

TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

Wednesday 12th August 2026



MARKET ENTRIES: Please pre-enter stock by Tuesday 3.30pm

PHONE : 01872 272722

TEXT: (Your name & stock numbers)

Cattle/Calves: 07889 600160 **Sheep:** 07977 662443

This week's £10 draw winner: Messrs L Wherry & Son of Sancreed, Penzance

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Report an entry of **30** UTM & OTM prime cattle; **23** cull cows; **130** store cattle; **75** rearing and weaned calves, and **291** lambs, cull ewes and store sheep

HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK

Each Wednesday the highest price prime steer/heifer sold p/kg will be commission free

PRIME CATTLE - Auctioneer – Andrew Body

The Prime Cattle trade continues to hold strong, with the best of the entry looking very well sold. Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell back again this week with a super pair of Limousins; his 706kg animal topping the steers at **400p/kg (£2,824)** and his 717kg animal topping the heifers at **399p/kg** and top pounds-per-head of **£2,861**. Messrs D L & A L Hooper of Probus, Truro saw their pair of Limousin heifers away at **368p/kg (£2,028)** and **366p/kg (£2,148)**. A smart 667kg Charolais steer from Messrs F T & F M Johns of Cury, Helston parted away at **364p/kg (£2,428)**, another Limousin heifer from Messrs Hooper at **357p/kg** and a good Blue steer from Messrs J F & K L Worden of Breage, Helston sold at **355p/kg (£2,190)**. Messrs Johns were back in the ring next with their Charolais steer at **353p/kg (£2,245)**, another Limousin heifer from Messrs Hooper at **350p/kg**, a South Devon heifer from Mr R T Lobb of St Ewe, St Austell at **350p/kg** and a run of 10 good cattle from Mr G W Coon of Mevagissey, St Austell topped at **348p/kg** for his best Angus steer.

Steers - Top Prices

Limousin x to 400p (562kg) for Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell
Charolais x to 364p (667kg) for Messrs F T & F M Johns of Cury, Helston
British Blue x to 355p (617kg) for Messrs R, N W G & P J Worden of Gunwalloe, Helston
Charolais x to 353p (636kg) for Messrs F T & F M Johns of Cury, Helston
Aberdeen Angus x to 348p (619kg) for Mr G W Coon of Mevagissey, St Austell

Heifers - Top Prices

Limousin x to 399p (717kg) for Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell
Limousin x to 368p (551kg) for Messrs D L & A L Hooper of Probus, Truro
Limousin x to 366p (587kg) for Messrs D L & A L Hooper of Probus, Truro
Limousin x to 357p (586kg) for Messrs D L & A L Hooper of Probus, Truro
Limousin x to 350p (552kg) for Messrs D L & A L Hooper of Probus, Truro
South Devon x to 350p (582kg) for Mr R T Lobb of St Ewe, St Austell

Truro Steers

Premium to 400.0p/kg

Prime to 364.0p/kg av. 341.8p/kg

All Steers av. 343.8p/kg

Truro Heifers

Premium to 399.0p/kg

Prime to 368.0p/kg av. 353.2p/kg

All Heifers av. 355.3p/kg



CULL COWS – Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A good entry of 21 through the cull section this week, to a top of **322p/kg** for a young Friesian cow from McCardell & Thompson Ltd of Summercourt, Newquay, followed by a Charolais cow from Messrs E, M & S Beale of Porthtowan, Truro at **290p/kg (£2,166)** and a Charolais cow from Mr K R Williams of Tehidy, Camborne sold away at **278p/kg (£2,155)**. Mr D G Kitchen of Nancegollan, Helston was next in the ring with his Simmental cow at **275p/kg (£2,071)**, followed by a Salers cow from Messrs E V Hosking & Son of Laity, Wendron at **265p/kg**, a Salers cow from Messrs Beale realised **260p/kg (£2,122)**, another Simmental from Mr Kitchen at **259p/kg (£2,194)** and an Angus cow from Messrs S & L Awdry of Ladock, Truro at **255p/kg**. Further dairy types to **257p/kg** for a Friesian cow from Messrs K & M Ferris of Gunwalloe, Helston, a cow-aged Friesian steer from Mr G W Coon of Mevagissey, St Austell of Mevagissey at 252p/kg and a Friesian from Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston at **228p/kg**.

Beef Types

Charolais x to 290p (747kg) for McCardell & Thompson Ltd of Summercourt, Newquay
 Charolais x to 278p (775kg) for Mr K R Williams of Tehidy, Camborne
 Simmental x to 275p (753kg) for Mr D G Kitchen of Nancegollan, Helston
 Salers x to 265p (697kg) for Messrs E V Hosking & Son of Laity, Helston
 Salers x to 260p (816kg) for Messrs E, M & S Beale of Porthtowan, Truro
 Simmental x to 259p (847kg) for Mr D G Kitchen of Nancegollan, Helston

Dairy Types

Friesian to 322p (685kg) for McCardell & Thompson Ltd of Summercourt, Newquay
 Friesian to 257p (686kg) Messrs K & M Ferris of Gunwalloe, Helston
 Friesian to 252p (778kg) for Mr G W Coon of Mevagissey, St Austell
 Friesian to 228p (818kg) Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston

Beef Types to 290.0p/kg av. 262.5p/kg Dairy Types to 322.0p/kg av. 215.7p/kg

STORE CATTLE - Auctioneer – Patrick Dennis

A stand on trade saw steers top at **£2125** for 6 strong Aberdeen Angus in from Messrs W W James & Sons of Sancreed, Penzance, followed by 2yo Limousins from Messrs T A & M A Wills of St Erme, Truro achieving **£1980** and **£1785**. R M Farming Co of Sticker, St Austell sold a single 25mo Hereford steer to **£1835**, whilst Dunstan Farming of Mabe, Penryn sold a 27mo Blue to **£1700**. Steers from Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter of Helston achieved **£1690** and **£1600**, whilst Mr B Cowell of Helston sold smart 16mo Simmental steers to **£1630** and **£1400**. Best of the young steers in from Messrs A R & T S Hooper of Shortlanesend, Truro with a 1yo Angus achieving **£1265** and **£1225**, whilst a single 8mo Simmental from Messrs R A F, R M & R A Roberts of Gweek, Helston parted the way at **£1195**. Heifers topping at **£1765** on behalf of Messrs T A & A M Wills followed by a trio of 26mo Blues from Dunstan Farming at **£1580**. A trio of 21mo Blues from Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter sold to **£1410**, followed by Messrs H M, C S & M A Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston at **£1200**. Young heifers to **£1110** for a pair of 12mo Simmentals on behalf of Messrs R A F, R M & R A Roberts.

Steers

2yo

Aberdeen Angus x to £2125 for Messrs W W James & Sons of Sancreed, Penzance

Limousin x to £1980 for Messrs T A & A M Wills of St Erme, Truro

Hereford x to £1835 for R M Farming & Co of Sticker, St Austell

British Blue x to £1700 for Dunstan Farming of Mabe, Penryn

Charolais x to £1690 for Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter of The Lizard, Helston

Longhorn x to £1445 for Mr B Thomas of St Just, Penzance

1½yo

Simmental x to £1630 for Mr B Cowell of Wendron, Helston

Limousin x to £1600 for Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter of The Lizard, Helston

Aberdeen Angus x to £1400 for Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter of The Lizard, Helston

Hereford x to £1275 for R M Farming & Co of Sticker, St Austell

British Blue x to £1270 for Messrs H M, C S & M A Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston

Friesian x to £1045 for Messrs J & S Farms Ltd of Trewidden, Penzance

1yo

Aberdeen Angus x to £1265 for Messrs A R & T S Hooper of Shortlanesend, Truro

Simmental x to £1195 for Messrs R A F, R M & R A Roberts of Gweek, Helston

Devon x to £1045 for Mr R A Parkyn of St Merryn, Padstow

Heifers

2yo

Limousin x to £1765 for Messrs T A & A M Wills of St Erme, Truro

British Blue x to £1580 for Dunstan Farming of Mabe, Penryn

Hereford x to £990 for Messrs H M, C S & M A Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston

Hereford x to £840 for Messrs H M, C S & M A Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston

1½yo

British Blue x to £1410 for Messrs W H B Stevens & Daughter of The Lizard, Helston
Limousin x to £1200 for Messrs H M, C S & M A Rowe of Ruan Minor, Helston
Aberdeen Angus x to £1085 for Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel
Hereford x to £1080 for Messrs J & S Farms Ltd of Trewidden, Penzance
Friesian x to £850 for Messrs J & S Farms Ltd of Trewidden, Penzance
Devon x to £805 for Mr R A Parkyn of St Merryn, Padstow

1yo

Simmental x to £1110 for Messrs R A F, R M & R A Roberts of Gweek, Helston
British Blue x to £810 for Messrs A R & T S Hooper of Shortlanesend, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to £800 for Messrs A R & T S Hooper of Shortlanesend, Truro



Heifers to £1765 | *Steers to £1980*

— *for Messrs T A & A M Wills* —

CALVES – Auctioneer – Patrick Dennis & Will Biddick

Another storming calf trade, with the whole entry looking in strong demand. A run of thumping young month-old Limousin calves from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston topping the day at **£805 thrice** for bulls (pictured overleaf) and **£725 thrice** and **£695** for their heifers. Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro saw their 3 m.o Limousin bulls to **£675**, **£635** and **£530**, with a pair of young Simmental bulls from Messrs L W & S Hosken of St Keverne, Helston at **£630** and **£615**. Messrs Searle & Son of Rosudgeon, Penzance saw their young Angus bull away at **£525**, a young Blue bull from Messrs J A Sweet & Partners of St Newlyn East, Newquay at **£520** and another Simmental bull from Messrs Hosken at **£515**. Other young Limousin bulls to **£490** from Messrs C J & J E Colwell of Creed, Truro and the best Hereford bull of the day to **£400** for Wheal Plenty Farm Partners of Sinns Common, Redruth. Sixty Acres also well in the mix with their 3 m.o heifers at **£575** for a Blue and **£540** and **£520** for Limousins, Wheal Plenty Farm Partners with a month-old Hereford heifer at **£520** and younger Limousin heifers from Sixty Acres at **£520**, **£455** and **£435 twice**. A short run of older weaned calves topped at **£790** and **£770** for Blues from Sixty Acres, Mr N Warren of Withiel, Bodmin saw his pair of Simmental heifers away at **£600** and Angus heifers from Mr D R Hair of London Apprentice, St Austell at **£485 twice** and his Devon heifers at **£480 twice**.

Bulls

Limousin x to £805 (thrice) for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
Limousin x to £675 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £635 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Simmental x to £630 for Messrs L W & S Hosken of St Keverne, Helston
Simmental x to £615 for Messrs L W & S Hosken of St Keverne, Helston
Limousin x to £530 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Aberdeen Angus x to £525 for Messrs Searle & Son of Rosudgeon, Penzance
British Blue x to £520 for Messrs J A Sweet & Partners of St Newlyn East, Newquay

Heifers

Limousin x to £725 (thrice) for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
Limousin x to £695 for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
British Blue x to £575 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £540 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £520 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Hereford x to £520 for Wheal Plenty Farm Partnership of Sinns Common, Redruth
Limousin x to £520 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £455 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro

Male Weaned Calves

British Blue x to £790 (twice) for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
British Blue x to £770 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro

Female Weaned Calves

Simmental x to £600 (twice) for Mr N Warren of Withiel, Bodmin
Aberdeen Angus x to £485 (twice) for Mr D R Hair of London Apprentice, St Austell
Devon x to £480 (twice) for Mr D R Hair of London Apprentice, St Austell



Limousin x Bulls to £805

for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey

PRIME LAMBS - Auctioneer – Ed Harris

A mixed entry, and again the lightweight and lean lambs were less sought after in comparison to the fleshier fed lambs. A pair of **48.7kg** well-finished lambs from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge sold to **£176**, purchased by Stillmans Ltd of Taunton. Setting the premium at 382p/kg for a single Blue Texel x **43.2kg** lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston also purchased by Stillmans Ltd.

Leading Averages:

382p/kg for 43.20kg lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston
361p/kg for 48.70kg lambs from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge
347p/kg for 49.00kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
346p/kg for 46.50kg lambs from Messrs J Lenthall & Son of Winnards Perch, St Columb
341p/kg for 45.50kg lambs from Mr M J Brown of Camborne
341p/kg for 43.20kg lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston
331p/kg for 51.40kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
328p/kg for 49.10kg lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston
328p/kg for 50.30kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
324p/kg for 52.50kg lambs from Mr B Roth of Tolgus Mount, Redruth

Top Price Lambs:

£176.00 for 48.70kg lambs from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge
£170.00 for 51.40kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£170.00 for 49.00kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£170.00 for 52.50kg lambs from Mr B Roth of Tolgus Mount, Redruth
£165.00 for 53.50kg lambs from Mr J T Rowe of Lower Penponds, Camborne
£165.00 for 50.30kg lambs from Mr J A Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£165.00 for 43.20kg lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston
£161.00 for 49.10kg lambs from Mrs B Baxter of Porkellis, Helston
£161.00 for 46.50kg lambs from Messrs J Lenthall & Son of Winnards Perch, St Columb
£161.00 for 53.50kg lambs from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge

Averages

Medium (39.1kg - 45.5kg) to

382.0p/kg

av. 311.0p/kg

Heavy (45.6kg – 52kg) to

361.0p/kg

av. 316.0p/kg

Overweight (52kg +)

324.0p/kg

av. 289.5p/kg

SQQ lamb average

311.0p/kg



CULL EWES – Auctioneer – Ross Collins

Cull ewes remain in demand with four active buyers and many more could have been sold. Stronger, well-fleshed ewes were met with spirited bidding although few continentals forward. A strong run of Texel x ewes from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston topped at **£183** with further pens to **£181** and **£169**. A pen of Suffolks from the same vendor sold away at **£182**. Blue Texels from Messrs D W & N J Barker of St Mawgan, Newquay to **£175**. Crossbred ewes from Messrs G W & H E Hawkey of St Wenn, Bodmin to **£171**. A medium Charollais from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro to **£164**. Dutch Spotted to **£159** for Miss D Wade of St Agnes. Leaner Suffolk x Mules to **£140** for Mr B Bucknell of Newquay. A handful of rams forward, topping at **£190** for a FM Charollais from Mr G Nickells. A FM Texel ram from Mr C Crossley of Penhallow, Truro sold away to **£186**. A further Charollais shearling to **£170** for Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro. A single Suffolk x Mule 60kg hogg forward from Mrs D Wade selling to **£170 (283p/kg)**. ***Vendors are encouraged to market ewes and to please notify the Auctioneers of your entries in good time for next week.***

Ewes

£183.00 for ewes from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£182.00 for ewes from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£181.00 for ewes from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£175.00 for ewes from Messrs D W & N J Barker of St Mawgan, Newquay
£171.00 for ewes from Messrs G W & H E Hawkey of St Wenn, Bodmin
£169.00 for ewes from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston
£165.00 for ewes from Messrs C S Dustow & Son of Par, St Austell
£164.00 for ewes from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro

£190.00 for rams from Mr G Nickells of Four Lanes, Redruth
£186.00 for rams from Mr G Crossley of Penhallow, Truro
£170.00 for rams from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro



Averages

1st Quality Ewes to	£183.00	av. £165.50
2nd Quality Ewes to	£142.00	av. £140.00
3rd Quality Ewes to	£132.00	
Sheep (2T) to	£170.00	
Rams to	£190.00	av. £169.00

STORE SHEEP – Auctioneer – Nathan Osborne

Good numbers forward but many now showing the weather and certainly a higher proportion of leaner types. Stores topping at **£124** for a strong pair on behalf of Mr M Hill of Truro followed by smart lambs from Mr B Roth of Redruth. Mr T Watters of Carleen, Helston sold a good single to **£118** which was also achieved by Mr S Jones of Breage, Helston. **£115** achieved by lambs from Mr C Gummow of St Austell and Mr M Hill. Longer term store lambs now placing between **£70** and **£90**.

Store Lambs

£124.00 for lambs from Mr M Hill of Truro
£119.00 for lambs from Mr B Roth of Tolgus Mount, Redruth
£118.00 for lambs from Mr T Watters of Carleen, Helston
£118.00 for lambs from Mr S Jones of Breage, Helston
£115.00 for lambs from Mr C Gummow of St Stephen, St Austell
£115.00 for lambs from Mr M Hill of Truro
£114.00 for lambs from Mr N Shill from Carnkie, Redruth
£114.00 for lambs from Mr T Watters of Carleen, Helston
£113.00 for lambs from Mr R Gluyas of Stithians, Truro
£109.00 for lambs from Mr B Roth of Tolgus Mount, Redruth

NEXT BREEDING SHEEP SALE **Wednesday 2nd September**

Entries to date:

40 - 4T & 6T Charollais x
13 - 2T Zwartble x Texel
14 - 2T Roussin x Texel
20 - Flock age Texel x

***Further entries to the Auctioneers
for advertising to book pens***

Wednesday 19th August 2026

10.00am – Rearing Calves & Stirks

10.00am – Dairy & Beef Cull Cows *then* Prime Cattle

10.30am – Cull Ewes, Lambs & Store Sheep

11.15am Breeding Section *then* Store Cattle

Stores

4 Aberdeen Angus x steers & heifers 20-21 m.o

7 Aberdeen Angus x (5 steers, 2 heifers) 15-16 m.o

6 Friesian steers 24 m.o

20 Limousin x steers & heifers 16-17 m.o, suckler bred.



6 Aberdeen Angus x steers 21-24 m.o, FABBL

Timed Online Machinery & Collective Sale

Bidding from 9am Friday 11th to 2pm Saturday 19th September

Carthew Collective Sale

Saturday 19th September @ 10am

Antiques, Fine Art & Collectables Sale

Thursday 24th and Friday 25th September

First Suckled Calf Prize Sale

Wednesday 30th September



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ESTABLISHED 1892

PRIVATE TREATY FODDER

165 bales of wrapped round 2026 haylage

Drier type bales

St Columb area

Good access

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West Carn Cottage, Higher Tregajorran, Carn Brea, Redruth



A Enjoying enviable elevated position with far reaching country views over the surrounding area towards the West Penwith Hills and St Ives Bay, a detached extended cottage requiring a programme of refurbishment.

Guide Price - £475,000 Freehold

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