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## ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

### MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2007

Please note earlier times for Sale of Lambs, Cull Ewes and Fat Cattle (9am, 9.30 am & 10am respectively). Market opens at 7.30am.

#### 131 CATTLE

110 Clean Cattle, 21 OTMS

**Sale at 10.00 am prompt**

Auctioneer: Richard Williams

A slightly improved entry of cattle sold to another very good trade. Once again there were several unfinished plain sorts forward which reduced overall averages, well meated cattle sold particularly well with most vendors pleased with returns. **MONDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER IS A GREEN MARKET.**

**Top price per kilo:** 135.50p for an entry from Mesr WJ Powell & Son, Foy.

**Top price per head:** £853.86 for an entry from the same vendor.

		<i>Top p/kg</i>	<i>Av/kg</i>	<i>Av/head</i>	<i>Overall Av/kg</i>
<b>STEERS</b>	Light (370-460kg)				
	Medium (465-555kg)	122.00p	114.10p	£582.37	
	Heavy (560+kg)	135.50p	111.90p	£685.27	<b>112.1p</b>
<b>HEIFERS</b>	Medium (400-480kg)				
	Heavy (485kg+)	125.50p	110.10p	£589.81	<b>110.1p</b>

#### QUALITY PRICE REPORTING

	<b>Steers</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Bulls</b>
<b>Premium</b>	132.10p	125.00p	
<b>Prime</b>	115.10p	114.10p	
<b>Others</b>	100.10p	100.00p	

#### 21 OVER THIRTY MONTH CATTLE

(17 Cull Cows, 3 Heifers, 1 Steer)

**Sale after the clean cattle**

Auctioneer: Jeremy Jehan

A low entry of lower graded cows met a slow trade. Unfortunately cow numbers throughout the country have been high leading to considerable lack of demand from buyers. There is some glimmer of hope in the relaxation of the Export rules before Christmas.

#### **IMPORTANT – EAR TAGS**

It is the vendors responsibility to ensure all ear tags are correct and readable. For cows needing only 1 tag please check everything on it can be read and it is not worn. If in any doubt, get a new plastic tag.

**IF THE ANIMAL IS BINNED IT IS YOUR LOSS!**

#### 284 SPRING LAMBS

**Sale at 9.00 am prompt**

Auctioneer: Richard Williams

A very short entry of lambs sold to a similar trade. Exports may be made easier later this week and let us hope this may encourage a better trade.

### Spring Lambs continued

**Top Price per Kilo:** 76.10 for an entry from Mesr RH & AM Bennett & Son, Dingestow.

**Top Price per Head:** £34.00 for an entry from the same vendor.

	<i>Top p/kg</i>	<i>Av p/kg</i>	<i>Av £/head</i>	<i>Overall Av</i>
Light (25.5 – 32 kg)				
Standard (32.1 – 39 kg)	76.00p	75.40p	£29.00	
Medium (39.1 – 45.5kg)	79.10p	74.10p	£31.54	
Heavy (45.6 – 52kg)	68.20p	68.20p	£32.00	<b>74.70p</b>
Overweight (52.1kg +)				

### **QUALITY PRICE REPORTING**

<b>Weight</b>	<b>Up to 30 kg</b>	<b>30.5 – 36</b>	<b>36.5 – 43</b>	<b>43.5 - 48</b>
<b>Premium</b>			80.10p	79.20p
<b>Prime</b>			75.10p	74.20p

### **266 CULL EWES & RAMS**

**Sale at 9.30 am**

Auctioneer: Martyn Evans

A similar entry of ewes sold to a slightly improved trade. Strong lean ewes sold between £40 - £50 per head with an overall average of £30.10. First quality ewes sold from £34, second quality sold from £22, small and plain ewes sold to this figure. Rams also met an improved trade to average £29.95.

### ***FORTHCOMING SALES***

#### **NOVEMBER**

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> ROSS AUCTION CENTRE Sale of Store Cattle. Sale at 11 am.  
Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> ROSS AUCTION ROOMS Sale of Antiques and Effects. Entries invited, contact Roger Garlick, (01989 762225)  
Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> ROSS AUCTION CENTRE Sale of Store Cattle, entries for Catalogue to be received by 12 noon Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November.

#### **DECEMBER**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> ROSS AUCTION CENTRE CHRISTMAS FATSTOCK MARKET

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### **RED & GREEN MARKET TIMETABLE**

#### **All Green Markets to include a Calf Market:**

12<sup>th</sup> November GREEN  
19<sup>th</sup> November RED  
26<sup>th</sup> November GREEN

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