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The Market Report

Thrapston Forthcoming Events

Thursday 19th November
Prime & Cull Sheep

Saturday 21st November
Store & Breeding Cattle, Calves, Sheep, Goats & Pigs

Wednesday 25th November
Thrapston Collective Machinery Sale
See main advert for further information

Thursday 26th November
Prime & Cull Sheep

Saturday 28th November
Thrapston Fatstock Show

Thursday 3rd December
Prime & Cull Sheep

For further information on any of the Sales,
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REPORT FOR THURSDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

Prime Lambs - Auctioneer Jake Wagstaff 07487 526803

545 Prime Lambs

Similar trade in the week on the whole with lighter best lambs ramping up another gear. SQQ 342.82p/kg. Overall average 325.36p/kg or £151.72. Hootens Farm topped the day at 396p/kg with F&SM Stamper topping overall at £199.

Highlights -

Lloyd & Walton penned a best end run of Charollais crosses with a standout show of 39kgs at £154 or 395p/kg, their 44kgs of the same stamp sold to £161. Hootens Farm topped the p/kg with best shape Texels at 36kgs selling to 396p/kg or £142.50. A Taylor (AT Lamb) saw a best end run of fed Texels with 42kgs to 393p/kg or £165 with 44kgs to £167 or 380p/kg. F&SM Stamper drew their usual goods with Charollais Beltex at 50kgs to £184, only to top overall at £199 for 56kgs. J Bailey saw a smart meat run of Continentals seeing Texels at 55kgs to £195 and 56kgs to £189. WG Childs & Sons drew another best end run of Charollais seeing 47kgs to £169, with 57kgs to £187.

To		From		Average	
Lights (25.5 - 32kg)					
305p	£135.00	146p	£60.00	272.3p	£119.06
Standards (32.1 - 39kg)					
396p	£154.00	319p	£115.00	356.97p	£135.88
Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)					
393p	£167.00	309p	£125.00	340.39p	£147.20
Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)					
368p	£184.00	284p	£140.00	320.4p	£154.77
Over 52kg					
355p	£199.00	281p	£148.50	306.61	£170.45



Cull Ewes - Auctioneer Brandon Francis 07885 804450

A neat show of 141 cull ewes forward with a trade to reflect.

Topping at £210 for a quality Texel ewe from F&SM Stamper, this same good home sold a further two pairs of Texel ewes to £206 and £199.

Continental ewes hit £198 for J Gowling & Son and from the same home the Mules saw a hot trade with well fleshed ewes topping at £163. Middle of the road saw prices around the £130 mark.

An overall average of £132.50, with a few natives in the mix starting at £57.

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To	From	Average
£210.00	£57.00	£132.50

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It is with sadness that we report the death of David Pearson of Home Farm, Grimscote, who passed away peacefully at home on 10th November, aged 87.

David and the Pearson family have been valued supporters of Thrapston Market for many decades. All of us at Bletsoes extend our sincere condolences to his family and friends.

At the family's request, we share the funeral arrangements for those wishing to pay their respects. The funeral will take place at St Mary's Church, Gayton, NN7 3EY, at 12 noon on Wednesday 25th November.

REPORT FOR SATURDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

Calves - Auctioneer Richard Spendlove 07538 322474

A nice entry of quality from start to finish. JEG James took the top spot with a stonking British Blue Bull at £800 with other bulls £730 from £670 all around a month old. Their sisters weren't far behind topping at £605 from £490. Aberdeen Angus bulls to £480 from the same home.

Messrs Sunbeam Farms sold their TB4 calves to £690 for British Blue Bulls from £580 and heifers £580 from £555.

Just a couple of Holstein Freisians from each vendor seeing £245 for Messrs James and £195 Messrs Robinson.

Cattle - Auctioneer Jake Wagstaff 07487 526803

Cows -

Barren Cows - J Andrew & Son topped the day with 7 year old Charolais to £1900 non assured and part meat. AB Spackman saw Aberdeen Angus cows to £1300 mid frame. 15 year old Limousin crosses sold to £940 and £800.

Store Cattle -

168 Store Cattle

J Andrew & Son started the day with Blue steers at 14 months selling to £1340 with heifers to £1010. GB Sewell & Partners saw a smart pen of Blonde bulls at 10 months selling to £1600, they also penned a fantastic show of Blue crosses at 12 months topping to £1920 and heifers of the same stamp to £1895. D Hicks also saw a smart show of Blonde bulls at 10 months topping at £1670 with followers to £1620.

C McDermott penned a well fleshed show of Limousin heifers at 13 months topping to £1560. Northen & Sons continued their run of Blondes with a younger showing this week at 15-16 months topping at £1500 with followers to £1480 and £1410. J Andrew & Son saw a big framed Charolais steer forward at 17 months and topping to £1800 with 14 month Angus steers to £1620. Corney & Son saw their usual stamp of Limousin heifers forward at 19 months selling to £1690. LC Underwood penned another run of big framed cattle seeing 25 month Shorthorn heifers to £1820 with Simmental steers at 28 months to £2000.

NOTICE

To Ensure your Entries are Listed in the Saturday Store Sale Catalogue, Please Book in Your Stock by 3.30pm on Friday.

Store Sheep - Auctioneer Jake Wagstaff 07487 526803

671 Store Sheep

Store Lambs - a mixed bag with many vendors getting to the tail end of lambs at this stage in the season, averaging £110.40. C Smith topped at £162 for best end pure Texel lambs, P Cawley saw smart short term lambs at £160 and £150. E Sansom & Son penned a run of big frame part meat Texel crosses selling to £141 and £140 twice . D Burton saw another smart run of Continentals with lambs to £137. RG Chamberlain continue with their well grown Charollais Mules seeing £136, and £135 for 5 pens. D Stroud saw a run of Charollais and Texel crosses topping to £126 with followers at £120 and £119, the majority of the run sold in the mid teens. Longest term late born chancy sorts sold in the high £60's.

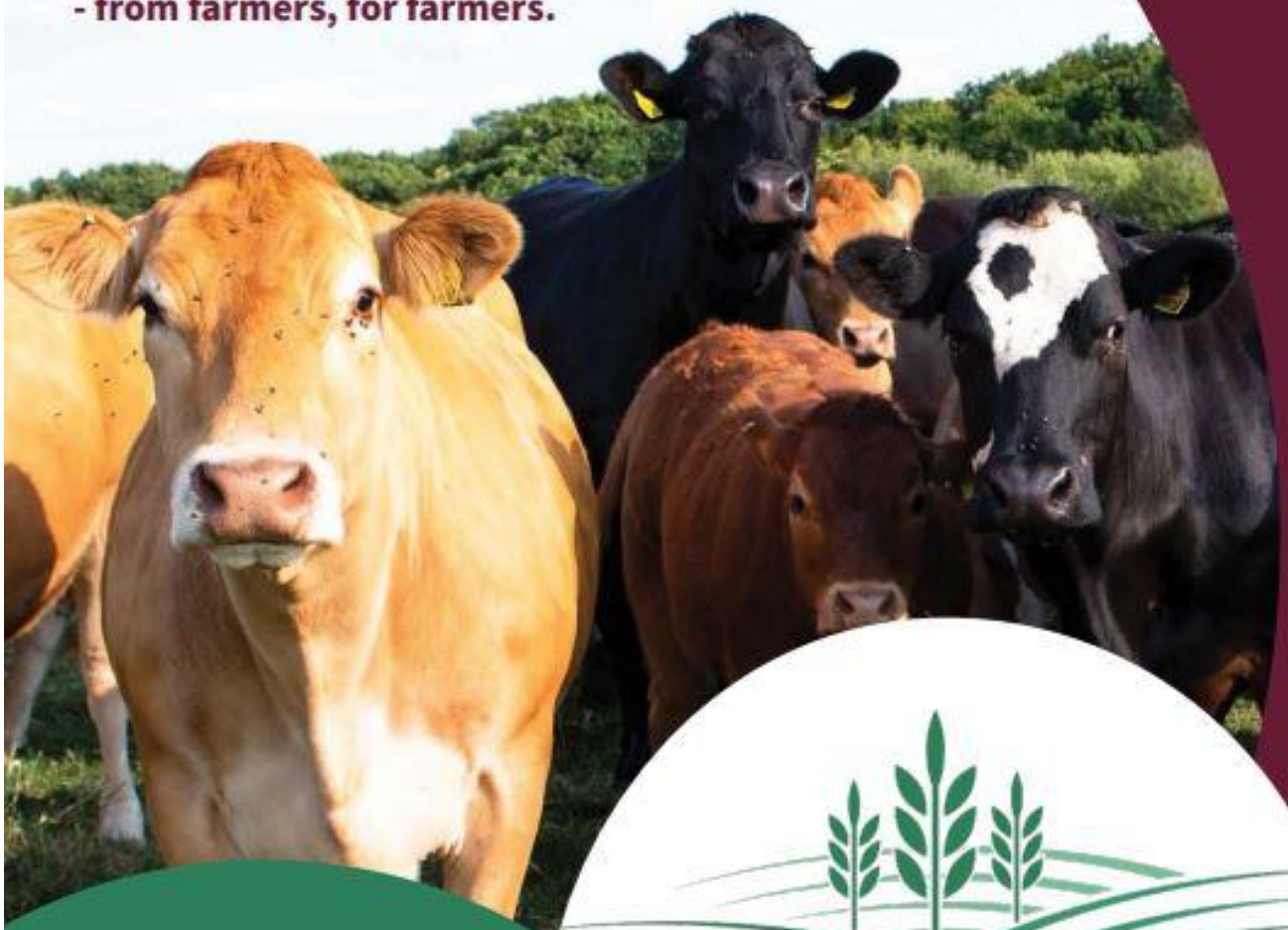
Feeding Sheep -

Averaging £88 all grades were forward, D Morgan topped at £159 for Texel Mules, K Beck saw Charollais cross rams to £154. RG Chamberlain topped the Mules at £138. Lean meat sold above £115. Long term true feeders were harder sold around £88 to £98. Welsh bred ewes £60 to £76.



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SATURDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

CALVES

Sunbeam Farms – TB4
3 British Blue Bulls — All 3-4 Weeks
4 British Blue Heifers
2 Aberdeen Angus Bulls
1 Aberdeen Angus Heifer

FH Pullin & Sons Ltd
3 Aberdeen Angus Bulls — 6 Weeks

S Millar
5 Aberdeen Angus Steers & Heifers — 3 Months
Named sires, weaned

STORE & BREEDING SHEEP

L Lane
25 Suffolk x Store Lambs

Avon Farm
15 Continental Store Lambs

STORE & BREEDING CATTLE

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