



## TENBURY SHEEP SALE REPORT – 15<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018

Nick Champion auctioneer reports that an entry of **1210 store sheep** were forward at the final monthly sale of the season at the Sale Field at Worcester Road, Burford, Tenbury Wells on Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Despite the wet weather there was again a large contingent of buyers in attendance, including some fresh faces, and trade was excellent in all sections for all types.

### 1127 Store Lambs

The entry as expected consisted of quite a number of tailender drafts which reflected on the overall average. Most of the choice farming lambs sold around £65 to £70 and stronger lambs from £70 to £80 for a pen of Suffolk x from W J Lewis & Son, Berrington. The small long term lambs sold from £47 to £60 with only really poor lambs from £15 to £43. Tup lambs sold from £43 to a top of £72.

General prices for mixed store lambs as follows:-

Texel x sold from	£32	to	£76	from R Corfield
Charollais x sold from	£20	to	£74	from N G Tong
Suffolk x sold from	£15	to	£80	from W J Lewis & Son
Welsh Mule sold from	£51	to	£62.50	from R Corfield
Herdwick x sold from	£25	to	£38	from M Graham
Shropshire x sold from	£66.50	to	£68.20	from A E Field & Son
Lley n x sold from	£58.20	to	£70	from L K & J L Gittins
Jacob x sold from	£30	to	£55.50	from Miss C Bray
Welsh x sold from	£42	to	£64.20	from Mrs D O Shorthouse

The overall average for the store lambs was £60.73.

### 83 Cull Ewes & Rams

A sharper trade with meatiest ewes selling up to £79.20 for Suffolk x, North Country Mules sold to £73, Welsh Mules sold to £58, Welsh at £26, Rams to £45.

The overall average was £53.69.