

The Market Report

Thrapston Forthcoming Events

Thursday 14th July

Prime & Cull Sheep

Saturday 16th July

Store & Breeding Cattle, Sheep & Pigs
Fur, Produce & Sundries

Thursday 21st July

Prime & Cull Sheep

Saturday 23rd July

Store & Breeding Cattle, Sheep & Pigs

Thursday 28th July

Prime & Cull Sheep

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REPORT FOR THURSDAY 7TH JULY

Nearly 1000 sheep forward today on a week of uncertainty for prices, at the start of the week we saw panic buying and by the end of the week a more precautionous outlook to buy lambs for the forthcoming week, mainly due to the festival over the weekend. Even so lamb prices did escalate to a top of £168 or 328p. (*This time last year £138 or 283p*).

More are needed each week, to fulfil the regular buyers needs, the best lambs seem to have more of a premium this season, don't just weigh your lambs get your hand on them too, make sure they have some finish or prepare for a little more than store price. We have customers for all types forward in the pens, so if you have some please contact our Auctioneers with your entries or questions.

842 Prime Lambs

79 Standards – Top of this section went to CD Hughes with a pen of 38kg lambs at £121.50; JI & JA Claypole sold 38kg lambs to £115; AH, EA & EJ Breare sold 37.5kg lambs to £110; LA Burton sold 39kg lambs to £110; Stephen Leedham sold his 38.5kg lambs to £108; PD Freeman sold 38kg lambs to £106; P Misselbrook sold 36.5kg lambs to £96.50; A Hodson sold 38.5kg lambs to £95 and 39kg lambs to £91. Top price pence per kilo sold to 320p for CD Hughes; and 303p for JI & JA Claypole.

To		From		Average	
320p	£121.50	226p	£88.00	274p	£105.10

661 Mediums – J & K Holmes topped this section with 46.5kg lambs at £146.50; George Thompson Farms sold 45kg & 44.5kg lambs to £145; J Towers sold 45kg lambs to £140; SJ Hubbard sold 43.5kg to £140; WF Knight & Son sold 43kg lambs to £139; Raveley Fen Farms sold 44kg lambs to £138.50; and F & SM Stamper sold 45kg lambs to £138. Top price pence per kilo sold to 326p and 324p for George Thompson Farms; WF Knight & Son sold to 323p; J & K Holmes and SJ Hubbard sold to 322p.

To		From		Average	
326p	£146.50	260p	£106.00	303.5p	£129.59

NOTICE

To ensure your entries are listed in the Saturday Store Sale Catalogue, please book in your stock by 4pm on Friday.

91 Heavies – SJ Hubbard topped at £159 for 48.5kg lambs; P Nicholls sold 47kg lambs to £151; AH, EA & EJ Breare sold a 48kg lamb to £145; DA Chapman sold 47kg lambs to £144; SR Sandercock sold 51kg lambs to £142; Ashby Developments sold 48kg lambs to £142; and D & AE Allen sold 47kg lambs to £138. Top price pence per kilo sold to 328p for SJ Hubbard; and 321p for P Nicholls & Son.

To		From		Average	
328p	£159.00	264p	£132.00	299p	£143.18

11 Over 52kg – Top price of the day went to Ashby Developments with a 52.5kg lamb at £168; P Nicholls sold 53kg lambs to £160; and DM Cutmore & Son sold a 58.5kg lamb to £142. Top price pence per kilo sold to 320p for Ashby Developments; and 302p for P Nicholls & Son.

To		From		Average	
320p	£168.00	243p	£142.00	297.6p	£159.09

3 Old Season Lambs – D Daghish sold 46.5kg hogs to £100 and 42kg hogs to £96; SR Sandercock sold 46.5kg hogs to £100. Top price pence per kilo sold to 229p for D Daghish.

To		From		Average	
229p	£100.00	182p	£96.00	200p	£98.00

131 Cull Ewes & Rams

Last minute sales for the ewes pre festival, and it was difficult to judge the trade presale, as many had bought enough for the event, but obviously a few more were required, and a tremendous sale was achieved for the quality forward.

Rams took top spot this week at £167 for a Texel from CP Hankins & Son with others at £160 and £156 for a Suffolk; other rams from Yelden Growers Ltd sold to £153 for two Texels. **Ewes** sold to £160 for John Gowling & Sons; Jack McGrath sold a Suffolk to £152 and £131; George Thompson Farms sold a pen of seven Texels to £142; ED Jones sold his ewe to £136; JI & JA Claypole sold ewes to £135; AH, EA & EJ Breare sold Suffolks to £131. Mules sold to £130, £125 and £114 for John Gowling & Sons.

To		From		Average	
£167.00		£36.00		£108.13	

SATURDAY 16TH JULY

BREEDING & STORE CATTLE

S A C Holgate

30 Store Cattle

15-25 Months

C E Hancock & Son

20 Store Cattle

17-27 Months

CALVES

A G Burton - TB4

1 Aberdeen Angus x Bull

All 3-8 Weeks

6 Aberdeen Angus x Heifers

8 Holstein Friesian Bulls

1 Holstein Friesian Freemartin

J E G James

4 British Blue Bulls

All 4 Weeks

2 British Blue Heifers

1 Friesian Bull

K & A Badrick

1 British Blue x Bull Calf

4 Weeks

SATURDAY 30TH JULY

HORSES

Sue - Very well marked skewbald yearling filly to make 15:2hh. Out of 15:2hh thoroughbred type mare by 15:2hh traditional piebald cob stallion. Basic handling for feet trimming and regular worming. Passported and microchipped.

Nick - Bay yearling colt to make 15hh. Out of 15:2hh thoroughbred type mare by 15:2hh traditional piebald cob stallion. Basic handling for feet trimming and regular worming. Passported and microchipped.

Oliver - Bay colt foal to make 16hh. out of traditional 15:2hh skewbald mare by 16:2hh thoroughbred stallion. Regularly wormed. Passported and microchipped.

Nikki - Very attractive strawberry roan foal to make 15hh. Out of 14:2 registered Welsh part-bred mare by thoroughbred stallion. Regularly wormed. Passported and microchipped.

Olive - Very well marked skewbald filly to make 15:2hh middleweight. Out of 15hh middle weight mare by 15:2hh traditional stallion. Basic handling, regularly wormed. Passported and microchipped.

REPORT FOR SATURDAY 9TH JULY

A seasonal entry, and many making hay while the sun shines, but a good trade for most things offered under the hammer today, in comparison with the escalating costs of everything at the moment.

Store & Breeding Cattle

Store Cattle – A nice entry for the time of year saw prices as strong as we've seen them. AJ Day & Son sold their Limousin steers to £1390 and their heifers to £1120 to take an overall average of £1244.67; O Black entered a run of Limousin steers which topped at £1565 and his heifers sold to £1380 to take an overall average of £1385; R Munns sold a 14 month Charolais steer to £1140; Munns Distribution entered three Aberdeen Angus yearlings, the steers sold to £955 and the heifer to £900.

Store & Breeding Sheep

A small entry forward today which achieved some good prices, AT Harris entered three Hampshire ram lambs which sold to £123; RJ Garley entered sixty Continental store lambs which sold to £110 from £60 to average £75.84; H Houghton & Son entered a weather hogg which sold to £86 and a Suffolk ewe lamb which sold to £57; P Cawley sold a pen of Continental store lambs to £65.

Feeding Ewes - The festival was on this weekend and demand was steady, some plain Mules from CR & SM Barnwell sold to £60; P Grey sold Suffolks to £52 and Jacobs to £26. The trade will soon recover if you have any to market soon.

Produce

100 bales of wheat straw went under the hammer to clear space for this year's crop. Seemingly straw has nil value at this time of year, as no bids or interest were seen in the sale ring.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 24th August

Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

Wednesday 14th September

Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

Saturday 8th October

Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

Thrapston Market Report 2022 Advertising Tariff

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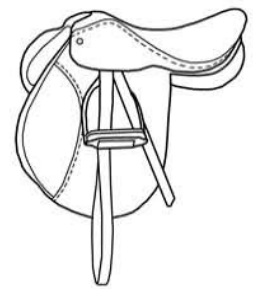
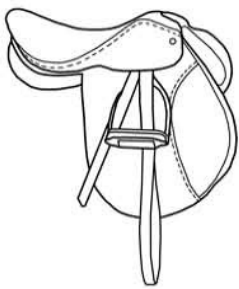
An Auction

of

Horse Tack & Equine

Sundries

on



Saturday 30th July at 1.00pm

At Thrapston Livestock Market

Entries by Monday 18th July
for cataloguing & advertising purposes

For further information contact Beth Kitchener

FORTHCOMING MACHINERY SALES

Saturday 13th August

Farm Dispersal Sale – Orton, Northants

Friday 23rd September

Farm Dispersal Sale – Gt Gidding, Cambs

Saturday 1st October

Farm Dispersal Sale – Lower Quinton, Warks

Friday 14th October

Farm Dispersal Sale – Horninghold, Leics

Friday 21st October

Farm Dispersal Sale – Cottenham, Cambs

Further details in the coming months