



NICK CHAMPION - FODDER SALE REPORT

10TH NOVEMBER 2016

Nick Champion Auctioneer reports a smaller entry of fodder than normal was on offer at the first collective sale of the winter held on Thursday 10th November 2016 at The Fountain Inn, Tenbury Wells.

Trade was much brisker than anticipated both on the best quality hay and on the straw, whilst second quality hay which is plentiful and silage/haylage was much harder to shift. Bidders were generally welsh dealers with very little local farmer interest due to the very dry autumn.

General prices as follows:

Seeds Hay

1st quality round bales sold at £17 from E H Handley & Son, Sutton.

2nd quality round bales sold at £6.

Meadow Hay

1st quality round bales sold from £15 to £18 from S J Tutchings, Bringsty to average £15.95.

2nd quality round bales sold from £5.50 (2015) to £13 to average £9.42.

Haylage

1st quality round bales seeds haylage sold at £20 from E H Handley & Sons, Sutton.

2nd quality round bales meadow haylage sold at £13.

Wheat Straw

Quadrant 2000 square bales sold at £20 from R W & P M Brown, Sutton.

Round bales sold from £8.25 (2015) to £12.50 from P R & A Basford, Kyre to average £10.00.

Spring Barley Straw

MF2250 4 string square bales sold at £16 from A D Dennis & Son, Upper Sapey.

Winter Barley Straw

Round bales sold at £12 from L Morley, Clifton on Teme

6' x 4 string square bales (2015) sold at £9.50.

NEXT SALE - THURSDAY 2ND FEBRUARY 2017