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THAME FARMERS AUCTION MART LTD

Deadweight – Week ending 10th June

Stock sold: 209 Cattle & 379 New Season Lambs

Top Prices/Head

Clean Steer	£1935	Beef Cow	£1765
Clean Heifer	£1828	Dairy	£1573
Young Bull	£1840	OTM Clean Steer	£1782
		OTM Clean Heifer	£1696

****Please book in stock by Thursday tea time so we can ensure with our best endeavours that they move the following week****

Clean Cattle (162)

A few more placed this week with a few consignments off grass coming forward. Processors all keen for supplies but not yet lifting pricing. Some reports of a build-up of steak meat and more boxed meat on the wholesale market. Mince & burger meat in strong demand - hence the strong cow price. Irish price is above that of ours at present with Europe now a more valuable market than ours post-Brexit and retail prices rising faster abroad than here. Commercial R grades 440-445p/kg. Young bulls to 435p/kg. Beef Shorthorns to 470p/kg. Aberdeen Angus 450-455p/kg and best heifers to 450p/kg. A large number of dairy Blue crosses placed this week. A better lot of heifers placed with a weighted O+ Angus taking top spot.

If you have stock you would like us to view or for up-to-date information please give us a call – Daniel Slade (07815 495210) & Martin Baylis (07966 437115). We would like to thank our valued customers for their continued support as we endeavour to achieve the best returns for you from the 9 abattoirs we supply.

Top 10 Steers

£1935	Aberdeen Angus	R4L	£1868	Aberdeen Angus	O+4L
£1913	South Devon	R3	£1848	Beef Shorthorn	R4L
£1908	Aberdeen Angus	R3	£1848	British Blue	R3
£1899	Aberdeen Angus	R3	£1843	Aberdeen Angus	R4L
£1892	British Blue	R3	£1830	Charolais	U-4-

Top 10 Heifers

£1828	Aberdeen Angus	O+4L	£1689	Charolais	U+4+
£1806	British Blue	R3	£1647	Aberdeen Angus	R4L
£1785	South Devon	E2	£1612	Aberdeen Angus	R4H
£1764	Charolais	U=4=	£1608	Charolais	R+4-
£1754	Aberdeen Angus	R4L	£1549	Charolais	U-4=

Top 5 Young Bulls

£1840	Salers	U-3=	£1788	South Devon	-U3
£1802	Salers	R=3-	£1770	Salers	R=3+
£1793	Salers	R+3=			

	Commercial Steers/Heifers	Aberdeen Angus	Young Bulls U16M	Beef Shorthorns	Best Heifers	Natives Excluding Hereford
U+ to	460p		455p		470p	
-U to	450p	465p	445p	480p	460p	455p
R to	440p	455p	435p	470p	450p	445p
O+ to	425p	440p	420p	455p		430p
-O to	415p					

OTM Clean/Mature Bulls, Barren Cows (45)

Cow numbers still tight and trade strong with producers delighted with their returns. Top of the tree this week a O+4H Beef Shorthorn at £1765. Other natives saw Herefords to £1703 & £1573, Devon's to £1578 & £1544. Simmentals to £1737 for -U3 & £1589 for R4L's. Charolais to £1656 & £1597. Dairy cows top at £1573 for -O3 with others to £1565, £1501 & £1456. Dairy cows a wanted commodity for clean mince with -O1 to 4L's at 390p/kg, P+1 to R4L's at 380p/kg. OTM clean the stars of the show this week with grazed Holstein steers to £1782, £1746, £1732, £1720 & £1705. R3 Blues to £1750. Heifers to £1696 for O+4L Charolais with Aberdeen Angus to £1675.

	Best Fed Beef Cows	Commercial Cows	Mature Bulls	Aberdeen Angus
U+	410p		290p	
-U	405p		280p	455p
R	400p	400p	275p	445p
O+	395p	385p		435p
-O		390p		
P+		380p		

Spring Lambs (379)

The end of the hogget season is approaching, if you have hogs to sell please get in touch and check their teeth. Spring lambs coming on stream, R grades to 700p/kg. Please book in lambs by Thursday lunch time or let us know you intend to draw.

- Please order ear tags allowing plenty of time for them to arrive before your stock goes.
- All stock should have two ear tags on leaving the farm - if they have one and loose one that equals none and that equals the bin
- Please ensure stock is ready to load before lorries arrive it is not fair to have drivers waiting making them late for next collections.
- To comply with the Welfare of Animals in Transport Act any un-sound stock will require a vet certificate before loading.
- **Young bulls must be 12 months + one day of age.**