



ROSS AUCTION CENTRE - WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

MONDAY 17th OCTOBER 2005

WILLIAMS & WATKINS report an entry of 164 Cattle and 1546 Sheep.

FAT CATTLE

164 Forward

Auctioneer: Richard Williams

Sale at 10.30am prompt

A slightly reduced entry of poorer quality cattle met a slightly easier trade than the previous week. Once again a high percentage of plain Non Farm Assured cattle reduced overall averages. Well meated cattle sold to a premium with best sorts from 110 – 120 pence. More cattle could easily have been sold. Premium Steers averaged 108.2p, Prime 98.1p and Others 90.1p. Premium Heifers averaged 109.1p, Prime 99.0p and Others 89.2p. **The next Market on MONDAY 24th OCTOBER 2005 is a GREEN MARKET.**

Steers:	Medium to	114.00p per kg	Average	94.54p	Overall
Average					
	Heavy to	115.00p per kg	Average	95.90p	94.86p
					Overall
Heifers:	Heavy to	120.00p per kg	Average	95.14p	
Average					95.14p

Top Price per Head: £784.33 for an entry from Mr AG Baker, Kingstone.

Top Price per Kilo: 120.00p for an entry from Mesr TD Llewellyn & Son, St Hilary.

YOUNG BULLS

2 Forward

Sale before Fat Cattle

Young Bulls	Heavy to	92.50p per kg	Average	88.60p	Overall
Average					88.60p

Top Price per Head: £432.40 for an entry from Mesr VR & M Bennett, Llangwm.

Top Price per Kilo: 92.50p for an entry from the same vendor.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WE KNOW YOU ARE BRINGING STOCK - THAT WAY WE CAN GUARANTEE ENOUGH BUYERS FOR YOU - PLEASE, PLEASE CONTACT US WITH YOUR ENTRY.

EAR TAGS

Trading Standards are now checking all cattle for two visible tags. Any cattle with only one tag will be sent home. Please make sure all cattle have two Ministry approved tags before leaving home.

SPRING LAMBS

1221 Forward

Auctioneer: Richard Williams

Sale at 9.15am

A very short entry of lambs met a significantly better trade than was generally expected. Best sorts realized from 102 – 108.2 pence. The entry was totally insufficient for the demand and more lambs could easily have been sold. The overall average of the lambs was £43.56.

Standard to	108.20p per kg	Average	107.20p	Overall
Medium to	106.30p per kg	Average	101.00p	Average
Heavy to	98.90p per kg	Average	96.90p	102.60p
Overweight to	88.70p per kg	Average	88.70p	

Top Price per Head: £48.00 for an entry from Mesr EJ & JM Westoby, Skenfrith.

Top Price per Kilo: 108.20p for an entry from Mrs LM Payne, Coaley.

CULL EWES & RAMS

325 Forward

Auctioneer: Martyn Evans

Sale to follow Fat Lambs

An increased entry of ewes met a similar good trade, with several over £30 to average £25.20. Another very short entry of first quality ewes sold from £32. Second quality sold from £20. Small and plain ewes sold to this figure. Rams also a good trade with an overall average of £25.80.

TRADING STANDARDS

WISH TO REMIND ALL SHEEP VENDORS THAT IT IS MANDATORY FOR ALL SHEEP TO BE EAR TAGGED PRIOR TO TRANSPORT TO MARKET AND, WHERE NECESSARY ALSO "S" TAGGED. ADDITIONALLY, ALL FARMERS MUST CARRY A COMPLETED AML IN THE VEHICLE BEFORE ENTERING THE MARKET.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

OCTOBER

THURSDAY 27TH

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – STORE CATTLE - Sale at 11am. Entries to be received by 12 noon Thursday 20th October..

NOVEMBER

WEDNESDAY 2ND

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE –Sale of Shrubs and Bulbs. Ring for details 01989 762225.

SATURDAY 12TH

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE Sale of Poultry & Ornamental Waterfowl. Details from Chris & Gene Taylor, Tel 01874 730883.

WEDNESDAY 23RD

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – Sale of Antiques & effects. Entries to Roger Garlick.

OVER THIRTY MONTH CATTLE

With effect from Monday 7th November we shall be selling in Ross Market over 30 month Cattle Including Cull and Feeding Cows and Clean Cattle (born after August 1996)

Buying support has been promised.

Entries must be made in advance to the Market Office

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE

Fortnightly Auction Sale (Green Markets)

STORE LAMBS, RAMS AND BREEDING EWES

Monday 10th & 24th October and 7th & 14th November

Advance entries appreciated

Tel: WILLIAMS & WATKINS 01989 762225

***** ROSS CHRISTMAS MARKET *****

Monday 28th November

Substantial Cash Prizes and Trophies

Schedules from the Auctioneers
