

The Market Report

Stratford Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 13th February

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

Tuesday 20th February

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

Tuesday 27th February

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

Tuesday 5th March

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Plants, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

*For further information regarding any of the sales
please contact the Market Team*

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REPORT FOR TUESDAY 6TH FEBRUARY

235 Prime Hogs

A far stronger week with demand reaching new highs. SQQ 284.94p/kg. All weights hitting top prices as long as meated. J Underhill topped the day pence per kilo at 293.p/kg for best shape 43kg Texel crosses. FG Belcher & Sons hit the same highs with 47kg Texels. A Baird topped the day overall with Suffolk hogs to £145.20 for 55kgs.

Highlights - Hadley Farms Ltd saw the best of the light lamb trade with 290p/kg for 37.5kgs, with their 39.5kgs reaching 292p/kg and Blue Texels at 47kgs to 285p/kg; M & L Parsley drew another best end run of Texel crosses off roots with 42kgs at 290p/kg and 46kgs to 281p/kg; R Hall & Sons drew a best meated run of Continental cross hogs topping to 284p/kg for 42.5kgs.

To		From		Average	
<i>Standards (32.1-39kg)</i>					
290p	£108.75	290p	£108.75	290p	£108.75
<i>Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)</i>					
293p	£125.99	280p	£114.95	284.5p	£120.43
<i>Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)</i>					
293p	£137.71	260p	£123.69	270.1p	£128.27
<i>Over 52kg</i>					
265p	£145.20	250p	£138.5	255.4p	£139.65

27 Store Lambs

Another best end trade with an all in average of £87.22. C & CM Ironmonger topped the day at £99 for smart Suffolks with smaller frame lambs selling to £84.50; D & S Hutsby saw the trade of the day with Texel Mule stores in long term condition flying to £86.

To	From	Average
£99.00	£84.50	£87.22

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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47 Cull Ewes & Rams

The ewe trade has firmed with meat seeing a lift and a better showing of quality forward on the week, leading to an all in average of £98.02. B Burrows topped the day with strong meated Suffolk ewes to £122; TR Tame & Son saw the same level for their Suffolks at £120; M Taylor topped for the rams at £113 for Charollais; LS Hammon saw the best performance of the Mule trade with thick big framed ewes to £93, with many others sold at the same level. All meat were seen over £80 and feeders were around £65 to £75.

To	From	Average
£122.00	£46.00	£98.02

Every Tuesday at 10am

Plants, Firewood, Produce, Hatching Eggs & Sundries.

250+ lots forward in the sale. Cast Planters to £40, Bales of Hay to £3.50, Bags of Logs to £5, Bags of Kindling to £5.

If you have any items for the sale please send us the details so we can inform possible buyers. Auctioneer Alastair Brown 07885 804450



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Haldens Parkway, Thrapston

Friday 23rd February at 10.30am

For Entry Forms please visit our website
Or Contact the Main Office on 01832 732241

Important, entries must be returned by
Tuesday 13th February to be included in the catalogue

Auctioneer in Charge: Alastair Brown 07885 804450

FORTHCOMING MACHINERY SALES 2024



End of March

Online Dispersal Sale



Friday 12th April

Farm Dispersal Sale – Barnack, Cambs

Friday 19th April

Westlake Machinery Sale – Peterborough



June

Farm & Collective Sale - Banbury

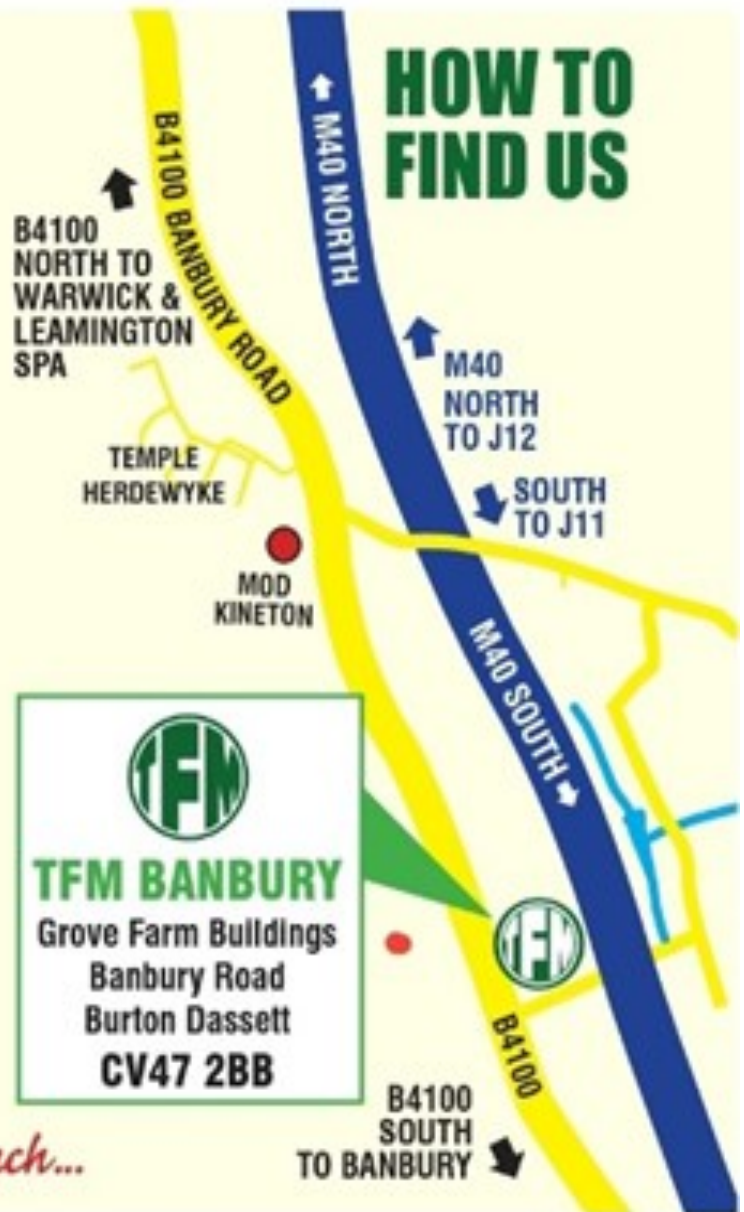
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