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MARKET REPORT

AND

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 10TH JANUARY 2018



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Report an entry of 35 UTM and OTM prime cattle, 32 cull cows, 65 store cattle, 63 rearing calves and 534 finished and store sheep

UTM PRIME CATTLE

HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK

Each Wednesday the highest price prime steer/heifer sold p/kg will be commission free

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A much larger entry of prime cattle this week met a similar trade to last week with the improved entry allowing buyers better choice of cattle. Top price per kilo was **219p** for a Limousin x heifer from Messrs. W.H. & L.M. Williams & Son of Allet bought by Harvey Bros. Butchers of St. Ives, Penzance & Newlyn. A big 782kg Aberdeen Angus x heifer from the same farm sold at £1,384 to Trevarthens of Roskrow. Steers sold to 209p/kg twice for a pair of Limousins from George Richards Farms of Summercourt with the heaviest realising **£1,522** and both bought by Trevarthens.

17 Steers – leading prices

Limousin x to 209p (728kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
Limousin x to 209p (653kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
Limousin x to 199p (632kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
Limousin x to 195p (571kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
Charolais x to 186p (746kg) for Mr. B.J. Townsend of Mitchell, Newquay
Charolais x to 185p (756kg) for Mr. B.J. Townsend of Mitchell, Newquay
Aberdeen Angus x to 184p (744kg) for Messrs. J.M. & K. Hinkley of Rejerrah, Newquay
British Blue x to 180p (669kg) for Mr. F.A. Pearce of Chacewater, Truro
Limousin x to 180p (624kg) for Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge

15 Heifers – leading prices

Limousin x to 219p (583kg) for Messrs. W.H. & L.M. Williams & Son of Allet, Truro
Limousin x to 213p (597kg) for Messrs. W.H. & L.M. Williams & Son of Allet, Truro
Limousin x to 211p (569kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
British Blue x to 190p (604kg) for Messrs. W.H. & L.M. Williams & Son of Allet, Truro
South Devon x to 186p (541kg) for Messrs. P.R. & T. Eustice of Crantock, Newquay
Hereford x to 179p (690kg) for Mr. I.C. Michell of Nancegollan, Helston

Wednesday's South-West Regional Market Averages

Steers – 181.8p/kg

Truro Steers

Premium	to	209p	av.	205.67p
Prime	to	195p	av.	183.15p
Others	to	172p	av.	166.54p
All Steers			av.	183.61p

Heifers – 179.2p/kg

Truro Heifers

Premium	to	219p	av.	214.35p
Prime	to	190p	av.	181.60p
Others	to	175p	av.	166.29p
All Heifers			av.	182.34p

OTM PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A trio of good OTMs sold well to 176p/kg and £1,170 for a Limousin x steer for Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval. A Charolais x heifer for Mr. B.J. Townsend of Mitchell realised 164p/kg and £1,082.

2 Steers & 1 Heifer

Limousin x steer to 176p (665kg) for Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge
Charolais x heifer to 164p (660kg) for Mr. B.J. Townsend of Mitchell, Newquay
Limousin x steer to 158p (691kg) for Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge

Overall Averages:

OTM Steers	to	176p/kg	av.	167.00p/kg
OTM Heifers	to	164p/kg		

Next "Orange" TB-Restricted Market for Prime Cattle, Cull Cows and Store Cattle

TUESDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2018 – 10AM

Licences required by Tuesday 13th February – Entries to Ed Harris 01872 272722

CULL COWS

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

Cull cows are still in shorter supply with both dairy and beef cows selling extremely well, especially the well-fleshed beef cows. A pair of Limousin x cows from George Richards Farms of Summercourt leading the way at 140p/kg+!! A premium of **148p/kg** was paid by David Ellis of Lelant followed by a big 859kg cow at 140p/kg realising **£1,203** to Dawn West Devon of Hatherleigh Friesians to **121p/kg** (£967) for Mr. R.J. Hemmings of Lanlivery Dawn West Devon of Hatherleigh.

10 Beef Cows – leading prices

Limousin x to 148p (797kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
Limousin x to 140p (859kg) for George Richards Farms of Summercourt, Newquay
South Devon x to 139p (755kg) for Mr. R.D. Collins of Constantine, Falmouth
Limousin x to 124p (824kg) for Messrs. D. Trewern & Son of St. Levan, Penzance
Aberdeen Angus x to 124p (792kg) for Mr. A.S.P. Wright of Penhallow, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to 119p (728kg) for Mr. K. Bottrell of Newbridge, Penzance

Breed Averages:

Limousin x	to	148p/kg	av.	121.00p/kg
South Devon x	to	139p/kg	av.	117.00p/kg
Aberdeen Angus x	to	124p/kg	av.	121.50p/kg

22 Dairy Cows – leading prices

Friesian to 121p (799kg) for Mr. R.J. Hemmings of Lanlivery, Bodmin
Norwegian Red x to 120p (738kg) for Messrs. H.K, D.M. & N.T. Jeffery of Summercourt,
Newquay

Friesian to 118p (784kg) for Messrs. R.D. Richards & Sons of Ladock, Truro
Friesian to 112p (710kg) for Messrs. C.J. & J.E. Colwell of Grampound, Truro
Friesian to 110p (753kg) for Mr. R.J. Hemmings of Lanlivery, Bodmin
Swedish Red & White x to 104p (853kg) for Messrs. R.D. Richards & Sons of Ladock, Truro
Friesian to 104p (762kg) for Messrs. R.D. Richards & Sons of Ladock, Truro
Friesian to 104p (667kg) for Messrs. H.K, D.M. & N.T. Jeffery of Summercourt, Newquay

Breed Averages:

Friesian	to	121p/kg	av.	95.27p/kg
Norwegian Red x	to	120p/kg	av.	88.00p/kg
Swedish Red & White x	to	104p/kg		
Guernsey x	to	90p/kg	av.	85.34p/kg

Overall Averages:

Beef Cows	to	148p/kg	av.	120.22p/kg
Dairy Cows	to	121p/kg	av.	93.94p/kg

STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A fair entry for early in the year saw store cattle sell to strong demand around the ring. A lovely entry of steers for Messrs. W.S. Gay & Son of St. Allen saw a trio of 17/18 month old Limousins top at **£1,040** and pair of South Devons to £1,015. From the same farm a trio of 10 month old Limousin steers realised £800 apiece with last spring's Charolais calves from Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon selling to £740 for three steers and heifers to £600.

40 Steers – leading prices

2yo

Aberdeen Angus x to £855 for Mr. J. Penhaligon of Portscatho, Truro
Blonde d'Aquitaine x to £855 for J & S Farms Ltd of Penzance
Limousin x to £815 for Mr. J. Penhaligon of Portscatho, Truro

1½yo

Limousin x to £1,040 for Messrs. W.S. Gay & Son of St. Allen, Truro
South Devon x to £1,015 for Messrs. W.S. Gay & Son of St. Allen, Truro
Hereford x to £810 for Mr. J. Penhaligon of Portscatho, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to £750 for J & S Farms Ltd of Penzance
Blonde d'Aquitaine x to £745 for J & S Farms Ltd of Penzance

1yo

Limousin x to £800 for Messrs. W.S. Gay & Son of St. Allen, Truro
Charolais x to £740 for Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon, Bodmin

9mo

Charolais x to £600 for Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon, Bodmin

25 Heifers – leading prices

2yo

Blonde d'Aquitaine x to £950 for J & S Farms Ltd of Penzance

1½yo

Charolais x to £680 for Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon, Bodmin

Aberdeen Angus x to £640 for J & S Farms Ltd of Penzance

1yo

Charolais x to £600 for Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon, Bodmin

9mo

Charolais x to £500 for Mr. B.J. Maycock of Rosenannon, Bodmin

REARING CALVES

Auctioneer – Bob Mosley

Similar numbers of calves to last week sold to a strong trade. An entry of older forward calves from Messrs. S.M. & J. Blee of St. Martin saw a trio of Limousin x bulls top the day at **£410** and a heifer to **£340**. British Blue x bulls from the same farm to £395.

Aberdeen Angus and Hereford sires – please write on front of passport

37 Bulls

Limousin x to £410 for Messrs. S.M. & J. Blee of St. Martin, Helston, av. £271

British Blue x to £395 for Messrs. S.M. & J. Blee of St. Martin, Helston, av. £237

Simmental x to £190 for Mr. A.G. Cave of Rame, Penryn, av. £177

Aberdeen Angus x to £168 for Mr. A.G. Cave of Rame, Penryn, av. £154

Friesian to £100 for Messrs. T.J. & C.M. Dauncey of St. Just, Penzance, av. £74

Friesian bobby calves to £40, av. £31

26 Heifers

Limousin x to £340 for Messrs. S.M. & J. Blee of St. Martin, Helston, av. £159

British Blue x to £210 for Messrs. R.G. Keast & Son of Allet, Truro, av. £143

Simmental x to £168 for Carwen Farm Partnership of Lanreath, Looe and

Mr. V.M. Moyle of Mabe, Penryn, av. £168

Friesian to £140 for Messrs. F.E. & D.K. Jenkin of Constantine, Falmouth

Aberdeen Angus x to £118 for Messrs. F.E. & D.K. Jenkin of Constantine, Falmouth, av. £100

WEDNESDAY 24TH JANUARY – HAYLAGE

89 round bales 2017 haylage to be sold in front the Market at 11.30am approx. with a sample available – To be collected from Truro area

FINISHED AND STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer – Ross Collins

HOGS (248)

Good quality met with keen bidding and a continued strong trade for hogs at Truro again this week with the SQQ average out in front for the South West, and well in line with the national average. Hogs were weighing well this week with the average weight being 47.3kg (SQQ hogs averaging 42.9kg and non-SQQ hogs averaging 50.1kg!!). The premium was set at **201p/kg** for a smart pen of 42.3kg hogs from Messrs. S.J. & D.E.J. Worden of St. Martin purchased by J.V. Richards Ltd of Perranwell Station, who also purchased the top price pen at **£98**, a super trio of 50.3kg Texels from Messrs. M.A. & C. Sandbach of St. Breock.

Leading Averages:

201p/kg for 42.3kg hogs from Messrs. S.J. & D.E.J. Worden of St. Martin, Helston
200p/kg for 44.1kg hogs from Mr. G.M. Olver of Lanivet, Bodmin
199p/kg for 41.2kg hogs from Mr. G.M. Olver of Lanivet, Bodmin
198p/kg for 43.2kg hogs from Mr. M.R. Coombes of Camelford
195p/kg for 50.3kg hogs from Messrs. M.A. & C. Sandbach of St. Breock, Wadebridge
192p/kg for 48.8kg hogs from Messrs. P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Son of Crantock, Newquay
189p/kg for 42.0kg hogs from Mrs. B.M. Chapman of St. Columb
188p/kg for 51.8kg hogs from Mr. W.F. Teagle of Trevithick, Newquay
188p/kg for 45.2kg hogs from Messrs. S. & S.A.J. Rickard of Devoran, Truro
188p/kg for 43.6kg hogs from Messrs. S. & S.A.J. Rickard of Devoran, Truro
188p/kg for 43.3kg hogs from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
187p/kg for 47.3kg hogs from Messrs. J. Lutey & Sons of Grampound Road, Truro

Top Price Hogs:

£98.00 (50.3kg) from Messrs. M.A. & C. Sandbach of St. Breock, Wadebridge
£97.50 (51.8kg) from Mr. W.F. Teagle of Trevithick, Newquay
£93.50 (48.8kg) from Messrs. P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Son of Crantock, Newquay
£90.00 (50.3kg) from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
£90.00 (69.0kg) from Messrs. P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Son of Crantock, Newquay
£88.50 (47.3kg) from Messrs. J. Lutey & Sons of Grampound Road, Truro
£88.00 (44.1kg) from Mr. G.M. Olver of Lanivet, Bodmin
£88.00 (49.6kg) from Mr. M.R. Coombes of Camelford
£86.00 (48.0kg) from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
£86.00 (54.5kg) from Mr. W.F. Teagle of Trevithick, Newquay

Averages:

Standard (32.1kg-39kg)	to	185p/kg	av.	185.0p/kg
Medium (39.1kg-45.5kg)	to	201p/kg	av.	190.3p/kg
Heavy (45.6kg-52kg)	to	195p/kg	av.	176.2p/kg
Overweight (52.1kg+)	to	160p/kg		

SQQ Hog Average **190p**

CULL EWES (56)

Good prices and continued demand, with more numbers needed each week. A top price of **£88** for a big pen of eight well-bred Texel ewes from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval.

Leading Prices:

£88.00 for ewes from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge
£85.00 for ewes from Messrs. M.A. & C. Sandbach of St. Breock, Wadebridge
£84.00 for ewes from Messrs. S.J. & D.E.J. Worden of St. Martin, Helston
£83.00 for ewes from Mr. W.D. Pascoe of St. Newlyn East, Newquay

Averages:

First quality ewes	to	£88.00	av.	£79.00
Second quality ewes	to	£63.00	av.	£57.00

STORE HOGS (48)

Prices are holding firm and with insufficient numbers forward to meet buyer demand. Joint top price of **£61** for pens of good types from Messrs. W.P.L. Cowling & Sons of Newquay and from Mr. B. Tomkins of Wendron, followed closely by another strong pen from Mr J. Bick of Penzance selling for £60.

Leading Prices:

£61.00 for stores from Messrs. W.P.L. Cowling & Sons of Newquay
£61.00 for stores from Mr. B. Tomkins of Wendron, Helston
£60.00 for stores from Mr. J. Bick of Newlyn, Penzance
£57.50 for stores from Messrs. S.J. & D.E.J. Worden of St. Martin, Helston
£56.50 for stores from Mr. G. Courtis of Cury Cross Lanes, Helston
£56.00 for stores from Mr. J. McFadden of St. Just, Penzance

Averages:

Best store hogs	to	£61.00	av.	£59.00
Medium store hogs	to	£50.50	av.	£49.00

IN-LAMB EWES (182)

Two flock dispersals for Mr. G. Courtis of Cury Cross Lanes and Mr. I. Littlefield of St. Eval, and a slight flock reduction for Mr. J.D. Couch of Couch's Mill. Two pens of mixed age scanned singles for Mr. Couch sold for £85. Full mouth un-scanned ewes sold to £71 for Mr. Littlefield, and full mouth scanned mixed singles/doubles sold to £70 for Mr. Courtis.



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WEDNESDAY NEXT 17TH JANUARY

LODGE & THOMAS

10.00am – Rearing Calves

10.00am – Dairy & Beef Cull Cows

followed by
Prime Cattle

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Dispersal Sale of Beef Suckler Herd and usual sale of Store Cattle

18 IN-CALF BEEF SUCKLER COWS, 2 COWS & CALVES + 1 STOCK BULL

on behalf of Mr. P.C. Stephens of Bosvargus Farm, St. Just, Penzance

Comprising **20** Limousin, Aberdeen Angus x British Blue x and Charolais x cows, including 2 with calves at foot, the remainder PD'd forward in-calf plus Pedigree British Blue **stock bull** (*Catalogue online*). Also 2 Hereford 3rd calvers due March-on to Pedigree Hereford Bull

11.30am – Hogs, Cull Ewes & Store Sheep

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DRAW**

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Pre-enter stock by Tuesday 3.30pm and qualify for our weekly Market Prize Draw

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TEXT

(Your name & stock numbers)

Cattle/Calves

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Sheep

07977 662443

THIS WEEK'S £10 WINNER: Rowland Hill of The Lizard

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