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THAME FARMERS AUCTION MART LTD

Wednesday 22nd June

Auctioneer: Simon Draper

Prime Lambs – 606 forward

SQQ – 298.92 Lambs to 322p/kg & £140.00 Market average £123.97

A run of mainly Continental medium weight lambs this week 40 to 44kgs topped at 322p/kg for Texel x from M/s Sabine at 41 ½ kgs. Leach Farms sold Beltex x 42 ½ at 318p/kg with M/s Checkley taking 318p/kg also for 39kgs. M/s Mole sold to £140.00 along with Leach Farms for two pens.

Weight	Nos	Ave (p/kg)	Top (p/kg)
LAMBS (32.1-39)	73	295.51	318.00
LAMBS (33.1-45.5)	523	299.36	322.00
LAMBS (45.6-52)	3	280.00	286.00
LAMBS (52+)	7	277.59	295.00



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Wednesday 15th June

Auctioneer: Daniel Slade

Prime Lambs – 494 forward

SQQ – 298.4p/kg Lambs to 322p/kg & £142.00

A more difficult days trading with prices coming back quickly through the week. Despite this an acceptable sqq was achieved compared to other Wednesday centres. A good offering of lambs forward with tight skinned continental lambs achieving premiums trading in the 315-320p bracket with a top of 322p/kg for 39.5kgs from Messrs Sabine closely followed by Cradle Farms at 321p/kg.

D & B Cox topped the £/head at £142.00 with Messrs Gurney and Messrs Newell at £138.00 and Seabrook Partners at £135.00. A few runs of lighter lambs penned with vendors trying to catch the trade. Going forward meat and weight will be wanted.

Prime Hoggs – 814 Forward

Hoggs to 270p/kg & £146.00

They just keep coming! Weighted hoggets (over 50kg) a wanted commodity trading £135-140/head to a top of £146.00 for R & R Farms. Lighter Hoggs proved harder to sell with only best shaped and fleshed wanted. Selling to a top of 270p/kg for 48kg Charollais types. With the festival of EID approaching, we may have a few more weeks to clear last years crop.

Cull Ewes – 33 Forward

To a top of £117.00 from the Grace family with Derek Barlow to £112.00 for Beltex. Suffolk from R & R Farms to £112.00.

Weight	Nos	Ave (p/kg)	Top (p/kg)
LAMBS (32.1-39)	159	294.67	321.00
LAMBS (33.1-45.5)	335	300.01	322.00
LAMBS (45.6-52)	11	263.88	300.00
LAMBS (52+)	20	291.27	300.00
HOGGS (32.1-39)	4	213.33	213.00
HOGGS (39.1-45.5)	161	213.48	213.00
HOGGS (45.6-52)	275	252.20	270.00
HOGGS (52+)	338	236.87	258.00



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Wednesday 8th June

Auctioneer: Simon Draper

Prime Hogs – 1183 Forward

SQQ – 287.14p/kg Hogs to 306p/kg & £174.50 Market Average £139.19

Strong demand for hogs again this week with the heavy and overweights finding most favour regardless of teeth. 62 ½ kg Continental x hogs topped at £174.50, Beltex x £173.00 and £162.00. 50kgs sold to £153.00 and £152.00 for Beltex x. A pen of 30 Beltex x 43 ½ kgs at £137.50 and 44kgs at £135.00.

Prime Lambs – 350

SQQ – 336.87p/kg Lambs to 365p/kg & £165.00 Market Average £139.33

More heavy lambs than others today finding a strong trade for all including the grass-fed sorts with a top of £165.00 per head for 48kgs. 44kg Texel x sold to £160.00 and 364p/kg while smart handy weights sold to 365p/kg at 37kgs.

Cull Ewes

A stronger trade than previously topping at £179.00 for Continental x with leaner Suffolks to £135.00.

Weight	Nos	Ave (p/kg)	Top (p/kg)
LAMBS (32.1-39)	59	347.41	365.00
LAMBS (33.1-45.5)	273	334.79	364.00
LAMBS (45.6-52)	18	338.15	344.00
HOGGS (32.1-39)	9	212.24	243.00
HOGGS (39.1-45.5)	218	289.78	316.00
HOGGS (45.6-52)	634	279.11	306.00
HOGGS (52+)	322	263.77	296.00



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Wednesday 1st June

Auctioneer: Simon Draper

Prime Hoggs – 1647 Forward

SQQ – 272.4p/kg Hoggs to 300p/kg & £158.00 Market Average £137.90

Heavy and over weight hoggs in most demand today selling to £158.00 for 58kgs, 272p/kg 50 to 52kg regularly sold at £150.00. 46kg Beltex x sold at 300 and 293p/kg, £138.00 and £135.00 per head.

Prime Lambs – 245

A lamb SQQ of 316p/kg very reflective of the show of lambs on offer, plenty of lambs this week lacking the finish. Proper finished lambs a proper trade, M/s G D Swerling & Son sold Texel x Suffolks at 348p/kg or £146.00 slightly ahead of Mr Barry Cooper with Texel Mules at 344p/kg. Continental lambs 300p/kg plus. More lambs needed in coming weeks as the firms switch from the hoggs to lambs.

Cull Ewes

Very fat Texels to £130.00 with the half meat Suffolks to £120.00, fat Mules to £100.00 and plenty of very lean sheep £60-80.00.

Weight	Nos	Ave (p/kg)	Top (p/kg)
LAMBS (32.1-39)	66	317.37	341.00
LAMBS (33.1-45.5)	167	315.84	348.00
LAMBS (45.6-52)	3	275.73	276.00
LAMBS (52+)	9	310.00	310.00
HOGGS (32.1-39)	20	260.00	260.00
HOGGS (39.1-45.5)	76	276.71	283.00
HOGGS (45.6-52)	661	276.54	300.00
HOGGS (52+)	524	253.33	280.00

Exempt Cattle - 64 Forward

A short notice sale of end of yard cattle sold on a strong trade for those carrying flesh. M/s J H Tapping & Son topped the day at £1595.00 for a Limousin x steer, 26 months and others to £1380.00. Marsh Hill Farms Ltd sold their Aberdeen Angus x to £1470.00, £1460.00, £1420.00 and £1400.00. Simmental x from C D Sellar & Sons sold to £1440.00 at 24 months. 15-month South Devon x sold to £1330.00. Heifers sold to £1250.00 for Bazadaise x 22 months. Simmental x from M/s Sellar sold to £1215.00 & £1160.00.

	NOS	AV PRICE (PR/HD)	MAX PRICE (PR/HD)	BREED
STEERS	53	1261.51	1595.00	LIMOUSIN
HEIFERS	10	1060.00	1250.00	BAZADAISE