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TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

MARKET REPORT

AND

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 30TH APRIL 2014



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Report an entry of 60 UTM and OTM prime cattle, 55 cull cows and bulls, 235 store cattle including 4 dairy cattle, 134 rearing calves and stirks and 742 finished and store sheep.



UTM PRIME CATTLE

FARM ASSURANCE



Farm Assurance is becoming increasingly important again with one of our regular buyers now unable to purchase Non-Assured stock

HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK

Each week the highest priced prime steer or heifer sold (pence per kilogram) will be commission free.

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

Prime cattle numbers continue to be decent although prices have fallen across regional markets due to a national move to lower the beef price but with Truro seeing better than most averages. Top price per kilo was 191p for a Limousin x heifer from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert purchased by Kittow's Butchers of Par, St. Austell. Top value was £1,315 for a Limousin x steer from Mr. H.J. May of Tripsen purchased by J.V. Richards Ltd of Perranwell Station, Truro.

27 Steers – top 8 prices

Limousin x to 185p (672kg) for Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
Hereford x to 185p (656kg) for Messrs. H.M, C.S. & M.A. Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston
Limousin x to 179p (581kg) for Mr. D. Jenkin of Manaccan, Helston
Limousin x to 178p (739kg) for Mr. H.J. May of Tripsen, Truro
Limousin x to 178p (681kg) for Mr. H.J. May of Tripsen, Truro
Hereford x to 176p (690kg) for Messrs. H.M, C.S. & M.A. Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston
Limousin x to 176p (628kg) for Messrs. W.F. Gluyas & Son of Stithians, Truro
Limousin x to 176p (582kg) for Mr. D. Jenkin of Manaccan, Helston

23 Heifers – top 6 prices

Limousin x to 191p (561kg) for Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
Limousin x to 187p (546kg) for Messrs. W.F. Gluyas & Son of Stithians, Truro
Limousin x to 184p (633kg) for Messrs. W.F. Gluyas & Son of Stithians, Truro
Limousin x to 181p (613kg) for Mr. G.W. Coon of Mevagissey, St. Austell
Limousin x to 180p (592kg) for Messrs. W.F. Gluyas & Son of Stithians, Truro
Limousin x to 175p (705613kg) for Mr. G.W. Coon of Mevagissey, St. Austell

Wednesday's South West Regional Market Averages

Steers – 160.62p/kg

Heifers – 165.66p/kg

Truro's Averages

Steers

Premium to 185p av. 183.00p
Prime to 178p av. 171.32p
Others to 165p

Heifers

Premium to 191p av. 185.75p
Prime to 180p av. 170.04p
Others to 160p

All Steers av. 170.87p

All Heifers av. 169.78p

10 OTM PRIME CATTLE

A top price of 146p/kg for a Limousin x steer from Messrs. H.H. Richards & Son of Cury, Helston was purchased by Jaspers of Treburley, Launceston.

CULL COWS AND BULLS

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A fair entry of cull cows met with a slightly easier trade which was affected by a number of underfleshed cows forward. Three cows at 120p/kg with a 892kg Simmental x cow top price at £1,070 for Messrs. B.J. Tregoning & Son of Porkellis and purchased by West Devon Meat of Hatherleigh. Friesians to 110p/kg for Messrs. R. & D.P. Rule of Mawla and a Hereford bull realising £1,098 for Mrs. M.M. Williams of St. Martin, both again bought by West Devon Meat.

18 Beef Cows – leading prices

Simmental x to 120p (892kg) for Messrs. B.J. Tregoning & Son of Porkellis,
Helston
Limousin x to 120p (674kg) for Messrs. R.W. & A. Beard of Praa Sands, Penzance
Simmental x to 120p (662kg) for Mr. J. Buckland of Drift, Penzance
Simmental x to 114p (673kg) for Mr. J. Buckland of Drift, Penzance
South Devon x to 113p (812kg) for Mr. R. Chenoweth & Son of Liskeard
Aberdeen Angus x to 109p (569kg) for Miss C. Parker of Luxulyan, Bodmin
Hereford x to 106p (685kg) for Messrs. F.G. Hawke & Sons of Burlawn,
Wadebridge
Aberdeen Angus x to 105p (645kg) for Messrs. M.J. & J.A. Bennetto of
Indian Queens, St. Columb

Breed Averages:

Simmental x	to	120p/kg	av.	118.00p/kg
Limousin x	to	120p/kg	av.	107.20p/kg
South Devon x	to	113p/kg		
Aberdeen Angus x	to	109p/kg	av.	102.33p/kg
Hereford x	to	106p/kg	av.	98.00p/kg
Welsh Black x	to	100p/kg		

35 Dairy Cows – leading prices

Friesian to 110p (811kg) for Messrs. R. & D.P. Rule of Mawla, Redruth
Friesian to 108p (822kg) for Messrs. J.A.H. Wood & Son of Little Petherick,
Wadebridge
Friesian to 107p (761kg) for Messrs. N. & S. Rowe of The Lizard, Helston
Friesian to 106p (788kg) for Mr. D.J. Heller of Blackwater, Truro
Friesian to 105p (816kg) for Mr. D.J. Heller of Blackwater, Truro
Friesian to 104p (759kg) for Messrs. N. & S. Rowe of The Lizard, Helston
Friesian to 104p (729kg) for Messrs. N. & S. Rowe of The Lizard, Helston
Friesian to 102p (827kg) for Messrs. D.G. & S.L. Giles of Paul, Penzance
Friesian to 101p (704kg) for Mr. D.J. Heller of Blackwater, Truro

Breed Averages:

Friesian	to	110p/kg	av.	96.55p/kg
Guernsey x	to	80p/kg	av.	75.60p/kg

2 Cull Bulls

Hereford to 108p (1017kg) for Mrs. M.M. Williams of St. Martin, Helston

Overall Averages:

Beef Cows	to	120p/kg	av.	102.94p/kg
Dairy Cows	to	110p/kg	av.	96.21p/kg
Cull Bulls	to	108p/kg	av.	103.61p/kg

STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Andrew Body

Store cattle numbers are reducing as is normal at this time of year but quality cattle continue to sell well. A group of outstanding yearling Charolais and Limousin cattle for Messrs. C.R. & I.E. White of Helston sold to a top price of £1,125 for steers and £930 for heifers! A consignment of rare Whitebred Shorthorn steers from Mr. W.G.E. Babcock of Pendeen sold extremely well.

Steers – leading prices

2yo

Hereford x to £875 for Mr. A. Ead of High Street, St. Austell
Saler x to £855 for Mr. A. Ead of High Street, St. Austell
Limousin x to £795 for Mr. J. Penghaligon of Portscatho, Truro
Simmental x to £795 for Mr. J. Penghaligon of Portscatho, Truro
British Blue x to £790 for Mr. J. Penghaligon of Portscatho, Truro
Whitebred Shorthorn x to £700 for Mr. W.G.E. Babcock of Pendeen, Penzance
Friesian to £665 for Messrs. G. Smith & Son of Ladock, Truro

1½yo

Limousin x to £850 for Messrs. G. Smith & Son of Ladock, Truro
Saler x to £785 for Messrs. R, E.E. & R.M. Rowe of Gwinear, Hayle
Aberdeen Angus x to £770 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Hereford x to £700 for Messrs. A. Roberts & Sons of Newmill, Penzance
Friesian to £500 for Messrs. B.H, G.J. & F.B.W. Ely of St. Keverne, Helston

1yo

Limousin x to £1,125 for Messrs. C.R. & I.E. White of Helston
Saler x to £715 for Mr. S.P. Bache of Mount Hawke, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to £625 for Mr. J.W. Thornhill of Nancegollan, Helston
British Blue x to £615 for Messrs. B. & P. Grose of St. Just, Penzance
South Devon x to £575 for Mr. J.W. Thornhill of Nancegollan, Helston
Friesian to £510 for Messrs. R, E.E. & R.M. Rowe of Gwinear, Hayle

9mo

Limousin x to £640 for Mr. K.M. Ley of Sithney, Helston
British Blue x to £625 for Messrs. J.C. Dawe & Son of Tresillian, Truro

Heifers – leading prices

2yo

British Blue x to £925 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £855 for Messrs. M.J. & J.A. Bennetto of Indian Queens, St. Columb
Aberdeen Angus x to £700 for Mr. A. Ead of High Street, St. Austell
Hereford x to £685 for Mr. A. Ead of High Street, St. Austell

1½yo

Limousin x to £700 for Mr. A. Ead of High Street, St. Austell
British Blue x to £605 for Mr. W.G.E. Babcock of Pendeen, Penzance
Whitebred Shorthorn x to £500 for Mr. W.G.E. Babcock of Pendeen, Penzance

1yo

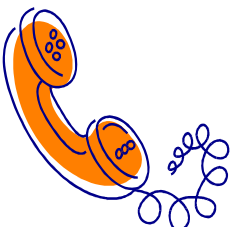
Limousin x to £930 for Messrs. C.R. & I.E. White of Helston
Charolais x to £860 for Messrs. C.R. & I.E. White of Helston
Saler x to £515 for Mr. S.P. Bache of Mount Hawke, Truro

9mo

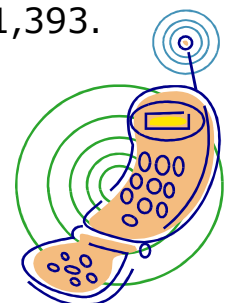
Limousin x to £570 for Mr. K.M. Ley of Sithney, Helston
British Blue x to £570 for Messrs. J.C. Dawe & Son of Tresillian, Truro

4 Dairy Cattle

Four smart freshly calved Friesian Heifers for Messrs. Blewett & Partners of St. Dennis, St. Austell sold to a top price of £1,450 and averaged £1,393.



***Please notify us of your entries for
buyer information 01872 272722***



REARING CALVES AND STIRKS

Auctioneer – Ben Messer-Bennetts

Improved calf numbers this week met with a continued strong trade with heifers selling especially well.

80 Bulls

Limousin x to £365 for Mr. M.J. Brown of Scorrier, Redruth, av. £273
British Blue x to £300 for Messrs. R. & D.P. Rule of Mawla, Redruth, av. £232
Simmental x to £290 for Messrs. T.J. & R. Mann of Gulval, Penzance, av. £239
Aberdeen Angus x to £240 for Messrs. G.T. & A.J. Rowe of Sennen, Penzance,
av. £162
Devon x to £238 for Messrs. E.B. & M.E. Symons of Ruan High Lanes, Truro,
av. £102
Hereford x to £220 for Messrs. A. & B. Pascoe of North Country, Redruth,
av. £124
Welsh Black x to £205 for Messrs. F.E. & D.K. Jenkin of Constantine, Falmouth
Friesian to £120 for Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro, av. £61
Friesian bobby calves to £41, av. £29

38 Heifers

Limousin x to £370 for Mr. M.J. Brown of Scorrier, Redruth, av. £245
British Blue x to £345 for Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro, av. £169
Charolais x to £198 for Mr. P.A. Henwood of St. Issey, Wadebridge
Simmental x to £182 for Messrs. L. Wherry & Son of Newbridge, Penzance,
av. £86
Hereford x to £180 for Messrs. A. & B. Pascoe of North Country, Redruth,
av. £146
Welsh Black x to £170 for Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to £65 for Chapel Farm (Newquay) Ltd of St. Columb Minor,
Newquay
Friesians to £44, av. £40

12 Male Stirks

British Blue x to £430 for Messrs. J.H. & S.M. Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston,
av. £415
Limousin x to £415 for Messrs. M.P. Varcoe & Partners of St. Wenn, Bodmin
Hereford x to £370 for Messrs. M.P. Varcoe & Partners of St. Wenn, Bodmin
Devon x to £310 for Mr. J.W. Thornhill of Nancegollan, Helston, av. £304
Friesian to £150 for Messrs. J.H. & S.M. Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston,
av. £138

4 Heifer Stirks

Limousin x to £390 for Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £360 for Messrs. M.P. Varcoe & Partners of St. Wenn, Bodmin
Devon x to £240 for Mr. J.W. Thornhill of Nancegollan, Helston

FINISHED AND STORE SHEEP

LAMBS (217)

Auctioneer – Bob Mosley

High numbers of new season lambs have been marketed nationally which has seen prices easing throughout the week. A top price of £93.50 was achieved for a pen of smart 40.2kg lambs from Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn which also achieved the top average of 233p/kg, purchased by Carnon Downs Farm Butchery, near Truro and Peter Morris Butchers of St. Columb.

Leading Averages:

233p/kg for 40.2kg lambs from Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
215p/kg for 40.0kg lambs from Mr. M.J. Tremayne of Penhallow, Truro
214p/kg for 38.3kg lambs from Mr. J.T. Rowe of Lower Penponds, Camborne
213p/kg for 42.2kg lambs from Mr. J. Lenthall of Winnards Perch, St. Columb
212p/kg for 41.1kg lambs from Mr. S. Parkin of Whitemoor, St. Austell
212p/kg for 39.8kg lambs from Mr. K.R. Williams of Tehidy, Camborne
208p/kg for 42.0kg lambs from Mr. M. Banbury of St. Columb
207p/kg for 40.1kg lambs from Mr. N.F. Dalgarno of Tregony, Truro
207p/kg for 39.1kg lambs from Mr. K.A. Vincent of Grampond, Truro
207p/kg for 38.6kg lambs from Mr. N.M. Sanders of Davidstow, Camelford

Top Price Lambs:

£93.50 (40.2kg) from Messrs. P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
£93.00 (50.0kg) from Mr. J.M. Folland of Kenwyn, Truro
£90.00 (42.2kg) from Mr. J. Lenthall of Winnards Perch, St. Columb
£88.00 (43.1kg) from Mr. G.C. Grigg of Veryan, Truro
£87.20 (41.1kg) from Mr. S. Parkin of Whitemoor, St. Austell
£87.20 (42.0kg) from Mr. M. Banbury of St. Columb
£87.00 (52.4kg) from Messrs. T.F. & D.J. Crapp of Helston
£86.50 (42.0kg) from Messrs. G.M. & S. Taylor of St. Dennis, St. Austell
£86.00 (40.0kg) from Mr. M.J. Tremayne of Penhallow, Truro
£86.00 (43.6kg) from Mr. P.G. Taylor of Roche, St. Austell

Averages:

Standard (32.1kg-39kg)	to	214p	av.	198.5p
Medium (39.1kg-45.5kg)	to	233p	av.	203.0p
Heavy (45.6kg-52kg)	to	186p	av.	173.0p

SQQ Lamb Average **202.0p**

HOGS (240)

Auctioneers – Bob Mosley and Ed Harris

Hog prices reflect the current transition period as we change over to the new season lambs. Trade more difficult for the lighter hogs with the fleshy heavier types meeting most demand. A top price of £90 for 52.2kg hogs from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert followed by 47.7kg hogs from Mr. J.A. Morphew of St. Ervan selling to £89, both purchased by Jaspers. The premium was set at £2/kg for 40kg continental hogs from Mr. J. Small of Newquay, again selling to Jaspers.

Leading Averages:

200p/kg for 40.0kg hogs from Mr. J. Small of Newquay
197p/kg for 40.8kg hogs from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
194p/kg for 45.3kg hogs from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
187p/kg for 47.7kg hogs from Mr. J.A. Morphew of St. Ervan, Wadebridge
186p/kg for 45.8kg hogs from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
186p/kg for 43.0kg hogs from Messrs. M. & C. Hawken of Castle-an-Dinas,
St. Columb
184p/kg for 40.5kg hogs from Mr. J. Small of Newquay
177p/kg for 48.0kg hogs from Mr. R.H. Eddy of Tehidy, Camborne
177p/kg for 41.9kg hogs from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
177p/kg for 41.4kg hogs from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro

Top Price Hogs:

£90.00 (52.2kg) from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
£89.00 (47.7kg) from Mr. J.A. Morphew of St. Ervan, Wadebridge
£88.00 (45.3kg) from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
£86.00 (63.0kg) from Mrs. S. Olds of St. Just, Penzance
£85.00 (45.8kg) from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay
£85.00 (48.0kg) from Mr. R.H. Eddy of Tehidy, Camborne
£83.80 (48.8kg) from Mr. J.A. Morphew of St. Ervan, Wadebridge
£83.20 (49.6kg) from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
£83.20 (53.3kg) from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro
£82.80 (53.7kg) from Mr. F.K. Matthews of St. Erme, Truro

Averages:

Standard (32.1kg-39kg)	to	170p	av.	169.00p
Medium (39.1kg-45.5kg)	to	200p	av.	178.40p
Heavy (45.6kg-52kg)	to	187p	av.	178.66p

SQQ Hog Average **178.0p**

CULL EWES (205)

Auctioneer – Ed Harris

Another large entry but trade easier in line with the national trend. A top price for a single ram from Mr. D.J. Lobb of Little Polgooth selling at £92.50. Cull ewes sold to £84.50 for Mr. A.S. Turner of Praze.

Leading Prices:

£92.50 for rams from Mr. D.J. Lobb of Little Polgooth, St. Austell
£84.50 for ewes from Mr. A.S Turner of Praze, Camborne
£83.50 for ewes from Messrs. K.C. & S. Hobbs of Penhalvean, Redruth
£82.80 for ewes from Messrs. K. & D. McFadden of St. Just, Penzance
£80.00 for rams from Mr. R.H. Eddy of Tehidy, Camborne
£79.00 for ewes from Messrs. A.J. & A.C. Kingdon of Summercourt, Newquay
£78.00 for ewes from Messrs. T.J. Lobb & Son of St. Ewe, St. Austell
£76.50 for ewes from Mr. T.D. Retallick of Talskiddy, St. Columb
£76.00 for ewes from Mr. R.W. James of Feock, Truro
£76.00 for ewes from Mr. N.M. Sanders of Davidstow, Camelford
£75.50 for rams from Mr. W.D. Pascoe of St. Newlyn East, Newquay

Averages:

First quality ewes	to	£84.50	av.	£75.00
Second quality ewes	to	£72.50	av.	£59.00
Sheep	to	£69.50	av.	£61.00
Cull rams	to	£92.50	av.	£73.00

STORE HOGS AND COUPLES (80)

Auctioneer – Ross Collins

The shorter-term store hogs continue to attract most demand selling to a top price of £61 for Mr. D.J.A. Eyles of Ladock. Another decent entry of couples included a consignment of five pens from Mr. M. Allen of Roche topping the doubles at £136.50 (£45.50/life).

Averages:

Best store hogs	to	£61.00	av.	£57.00
Small store hogs	to	£48.00	av.	£45.00
Double couples	to	£136.50	av.	£128.00
Single couples	to	£85.00		

TRURO MARKET SHEEP POINTS COMPETITION

LEADERBOARD AS AT 30TH APRIL 2014

<u>Score</u>	<u>Producer</u>
56 points	R.A. Coad
23 points	G.M. Olver
19 points	W. Taffinder
17 points	T.B. & M.B. Osborne
16 points	J. Lenthall
13 points	D.J. & S.P. Hopper and Methleigh Farm Ltd
11 points	S.S. Chegwidden
10 points	P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Son
9 points	F.K. Matthews
7 points	J.A. & C.R.N. Baker, P.J. Grylls & Sons and W.F. Teagle
6 points	A.G. Collins & Son, Mrs. E.M.J. Eggins and K.R. Williams
5 points	W.H. Pedlar and Mrs. Y. Stephens
4 points	J.A. Morphew and N. Warren

- Each week producers achieving the top average and top price per head will each be awarded 3 points, second highest - 2 points and third highest - 1 point.
- In each category, only producers' top price pen to score.
- Minimum of 6 lambs/hoggets a pen.
- Points will apply to both hoggets and new season lambs (hoggets scored up to and including the second market in May).

SHEEP LICENCES

Purchasers are reminded of the procedure for movement licences accompanying sheep bought at Truro Market. We will provide you with two copies of the licence and accompanying EID eartag printout. One copy is for the retention of yourself as purchaser, the other is to be signed and sent to Defra. As before, we are happy to send off this half of the movement licence for you if you sign it on collection from the Sheep Office. If not, the new address to post your signed movement licences to is:- Animal Reporting and Movement Service (ARAMS), SouthWestern, PO Box 6299, Milton Keynes, MK10 1ZQ within 3 days.

Vendors may continue to use up their stock of old-style sheep movement licences, however we do have new-style forms available at our Sheep Office or contact SouthWestern as above. The "*Food Chain Information (FCI)*" and "*Total number of animals*" sections **must** be completed. It is essential that vendors of prime lambs and hogs who are Farm Assured use their Farm Assurance stickers on their movement licence – **NO STICKER = NO FARM ASSURANCE!!**

WEDNESDAY NEXT 7TH MAY

LODGE & THOMAS

Will sell

**10.00am
75 Dairy and Beef Cull Cows**

**10.00am
100 Rearing Calves**

**10.30am
50 Prime Cattle**

**11.30am
200 Store Cattle and Suckler Cows and Calves
Also 4 16-18mo Hereford Heifers suitable for bulling
for Messrs. L.J. & C.A. Solomon of St. Clement
Plus 2yo Pedigree Limousin Bull sired by Killerton Curlew
from SAC monitored herd with NBA warranty**

**11.30am
600 Lambs, Hogs, Cull Ewes, Store Sheep and Couples**

**Next Sale of Pigs – Wednesday 21st May at 12.30pm
*Entries invited to the Auctioneers***

FOR SALE PRIVATELY – TB-RESTRICTED STOCK

**45 Friesian Holstein Bulling Heifers
Freshly calved Jersey Heifers and Heifer Calves - all Genus sired**

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

MONDAY 2ND JUNE - 10AM

***Licences must be obtained by Friday 23rd May
Entries and enquiries to the Auctioneers***



SALE OF SOUTH DEVON STORE CATTLE

WEDNESDAY 14TH MAY 2014
TRURO MARKET

**Special Sale of South Devon and
South Devon x Steers and Heifers**

*On behalf of the
Truro South Devon Cattle Club*



Entries invited to

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