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## TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

## MARKET REPORT

AND

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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## **LODGE & THOMAS**

Report an entry of 28 UTM and OTM prime cattle, 31 cull cows and bulls, 25 store cattle including 4 suckler cows and calves, 58 rearing calves and 436 finished and store sheep

### UTM PRIME CATTLE

#### **HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK**

Each Wednesday the highest price prime steer or heifer sold (pence per kilogram) will be commission free

#### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A similar entry to recent weeks met a continued firm trade with butchers type cattle well in demand. Greater numbers required for all buyers. Top price per kilo and top value was 226p (£1,516) for a Limousin x steer from Mr J. Julian of Summercourt, purchased by Chris Dale, Butcher of Helston. Top priced Heifer also from Mr. J. Julian of Summercourt was a Charolais at 225p/kg purchased by Robert Trevarthen of Roskrow.

#### **22 Steers and Heifers – top 8 prices**

Limousin x steer to 226p (671kg) for Mr. J. Julian of Summercourt, Newquay  
Charolais x heifer to 225p (571kg) for Mr. J. Julian of Summercourt, Newquay  
Charolais x steer to 219p (644kg) for Mr. J. Julian of Summercourt, Newquay  
Limousin x steers to 206p (565kg) for Messrs F.T. and F. M. Johns of Cury, Helston  
Limousin x steer to 206p (533kg) for Messrs F.T. and F. M. Johns of Cury, Helston  
Charolais x steer to 195p (679kg) for Mr. J.A. Skewes of Penwartha, Perranporth  
Limousin x heifer to 193p (515kg) for Mr. J. A. Skewes of Penwartha, Perranporth  
Limousin x steer to 190p (591kg) for Mr. J.A. Skewes of Penwartha, Perranporth

#### **Wednesday's South-West Regional Market Averages**

**Steers - 189.6p/kg**

**Heifers - 184.9p/kg**

#### **Truro's Averages**

##### **Steers**

Premium	to	226p	av.	214.25p
Prime	to	195p	av.	186.67p
Others	to	171p	av.	166.50p
<b>All Steers</b>			<b>av.</b>	<b>189.02p</b>

##### **Heifers**

Premium	to	225p	av.	209.00p
Others	to	180p	av.	171.20p
<b>All Heifers</b>			<b>av.</b>	<b>180.74p</b>

## OTM PRIME CATTLE

### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A good entry of overage cattle sold to a top price of 170p/kg for an Aberdeen Angus x steer from Messrs E.J. Pengelly & Sons of Porthpean purchased by David Ellis of Lelant.

### **6 Steers**

Aberdeen Angus x to 170p (670kg) for Messrs E.J. Pengelly & Sons of Porthpean, St. Austell  
Limousin x to 168p (674kg) for Messrs R.I. & M.A. Nicholls of St. Clement, Truro  
Aberdeen Angus x to 162p (616kg) for Messrs E.J. Pengelly & Sons of Porthpean, St. Austell  
Aberdeen Angus x to 160p (691kg) for Messrs E.J. Pengelly & Sons of Porthpean, St. Austell

### **Overall Averages:**

OTM Steers                      to    170p/kg              av. 163.52p/kg

## CULL COWS AND BULLS

### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

Cull cow numbers continue in short supply which is keeping prices strong. Plenty of demand for cows across the board both beef and dairy.

Top price cow was a Limousin x at a cracking 163p/kg for Mr. R. J. Trezise of Pendeen purchased by Robert Trevarthen of Roskrow. Top value was a heavy Charolais cow at £1,326 for Messrs Treleaven & Old of St. Minver purchased by Dawn West Devon of Hatherleigh. Best Friesian 135p/kg for Gwavas Jersey Farm of Ruan Minor purchased by Dawn West Devon. Top value Friesian £1,123 for Messrs W.P. & J. Jenkin of St. Martin again purchased by Dawn West Devon.

### **11 Beef Cows – leading prices**

Limousin x to 163p (462kg) for Mr. R.J. Trezise of Pendeen, Penzance  
Aberdeen Angus x to 156p (558kg) for Mr. R.J. Trezise of Pendeen, Penzance  
Limousin x to 150p (597kg) for Mr. R.J. Trezise of Pendeen, Penzance  
Charolais x to 147p (902kg) for Messrs Treleaven & Old of St. Minver, Wadebridge  
South Devon to 141p (693kg) for Mr. R.N. Hosking of Sancreed Penzance  
Shorthorn x to 132p (720kg) for Mr. Mr A.J. Jelbert of Mitchell, Newquay  
Hereford x to 126p (569kg) for Mr. A.J. Jelbert of Mitchell, Newquay

### **Breed Averages:**

Limousin x	to	163p/kg	av.	122.8p/kg
Aberdeen Angus x	to	156p/kg		
Charolais x	to	147p/kg		
South Devon	to	141p/kg		
Shorthorn x	to	132p/kg	av.	121.5p/kg
Hereford x	to	126p/kg		

### **18 Dairy Cows – leading prices**

Friesian to 135p (598kg) for Mr. D.J. Bowman of Gwavas Jersey Farm at Ruan Minor  
Friesian to 131p (857kg) for Messrs W.P. & J. Jenkin of St. Martin, Helston  
Friesian to 128p (751kg) for Messrs H.L. Banbury & Son of St. Ervan, Wadebridge  
Friesian to 126p (708kg) for Mr. K. Botterell of Newbridge, Penzance  
Friesian to 123p (678kg) for J.C. & F.C. Tripconey Ltd of Black Rock, Camborne  
Friesian to 120p (714kg) for Messrs H.L. Banbury & Son of St. Ervan, Wadebridge  
Friesian to 117p (714kg) for Messrs Chynoweth Farm Partners of St. Allen, Truro  
Friesian to 117p (695kg) for Messrs J.L. & N. J. Sampson of St. Buryan, Penzance

### **1 Dairy Heifer**

Friesian to 136p (689kg) for Messrs W.P. & J. Jenkin of St Martin, Helston

### **Breed Averages:**

Friesian	to	135p/kg	av.	118.91p/kg
Jersey x	to	111p/kg	av.	97.33p/kg
Swedish Red & White x	to	110p/kg		

### **1 Cull Bull**

Limousin to 130p (913kg) for Messrs J.L. & N. J. Sampson of St. Buryan, Penzance

### **Overall Averages:**

Beef Cows	to	163p/kg	av.	129.73p/kg
Dairy Cows	to	135p/kg	av.	114.82p/kg
Dairy Heifers	to	136p/kg		
Cull Bulls	to	130p/kg		

## **STORE CATTLE**

### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A light entry of store cattle as is usual in Royal Cornwall week. Stores on offer sold extremely well with plenty of demand.

### **Steers – leading prices**

#### **1yo**

South Devon x to £940 for Mr. J.A. Hosking of St. Buryan, Penzance  
Limousin x to £815 for Mr. P.J. Searle of Wendron, Helston  
Aberdeen Angus x to £620 for Messrs A.R. & T.S. Hooper of Old Kea, Truro

### **Heifers – leading prices**

#### **2yo**

Limousin x to £1100 for Mr. H.J. May of Trispen, Truro

#### **1½yo**

Aberdeen Angus x to £870 for Mr. D.M. Bray of Wendron, Helston

#### **1yo**

Limousin x to £855 for Mr. P.J. Williams of Stithians, Truro  
South Devon x to £720 for Mr. J.A. Hosking of St. Buryan, Penzance

#### **4 Cows and Calves**

A small entry of 2 cow and calf outfits sold to a top price of £1,290 for a British Blue with her calf at foot, averaging £1,250 for Mr D.M. Bray of Wendron, Helston.

### **REARING CALVES AND STIRKS**

#### **Auctioneer – Bob Mosley**

Another cracking calf trade with a high proportion of stirks this week which sold extremely well as did younger calves.

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

#### **22 Bulls**

Simmental x to £405 for Miss E. Simpson of Withiel, Bodmin.

British Blue x to £385 for Messrs R.G. & C.W. Semmens of St. Buryan, Penzance, av. £334

Limousin x to £350 for Messrs A.L. & E.M. Adams of Kerley, Truro, av. £260

Aberdeen Angus x to £330 for Mr. A.G. Cave of Rame, Penryn, av. £218

Hereford x to £200 for Messrs T.J. & C.M. Dauncey of St. Just, Penzance, av. £193

Friesian to £85 for Messrs R.G. Keast & Son of Allet, Truro, av. £83

Friesian bobby calves to £40

#### **15 Heifers**

British Blue x to £295 for Messrs R.G. & C.W. Semmens of St. Buryan, Penzance, av. £250

Hereford x to £265 for Messrs A. & B. Pascoe of North Country, Redruth, av. £197

Limousin x to £192 for W.E. Nicholls & Co of Mylor, Falmouth, av. £190

Aberdeen Angus x to £190 for Mr. A.G. Cave of Rame, Penryn, av. £168

Friesian to £120 for Mr. D.R. Hair of London Apprentice, St. Austell

#### **9 Male Stirks**

British Blue x to £472 for Mr. T. Howe of Ponsanooth, Truro, av. £411

#### **12 Heifer Stirks**

British Blue x to £472 for Mr. T. Howe of Ponsanooth, Truro, av. £405

### **FINISHED AND STORE SHEEP**

#### **NEW SEASON LAMBS (323)**

#### **Auctioneer – Ed Harris**

A lighter entry of finished lambs forward, but those in attendance were well rewarded; a storming trade from start to finish with the averages up again on the week. Looking back on the equivalent week in 2016, the SQQ average is 40p/kg more favourable this week! The trade is largely being fuelled by the export market. Topping the averages at 246p/kg were two producers, firstly for a smart pen of 41.6kg lambs from Messrs. W. & R. Taffinder of Ruan High Lanes selling to H.R. Jasper & Son Ltd of Launceston; secondly for blocky 41.9kg Texels from Mr. J.F. Rowe of Par purchased by Robert Trevarthen of Roskrow.

A remarkable top price of £112.50 twice with a showy pen of 46.5kg lambs from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval purchased by Jaspers and a trio of butchers' quality 49.6kg Charollais lambs from Mr. A. Old of St. Columb bought by J.V. Richards Ltd of Perranwell Station.

**Leading Averages:**

- 246p/kg for 41.9kg lambs from Mr. J.F. Rowe of Menabilly, Par
- 246p/kg for 41.6kg lambs from Messrs W. & R. Taffinder of Ruan High Lanes, Truro
- 243p/kg for 40.4 kg lambs from Mr. W. D. Pascoe of St. Newlyn East, Newquay
- 243p/kg for 4kg lambs from Messrs Treleaven & Old of St. Minver, Wadebridge
- 242p/kg for 46.5kg lambs from Messrs T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge
- 241p/kg for 41.5kg lambs from Mr. J.F. Rowe of Menabilly, Par
- 240p/kg for 44.4kg lambs from Messrs T.F. & D. J. Crapp of Helston
- 240p/kg for 41.4kg lambs from Messrs Treleaven & Old of St. Minver, Wadebridge
- 239p/kg for 41.2kg lambs from Messrs H.L. Banbury & Son of St. Ervan, Wadebridge

**Top Price Lambs:**

- £112.50 (49.6kg) from Mr. A. Old of St. Columb
- £112.50 (46.5kg) from Messrs T.B. & M. B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge
- £109.50 (46.7kg) from Mr. J. Lenthall of Winnards Perch, St Columb
- £107.50 (47.5kg) from Mr. I. Towler of Colan, Newquay
- £106.50 (44.4kg) from Messrs T.F. & D.J. Crapp of Helston
- £105.50 (44.4kg) from Messrs A.J. Onslow and Dr. R.H. Strange of Penhallow, Truro
- £105.00 (44.9kg) from Mr. W.F. Teagle of Trevithick, Newquay
- £104.50 (44.7kg) from Messrs W.S. Gay & Son of St. Allen, Truro
- £104.50 (44.9kg) from Messrs T.F. & D.J Crapp of Helston

**Averages:**

Standard (32.1kg-39kg)	to	235p/kg	av.	226.2p/kg
Medium (39.1kg-45.5kg)	to	246p/kg	av.	233.0p/kg
Heavy (45.6kg-52kg)	to	242p/kg	av.	223.0p/kg

SQQ Lamb Average **232.6p**

*Joint top price at **£112.50** – Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval*



## **CULL EWES (80)**

### **Auctioneer – Ross Collins**

Fewer forward met a firmer trade, particularly for the better types. A cracking pen of strong Texel ewes from Mrs. E.M.J. Eggins of St. Breock topped at £90.

### **Leading Prices:**

£90.00 for ewes from Mrs. E.M.J. Eggins of St. Breock, Wadebridge  
£85.00 for ewes from Mr. G.W. Coon of Mevagissey, St. Austell  
£84.00 for ewes from Mr. R. Rowe of Penhallow, Truro  
£80.00 for ewes from Messrs P.J. Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro  
£79.00 for ewes from Messrs J. Lutey & Sons of Grampound Road, Truro  
£76.00 for ewes from Messrs A.J. & A.C. Kingdon of Gummows Shop, Newquay  
£75.50 for ewes from Mr. S.S. Chegwidden of Baldhu, Truro  
£70.00 for rams from Messrs S.J. & D.E.J. Worden of St. Martin, Helston

### **Averages:**

First quality ewes	to	£90.00	av.	£73.00
Second quality ewes	to	£63.00	av.	£55.00
Cull rams	to	£70.00	av.	£67.00

## **STORE LAMBS (17)**

### **Auctioneer – Ross Collins**

A small selection on offer and lively trade, with insufficient numbers of meet buyer demand. Close to finish stores from Messrs. P.A.G. & J.E.G. Brewer of St. Merryn realised £68.50.

### **Leading Prices:**

£68.50 for stores from Messrs P.A.G. & J.E.G. Brewer of St. Merryn, Padstow  
£61.00 for stores from Mr. R. Lyes of St. Keyne, Liskeard

### **Averages:**

Best store lambs	to	£68.50	av.	£66.00
Medium store lambs	to	£55.00		

## **SPECIAL BREEDING SHEEP SALE DATES 2017**

**19<sup>th</sup> July \* 23<sup>rd</sup> August \* 13<sup>th</sup> September \* 11<sup>th</sup> October**

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

**TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE – 10AM**

***Licences required by Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June – Entries to Ed Harris 01872 272722***

**WEDNESDAY NEXT 14<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

**LODGE & THOMAS**

**Will sell**

**10.00am**

**75 Rearing Calves**

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**10.00am**

**50 Dairy and Beef Cull Cows *followed by* 30 Prime Cattle &**

**200 Store Cattle and Suckler Cows and Calves**

**Inc. Special Dispersal Sale of 40+ Suckler Cows with Calves at foot & Bull – *see below***

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**11.30am**

**450 Lambs, Cull Ewes and Store Sheep**

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**This Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June – STORE RING**

**Special Dispersal Sale of 40+ Suckler Cows with Calves at foot**

Comprising mixed continental x and native x cows with British Blue x or South Devon x calves born February onwards and running with South Devon bull. Plus for another vendor: 3 Hereford x Friesian 1<sup>st</sup> calving milky heifers with calves at foot (2 bulls & 1 heifer).

**Plus Full French Pedigree Limousin 2yo Breeding Bull**

out of Chytodden Helena, sire Lawrence Burthy Row

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**SUMMER POULTRY & SMALLHOLDERS SALE**

**SATURDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY @ TRURO MARKET**

**Rare & Pure Bred Poultry, Waterfowl, Game,  
Rabbits, Pigs, Eggs & Deadstock**

***Entry Forms from the Auctioneers or see [www.lodgeandthomas.co.uk](http://www.lodgeandthomas.co.uk)***

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**TACK & ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT AUCTION**

**FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 6.30PM @ TRURO MARKET**

***Entry Forms online or from the Auctioneers. Viewing from 5.30pm on sale day.***