

KNIGHTON MARKET REPORT & UPDATE



Friday 18th February 2022

Dear Sir/Madam

SALE OF STORE CATTLE (viz: Cull Cows, Steers, Heifers, Young Feeding Bulls, together with Store Hoggets on Friday 4th March 2022.

I write to invite your entries of Breeding Stock, Store Cattle & Young Feeding Bulls together with Store Hoggets for the above sale. Entries close **on Thursday 24th February 2022 at 5pm.**

Last Friday saw a very good trade on 510 store Hoggets, averaging up to £80.24 per head and selling to £112 per head for Texel X Hoggets. Full report inside.

The Store Cattle trade was also an excellent trade on all ages of cattle, Bulls averaged £1251, Steers averaged £1145 per head, and Heifers £1137. Many more are required for our next sale in March. Lloyd had a fantastic trade on the cull cows selling to £1370 to avg £902 per head.

Finished lambs and cull sheep are sold every Thursday and should be entered by 4pm on a Wednesday. Weighing from 7.30am sale at 10.00am. Last Thursday saw a spectacular trade of the week at Knighton for both Lambs and Cull Ewes with 10 buyers present. Keep up the numbers and we will continue to keep up the buying support.

Yours sincerely





Store Cattle – Friday 18th February 2022
 Auctioneers: Jenny Layton Mills 07867
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TYPE	No SOLD	AVGE/KG	MAX/KG	AVGE/HEAD	MAX/HEA D
STEERS	77	248.98	292.3	1145.13	1480.00
HEIFERS	103	237.71	264.4	1136.41	1445.00
BULLS	17	257.35	311.10	1251.18	1305.00
COW	20	147.99	186.00	902.00	1370.00

STEERS

KG	PPK	GROSS £	BREED	VENDOR
275	263.60	725.00	LIM X	C EVANS & SON
300	286.70	860.00	LIM X	ARP & DR WILSON
370	258.10	955.00	SIM X	LR DREW & SONS
390	292.30	1140.00	LIMX	ARP & DR WILSON
440	271.60	1195.00	LIM X	GEORGE W GRIFFITHS
455	271.40	1235.00	CHAR X	R & W DUGGAN & SON
475	275.80	1310.00	LIM X	GEORGE W GRIFFITHS
480	271.90	1305.00	CHAR X	P R PRICE & SON
510	252.90	1290.00	LIM X	R & W DUGGAN & SON
520	253.80	1320.00	CHAR X	R & W DUGGAN & SON
535	260.70	1395.00	LIM X	SB OWEN & CO
555	252.30	1400.00	CHAR X	H C DAVIES
560	249.10	1395.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO
570	244.70	1395.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO
630	234.10	1475.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO
650	227.70	1480.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO

HEIFERS

395	255.70	1010.00	SIM X	LR DREW & SONS
440	250.00	1100.00	CHAR X	GKE & LA REES & SON
450	264.40	1190.00	BRB X	DW LEWIS & SON
495	261.60	1295.00	LIM X	DAVIES & CO
505	256.40	1295.00	CHAR X	JM JONES & SON
525	243.80	1280.00	LIM X	SB OWEN & CO
530	259.40	1375.00	LIM X	DAVIES & CO
535	261.70	1400.00	BRB X	EH BENNETT & SONS
540	258.30	1395.00	LIM X	DM WILDING
555	235.10	1305.00	CHAR X	JM JONES & SON
580	239.70	1390.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO
620	228.20	1415.00	CHAR X	SB OWEN & CO
645	224.00	1445.00	CHAR X	JM JONES & SON

BULLS

KG	PPK	GROSS £	BREED	VENDOR
405	311.1	1260.00	CHAR X	T W JONES & SON
450	280.00	1260.00	LIM X	D J & R G MATHIAS
475	271.60	1290.00	LIM X	D J & R G MATHIAS
495	263.60	1305.00	LIM X	D J & R G MATHIAS
550	227.30	1250.00	CHAR X	E S JONES & SON

Auctioneer's comment:

What another fantastic sale at Knighton. The Young Feeding Bulls started the stores with a real atmosphere with extra purchasers present. Bulls averaged an amazing £1251 per head selling to £1305 for 2 Limousin X Bulls (475kg) from DJ & R G Mathias. Top price per kilo was 311.1ppk for a 405kg Charolais Bull from TW Jones & Son. We have the buyers at Knighton for Young Feeding Bulls every sale.

Store Steers were every bit as good with an overall average of £1145 which included several smaller plainer sorts. Top price per head was £1480 for 2 650kg Charolais X Steers (16m) from a tremendous run from SB Owen & Co. The top 10 Steers were all over £1395 per head. Yearling Steers with shape also a tremendous trade but lacking in numbers today on these sorts.

Store Heifers averaged £1137 per head selling to £1445 for a 20m Charolais Heifer (645kg) from JM Jones & Son. The top 10 Heifers were all £1380 per head.

We require a good entry for the two sales in March on Friday 4th and Friday 18th. We already have some good entries to hand.



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Cull Cows – Friday 18th February 2022
Auctioneer – Lloyd Humphreys 07534 532468

KG	PPK	GROSS £	BREED	VENDOR
540	151.90	820.00	SIM X	DW LEWIS & SON
555	163.10	905.00	BLONDE X	DW LEWIS & SON
575	143.50	825.00	LIM X	DW LEWIS & SON
600	159.20	955.00	SIM X	DW LEWIS & SON
625	186.00	1165.00	LIM X	DAVIES & CO
635	166.90	1060.00	LIM X	DAVEIS & CO
675	160.70	1085.00	WBLK	JW WATKINS & SON
715	157.30	1125.00	WBLK	JW WATKINS & SON
735	176.20	1295.00	BLONDE X	DW LEWIS & SON
745	183.90	1370.00	LIM X	SO & JO ALMAN

Auctioneer's comments:

The cull trade was excellent with 5 buyers bidding up well for those on offer. 20 Cull cows averaged £150.99ppk, selling to £186ppk for a 625kg Limousin X Cow (£1165) from Davies & Co. Average per head was £902 to £1370 for a 745kg Limousin X Cow from SO & JO Alman.

Next sale of Cull Cows to be held on Friday 18th March 2022. Take advantage of the trade and enter your barren cows **before 5pm on 10th March 2022.** Contact Lloyd Humphries on 07534 532468.

TYPE	No SOLD	AVGE/ HEAD	MAX/ HEAD	VENDOR
MIXED HOGGETS	255	£85.00	£112.00	JE & DJ MORRIS
EWE HOGGETS	75	£63.25	£96.50	SDA RUELL & SONS
RAM HOGGETS	96	£68.03	£108.50	N & L JONES
OVERALL AVERAGE	510	£80.24		

MIXED HOGGETS

VENDOR	TOP PRICE PER HEAD
JE & DJ MORRIS	£112.00
S ROWBERRY	£106.00
J W WATKINS & SON	£104.00
JE & DJ MORRIS	£102.00
S ROWBERRY	£99.00

EWE HOGGETS

VENDOR	TOP PRICE PER HEAD
SDA RUELL & SONS	£96.50
S & F JONES	£88.00
S & F JONES	£79.50
MARK HASLAM	£75.50
SDA RUELL & SONS	£68.50

RAM HOGGETS

VENDOR	TOP PRICE PER HEAD
N & L JONES	£108.50
JE & DJ MORRIS	£102.00
SDA RUELL & SONS	£95.00
N & L JONES	£89.00
RB PUGH	£82.50

Auctioneers Comments:

510 Store Hoggets averaged £80.24 per head selling to £112 per head for Texel X Hoggets from JE & DJ Morris. Also to £108.50 for Texel X Tup tegs from N & L Jones. Mules topping at £99 from S Rowberry. Hill bred hoggets topping at £82.50 from RB Pugh. A very pleasing trade overall after a harder week in the finished ring. The majority of sheep on offer are now real stores and smaller as shown by the averages of the ewe and ram hoggets. Overall large lambs £95 plus, mediums £80 to £94, smalls £70 plus. Why travel your stores from Mid Wales when this trade is on your door step. 10 purchases in attendance.

Next sale of store hoggets and in-lamb ewes/hoggs is **Friday 4th March 2022. Catalogue entries close Thursday 24th February at 5pm.** A very good entry to hand so far.



Contact us on: Knighton 01547 528621 or jml@mccartneys.co.uk.
Jenny Layton Mills 07867 522859
Katie Davies 07817 474241
Lloyd Humphreys 07534 532468
Glyn Owens 07970 160898,





FORTHCOMING SALES

EVERY THURSDAY

Weekly sale of Prime Hoggets and Cull Ewes.

Weighing from 7.30am.

Sale at 10am

FRIDAY 4th MARCH 2022

Sale of Cull Cows, Young Feeding Bulls, Store Cattle, Store Hoggets & In-lamb Ewes.

Entries close Thursday 24th February at 5pm.

TUESDAY 8TH MARCH 2022

Sale TB Restricted Store Cattle (Orange Market).

Cattle from Wales & England can be sold to Welsh & English AFU's.

Entries close Monday 25th February at 5pm.

FRIDAY 18TH MARCH 2022

Sale of Cull Cows, Young Feeding Bulls, Store Cattle, Store Hoggets & In-lamb Ewes.

Entries close Thursday 10th March at 5pm.

Vendors: Weigh in from 7.30am and Sale at 10am Please prior book in livestock ASAP and by 2pm Wednesday at the latest with Auctioneers Jenny Layton Mills / Katie Davies so that we can inform buyers of what we will have to sell. Please call/text Jenny on 07867 522859 or Katie on 07817 474241

For up to date Coronavirus advice please visit www.mccartneys.co.uk
LORRY WASH £3 - UNLESS WE GET TOLD THAT YOU ARE NOT WASHING
WHEN YOU BRING LIVESTOCK IN, YOU WILL BE CHARGED. PLEASE WRITE
'HOMEWASH' ON YOUR GREEN FORM IF YOU ARE WASHING AT HOME

FODDER SALES

FRIDAY 18TH MARCH 2022

Entries close Monday 14th March at 12 noon.

Knighton Market Cattle Sales SPRING 2022

Store Cattle, Feeding Bulls & Breeding Stock	Catalogue entries closing date
Friday 4 th March	Thursday 24 th February at 5pm
Friday 18 th March	Thursday 10 th March at 5pm
Friday 1 st April	Thursday 24 th March at 5pm
Friday 15 th April Spring Prize Show & Sale	Thursday 7 th April at 5pm
Friday 6 th May	Thursday 28 th April at 5pm
Friday 20 th May Prize Show & Sale of Young Feeding Bulls	Thursday 12 th May at 5pm

Cull Cows	Catalogue entries closing date
Friday 18 th March	Thursday 10 th March at 5pm
Friday 15 th April	Thursday 7 th April at 5pm
Friday 20 th May	Thursday 12 th May at 5pm

TB Restricted Sales - Orange Market	Catalogue entries closing date
Tuesday 8 th March	Monday 28 th February at 5pm
Tuesday 3 rd May	Monday 25 th April at 5pm

Enquiries/Entries to Knighton Office **01547 528621** or the auctioneer

Store Cattle: Jenny Layton Mills 07867 522859

or Katie Davies **07817 474241**

Cull Cows: Lloyd Humphreys 07534 532468

TB Restricted store cattle: Katie Davies 07817 474241



Knighton Market

SPRING 2022 Store & Breeding Sheep Sales

Store Hoggets & In-Lamb Ewes	Catalogue entries closing date
Friday 4 th March	Thursday 24 th February at 5pm
Friday 18 th March	Thursday 10 th March at 5pm
Friday 1 st April	Thursday 24 th March at 5pm
Friday 15 th April	Thursday 7 th April at 5pm

Hoggs/Ewes & Lambs at foot	Catalogue entries closing date
Friday 20 th May including Prize Show & Sale of Hoggs & Lambs	Thursday 12 th May at 5pm
Friday 3 rd June	Thursday 26 th May at 5pm
Friday 17 th June	Thursday 9 th June at 5pm

Fodder Sales

	Catalogue entries closing date
Friday 18 th March	Monday 14 th March at 12 noon

Enquiries/Entries to Knighton Office **01547 528621** or the auctioneer
Store Sheep: Katie Davies 07817 474241

Breeding Sheep: Katie Davies 07817 474241 / Jenny Layton Mills 07867 522859

Fodder: Lloyd Humphreys 07534 532468 / Glyn Owens 01547 528621



COMPENSATION & RIGHTS OVER LAND PROFESSIONAL WORK

Does a utility company/ wind farm developer want access to your land?

If a company such as Severn Trent, Welsh Water, Network Rail, Western Power, National Grid or a Wind Farm Development Company want access to your land, it is important that you secure the compensation, and assurances that you are entitled to.

Our team will support you through the entire process. Appointing us ensures that you are represented by a suitably qualified and experienced agent to protect your interest. We will be with you from agreeing entry and minimising the effects of the work on your land, negotiating compensation and ensuring your land is reinstated as it should be. Generally utility companies are obliged to pay agent's fees.

If you get offered payment – ALWAYS CHECK WITH US FIRST!

For experienced advice call your local McCartneys Rural agent:
Knighton Office: Glyn Owens / Jenny Layton Mills / Katie Davies / Ella Harris

Tel: 01547 528621 or Email: jml@mccartneys.co.uk /
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ENGLAND – COUNTRYSIDE STEWARDSHIP SCHEME

Applications now open!

Mid-Tier open until end of July 2022.

Capital Grants (inc: water, hedgerows & boundary items) now open.

DEFRA has announced an increase in payments rates for many Mid-Tier options.

For example, payments for GS5 Permanent grassland with very low inputs in SDAs increased from £16 to £71; GS2 Permanent grassland with very low inputs (outside SDAs) from £95 to £132; GS4 Legume and herb-rich swards from £309 to £358; HS1 Maintenance of Weatherproof Traditional Farm Buildings from £3.25 to £4.03 and SW1 4-6m buffer strip on cultivated land from £353 to £419.

These increases are relevant not only to the forthcoming 2023 agreements but to existing agreements with effect from 1st January 2022. A list of the revised payment rates can be found on Gov.UK. For those who have not yet engaged with Countryside Stewardship, especially Mid-Tier, we urge you to re-consider. For further information please contact Katie Davies or Ella Harris on 01547 528621.

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