4,300.00	Browns Post Knocker	£460.00	Stock Crate
£4,200.00	MF 35 Tractor	£420.00	Fertiliser
£3,198.00	123 Bales of Silage (£26ea)	£400.00	Incinerator
£2,400.00	IAE Cattle Crush	£400.00	Tombstone Ring Feeder
£1,900.00	Teagle Topper	£400.00	Weigh Crush
£1,850.00	Grass Harrows	£400.00	Large Sheep Foot Bath
£1,800.00	Fordson Super Dexta	£400.00	Fore End Bucket
£1,650.00	Dump Trailer	£340.00	5 Cattle Barriers c/w Troughs
£1,450.00	Fuel Station	£320.00	Lamb Creep Feeder
£880.00	Flat Bale Trailer	£320.00	Disc Harrows
£810.00	Logic Sheep Feeder	£320.00	Triple Set Of Cambridge Rolls
£700.00	Sheep Race	£310.00	Mole Plough
£700.00	1968 Morris 1000 Traveller	£300.00	Tree Guards
£620.00	Anvil	£300.00	McConnel Ditcher
£580.00	2 Drum Mower	£280.00	Lamb Creep Feeder
£540.00	Saw Bench	£280.00	Road Brush & Bucket



Click the link to view our Stratford Facebook page for further up to date information about our sales pre and post sale. <u>https://www.facebook.com/StratfordLivestockMarket/</u>



# An Auction

# Horse Tack & Equine Sundries

## Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November at 1.00pm

on

At Thrapston Livestock Market

Entries by Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October for cataloguing & advertising purposes

For further information contact Beth Kitchener

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No further entries are being taken. Catalogue available soon

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