

# The Market Report

## Stratford Forthcoming Events

### Saturday 3rd June

Sale of Boer Goats - 11.00am

At Thrapston Livestock Market

*See main advert for further information*

### Tuesday 6th June

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Fur, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

### Tuesday 13th June

Prime, Cull & Store Sheep - 10.30am

Fur, Produce & Misc - 10.00am

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

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## REPORT FOR TUESDAY 30TH MAY

### 197 Prime Lambs

Trade steadies on the week with over 42kgs seeing the biggest demand. I Birden topped the day with Dutch Spotted x Cheviot lambs to 341p/kg at 39.5kgs. AF & RF Slatter topped the day with 47.5kg Suffolks to £152 or 320p/kg. SQQ 325.68p/kg.

**Highlights** - JW Higgins topped the lighter lambs with a smashing show of Texels at 39kgs selling to 334p/kg; AF & RF Slatter topped their mid weight Suffolks at 44kgs flying to 333.5p/kg; GC Hodges & Son saw similar highs with their 44.5kg Suffolks to 331.5p/kg; John Bourne & Son topped with their heavier lambs at 320p/kg for 47kgs.

To		From		Average	
<b>Standards (32.1-39kg)</b>					
334p	£130.26	313p	£113.04	318.3p	£120.67
<b>Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)</b>					
341p	£149.93	320p	£126.40	327.9p	£137.81
<b>Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)</b>					
320p	£152.00	320p	£150.40	320p	£150.93

### 78 Prime Hogs

Season enders on show, NG Adams topped to 261p/kg for 48kg Romney crosses with 54kgs at 220p/kg or £136.50, a proper showing of meat. SQQ 216.30p/kg; W Stock & Son topped their Texels at 242p/kg for 37kgs; AW Wheeler saw 240p/kg for their 36.5kgs Continentals.

To		From		Average	
<b>Lights (25.5-32kg)</b>					
200p	£60.00	180p	£52.20	190.2p	£56.10
<b>Standards (32.1-39kg)</b>					
242p	£89.54	200p	£71.00	231.4p	£83.31
<b>Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)</b>					
234p	£100.62	202p	£90.30	210.3p	£92.33
<b>Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)</b>					
261p	£125.28	240p	£110.40	254.2p	£120.32
<b>Over 52kg</b>					
220p	£136.50	175p	£97.20	208.2p	£117.17



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<https://www.facebook.com/StratfordLivestockMarket/>

## 46 Culls Ewes & Rams

Prices continue on the same level with ewes looking well sold on the day. All in average £90.78. WR Spencer topped the day with Charollais rams flying to £150; AW Wheeler saw the best of the ewes with Texels in best condition reaching £121; L Homans saw £120 for smaller frame but best shape ewes; E & M Wainwright topped the Suffolks with ewes to £100; JK Coldicott saw the best of the Mules at £91. Leaner meat ewes look best sold in the high £70's to mid £80's.

To	From	Average
£150.00	£48.00	£90.78

## Plants, Produce & Sundries

A sale of almost 1000 lots forward today, with something of interest for everyone.

### Plants

Some great plants for a fraction of the price seen at garden centres. A pair of planters sold to £25 each, Hanging Baskets sold to £11.50, Roses sold to £11, Hydrangea £9, Pelargonium £6.50, Lupins £4.80, Geraniums £4 a massive selection why not come down and have a look for yourself.



### Produce

Forty-six Cauliflowers on offer today, which couldn't have been any fresher as they were chopped on the morning of the sale, they sold to £1.40 from £1 each. 25kg bags of animal feed sold to £10 from £8 to include feed for poultry, pigs and goats.



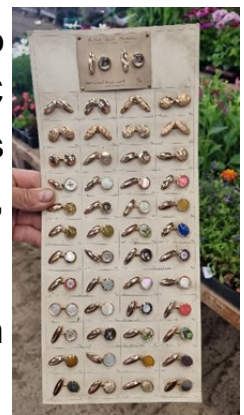
### Hatching Eggs

Plenty of demand but not many about, Trays of Hen eggs sold to £4.50, Pheasant eggs sold to £3, Goose Eggs sold to £2 each, ½ Dozen Duck eggs sold to £2.20, Guinea Fowl eggs sold to £1.20 per dozen, a dozen hen eggs to £1.50. More are needed.

### Sundries

Lawnmowers sold to £100, Horse Saddles to £80, Cast Pig Trough to £60, Garden Table & Chairs sold to £50, Log Splitter sold to £40, IBC Containers £45, Rotavator £28, Chainsaw £28, Signs £24, Cufflinks £22, Trolley Jack £20. Lots more on offer, come and grab a bargain, have a look for yourself.

If you have some items for sale please contact us so we can advertise your goods to potential buyers prior to the sale.



**At Thrapston Livestock Market**

**Bletsoes**

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**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 11.00am**

**The Annual Production Sale of Boer Goats,  
Valais Blacknose x & Jacob Sheep  
on behalf of DS & LE Wadland, Daventry**

*15 Boer Doelings, some with Kids at Foot, some In-Kid*

**Also**

***Ewes with 14 Lambs at Foot to Include:***

*3 Jacob Double Theaves with 5 Lambs at Foot*

*5 Valais Blacknose x Masham Double Theaves with 9 Lambs at Foot*

*1 Purebred Valais Blacknose Shearling Ram*

**Further entries are welcome**

**Any Breed, Age or Size!**

Please forward your entries as soon as possible,  
for advertising & cataloguing purposes

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