ROSS AUCTION CENTRE WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

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Now that the country is back in lockdown we have to ask vendors to follow the previous practice of "drop and go" and not remain on the premises to watch the sale of their animals.

SHORT ENTRY OF CATTLE MET AN EXCELLENT TRADE ANOTHER GOOD ENTRY OF HOGGETS SELLING TO A SUPERB TRADE

Steers to	**213p**	**£1,430**
Heifers to	**256p**	**£1,461**
Cull Cows to	**140p**	**£1,204**
Hoggets to	**319p**	**£130**
Cull Ewes & Rams	**£90.50 Av**	**£134**

60 FINISHED CATTLE
46 Clean Cattle, 14 Cull Cows.

Sale at 10.30 am
Auctioneer: Richard Williams

A short entry of cattle sold to another very strong trade. Best cattle to 256 pence. There was also a very strong demand for Friesians which sold over 200 pence. The Cull Cows principally comprised of Dairy sorts averaging 127 pence.

Top price per kilo: 256.00 pence for an entry from Mesr DE & SJ Cheacker, Pilning.
Top price per head: £1,461.46 for an entry from the same vendor.

		Top p/kg	*Av/kg*	*Av/head*	*Overall Av/kg*
STEERS	Light (370-550kg)	205.00p	201.00p	£1037.52	
	Medium (551-649kg)	210.00p	200.00p	£1297.54	**200.00p**
	Heavy (650kg +)	213.00p	200.00p	£1322.81	
HEIFERS	Light (330-500kg)				
	Medium (501-589kg)	256.00p	235.00p	£1252.10	**225.00p**
	Heavy (590kg+)	205.00p	200.00p	£1382.01	

1,703 HOGGETS

Sale at 9.15am
Auctioneer: William Probert

Hogs met a flying trade peaking at 319ppk and £130 per head. An excellent entry of 1704 hogs met a very competitive trade. Strongest demand was on continental cross, 36 – 42kgs, consistently selling from 280 – 319ppk. Many pens traded well in excess of 300ppk. Heavyweight hogs met a buoyant trade selling from £125 - £130. More could have easily been sold on this trade with more required to meet demand. SQQ 278ppk. The overall price was £116.70 per head (average weight 42.3kg).

Top price per kilo: 319p for an entry from Ms E Roberts, St Owen's Cross.
Top price per head: £130 for an entry from Mesr VE & BM Samuel & Son, St Weonards.

	Top p/kg	*Av p/kg*	*Av £/head*	*SQQ*
Light (25.5 – 32 kg)				
Standard (32.1 – 39 kg)	281.00p	275.00p	£102.88	
Medium (39.1 – 45.5 kg)	319.00p	281.00p	£117.18	**278.00p**
Heavy (45.6 – 52 kg)	280.00p	270.00p	£123.96	
Overweight (52.1 + kg)	231.00p	220.00p	£127.07	

313 CULL EWES & RAMS

Sale at 10.00 am
Auctioneer: Martyn Evans

An increased entry of ewes met a continued good trade. A short supply of the best shaped continentals sold to £134. Suffolk's sold to £112, mules to £100, leaving an exceptional overall average of £88.28 considering the varied quality forward. A large entry of Rams also met a good trade selling to an average of £90.50.

FORTHCOMING SALES.

FEBRUARY

Thursday 11th **ROSS AUCTION CENTRE** Sale of 110 Store Cattle.

Thursday 18th **ROSS AUCTION CENTRE** **Sale of Antiques, Interior Furnishings & Collectables.**
Covid Regulations:
We are closed to the public for viewing, descriptions and images on our Website or online bidding with easyliveauction.com. Or place bids by email or telephone. Telephone bidding accepted. In all about 500 lots. Buyers premium (16%+VAT) & Internet Bidding Fees.

Thursday 25th **ROSS AUCTION CENTRE** Sale of Store Cattle.
Entries for Catalogue to be received by noon Thursday 18th February.

MARCH

Thursday 11th **ROSS AUCTION CENTRE** Sale of Store Cattle.
Entries for Catalogue to be received by noon Thursday 4th March.

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