

# The Market Report

## Stratford Forthcoming Events

### Tuesday 7th May

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

### Tuesday 14th May

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

### Tuesday 21st May

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

### Tuesday 28th May

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

*For further information regarding any of the sales  
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## REPORT FOR TUESDAY 30TH APRIL

### Prime Lambs

Better numbers were forward this week, all best meat springers sold well. SQQ 421.88p/kg. S Beale topped the day pence per kilo with Suffolks at 42.5kgs selling to 427p/kg; AV Taylor topped the day overall for best end Continental cross Suffolks at 45.5kgs selling at £188.83; TR Tame & Son saw a smart entry of Continentals at 43kgs selling to 423p/kg.

| To                             |         | From |         | Average |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| <i>Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)</i> |         |      |         |         |         |
| 427p                           | £188.83 | 415p | £176.40 | 421.9p  | £181.27 |
| <i>Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)</i>   |         |      |         |         |         |
| 408p                           | £187.68 | 408p | £187.68 | 408p    | £187.68 |

### Prime Hogs

Meat hogs saw a good trade with heavies easing on the week. SQQ 334.17p/kg. M Taylor topped the day pence per kilo with best end Texels at 40.5kgs selling to 369p/kg; MJ Gillet & Partners topped the day over all with 66kg Texel Mules to £186.78; AV Taylor saw a high of 350p/kg for Suffolks at 46.5kgs and Kineton Lamb topped with Lleys at 47kgs to 344p/kg.

| To                             |         | From   |         | Average |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| <i>Standards (32.1-39kg)</i>   |         |        |         |         |         |
| 360p                           | £133.20 | 320p   | £121.60 | 327p    | £124.28 |
| <i>Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)</i> |         |        |         |         |         |
| 369p                           | £149.45 | 336p   | £147.84 | 351.8p  | £148.64 |
| <i>Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)</i>   |         |        |         |         |         |
| 350p                           | £163.28 | 300p   | £148.50 | 322.8p  | £158.44 |
| <i>Over 52kg</i>               |         |        |         |         |         |
| 316p                           | £186.78 | 191.2p | £130.00 | 259.9p  | £163.73 |

### Store Lambs

Another strong sale averaging £116.65. Kineton Lamb topped with Texel Lleys to £139 for the biggest frame with followers to £131; AV Taylor saw a high of £130 for Continental crosses of big frame. Gipsy Hall Farms Ltd topped with Easycare ram lambs to £121.

| To      | From   | Average |
|---------|--------|---------|
| £139.00 | £90.00 | £116.65 |

## Cull Ewes & Rams

Another unbelievable week on the cull sheep with an all in average of £99.38, not doing the sale justice. J Bourne & Son topped with Texel crosses to £153 for big frame and meat; R Righton saw the best of the Suffolk trade topping to £150, and seeing the best of the Mules to £123; NA Dawson saw a strong trade for Continentals seeing £148. Big framed meat Mules regularly sold at £120 plus. All feeding types were sold between £45 and £65.

| To      | From   | Average |
|---------|--------|---------|
| £153.00 | £42.00 | £99.38  |

## Plants, Produce, Hatching Eggs & Sundries

*Every week at 10am at Stratford. An indoor Auction.*

*Doors open for collection at 7am*

*The Café's open from 8am*

A bit more buzz about the sale today, a few more plants forward, has spring finally sprung, can we get out into the garden now? If you can, come down and grab some bargain quality plants to include vegetable and garden plants.

A little more fresh veg forward at some jaw dropping low prices compared to the veg isle in the supermarket. Come on down the price is right.

Hatching eggs not quite as many about this week, but we have been promised more next week. Have a look there is all sorts on offer.

Poultry could be back soon, Watch this space.

Sundry section has some very interesting items, shame some of it isn't advertised so that buyers could see what's on offer before they decided to make the trip to the sale.

### FOR SALE

2 Border Collie Bitch pup's,  
both parents **isds** registered bloodlines,  
Inc Kevin Evans Red Spot ,  
Aled Owen Cap & R Hutchinson Sweep.  
Microchip, Wormed and first vaccination  
Ready now. A Kirkham 07710 823688



## FOR SALE

5 Bearded Collie Puppies - 1 Bitch & 4 Dogs  
All Brown & White. Good Working Parents, both can be seen.  
Ready end of May  
Ring John on 07870753249 - £750



## DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

**Saturday 15th June**  
Farm Dispersal Sale - Banbury, Oxfordshire  
*Further details in due course*

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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