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**WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET**  
**CATTLE**

**51 Cattle** Good butchery type cattle sold to a premium with commercial cattle facing more selective buying with lean or overfat cattle heavily discounted. Wholesalers and butchers reporting huge volumes of boxed beef available, causing trade to be suppressed. Holstein steers 128.50pkg, British Blue X heifers 215.50, 214.50, 211.50pkg, Limousin X steers sold to 218.50, 216.50, 212.50pkg, Limousin X heifers 211.50pkg. Charolais X heifers sold to £1,110 from J W G Dunt & Sons, Limousin X steers sold to £1,290 from L S Carr and £1,226 from Hagag Ltd. Limousin X heifers sold to £1,192 from A Watts and £1,146 from Hagag Ltd. British Blue X heifers sold to £1,273 from East Anglian Trailers and £1,259 from H P Smith & Sons. Simmental X heifers sold to £1,153 from H P Smith & Sons.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>13 STEERS av 171.94pkg</b>						
4 Light 370-550kg	218.50	179.12	Hagag Ltd	C J Byford & Son	1,162.42	959.62
8 Medium 551-650kg	216.50	176.46	L S Carr	H G Blake	1,290.34	1,043.30
1 Heavy 651kg+	117.50	117.50	A Watts	R Lennox & Son	793.13	793.13
<b>38 HEIFERS av 183.51pkg</b>						
12 Light 330-500kg	214.50	166.78	S G Grover & Sons	C J Byford & Son	1,048.91	787.63
19 Medium 501-590kg	214.50	189.69	A Watts	H G Blake	1,192.62	1,038.38
7 Heavy 591kg+	215.50	190.64	East Anglian Trailers Ltd	H G Blake	1,273.61	1,169.45
<b>12 AOTM</b> Sold to a firm enquiry. Limousin X cows sold to £1,393, Simmental X heifers sold to £1,115.						
6 Beef Cows	163.50	125.41	East Anglian Trailers Ltd	G P Watson	1,393.02	936.01
5 Heifers	166.50	143.03	R C Lock	R Lennox & Son	1,115.55	913.94
1 Bull	98.50	98.50	Land Management Services	H G Blake	838.24	838.24

**34 STORES** Good company of buyers present to compete for a small entry forward, more cattle could easily have been sold. British Blue X heifers £890, 24m/o. Red Poll heifers £530, 10m/o. Beef Shorthorn steers £930, 20m/o. Simmental X steers £660, 14m/o. Limousin feeding bull £740, 10m/o.

**NEXT STORE SALE**  
**25 JUNE 2019**  
**ENTRIES NOW INVITED**

## S H E E P

**508 Sheep and 6 Goats** New Season lambs sold to a good trade for well finished lambs, light and poor conformation lambs discounted. Suffolk X lambs sold to £110, 229pkg, 225pkg. Charollais X lambs sold to £108, £107, 235pkg, 233pkg. Texel X lambs sold to £111, 262pkg, 264pkg. Old Season lambs continue to sell well to average 180pkg. Texel X hogs sold to £90, 185pkg. Blue Texel hogs sold to £96, 200pkg. Suffolk X hogs sold to £86, 180pkg.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>133 OLD SEASON LAMBS av 176.73pkg</b>					
1 Light 25.5-32kg	159	Lucy Wood	159.00	51.00	51.00
25 Standard 32.1-39kg	200	Lucy Wood	171.26	74.00	63.16
56 Medium 39.1-45kg	200	Lucy Wood	184.49	86.00	78.61
51 Heavy 45.6 kg+	200	Lucy Wood	179.50	96.00	87.15
<b>268 NEW SEASON LAMBS av 222.42pkg</b>					
12 Light 25.5-32kg	263	T L Hanmer	216.23	84.00	66.60
58 Standard 32.1-39kg	244	T L Hanmer	220.53	92.00	80.55
180 Medium 39.1-45kg	241	M Wilkin	223.20	102.50	93.84
18 Heavy 45.6 kg+	230	J F Revett	216.52	118.00	104.06
<b>57 EWES</b> Fat ewes and plain ewes more difficult but good meated ewes keenly sought. Suffolk ewes £70, Texel ewes £75, £70.					
<b>5 RAMS</b> Charollais ram £65.					
<b>39 STORE HOGGS</b> Plain lambs forward, limited demand sold to average £45.					
<b>6 MATURE SHEEP</b> Tup price 148pkg. Average 130.43pkg.					
<b>6 GOATS</b> Boer goat neutered billy sold to £75.					