



SPALDING AUCTION

SPECIALIST SERVICES TO THE HORTICULTURAL AND FLORIST TRADE

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Market Report

FOR WEEK ENDING: 05/11/21

Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality

Pot & Garden Plants

A decent week for plant sales at the start of November, a month many buyers usually regard as "a dead rubber". Raw ingredients for artisanal projects feature highly, with Calluna Heathers, Calocephalus "bone plants" and Heucheras all well received as backing plants for Primroses and Pansies. A cracking collection of bare root fruit trees sees bidding battles erupting as buyers look for early planting selections for Spring. Pre-pack Roses continue to clear daily, due to reports of widespread shortages. Wallflowers clear with ease, even this late in the season. A wonderful array of planted troughs and tubs tickle the buyers' fancies.

Description	Per:	Average	-	Best
Blue Spruce	7Ltr	£11.00	-	£12.00
Calluna	10cm	£0.65	-	£1.00
Calocephalus	9cm	£0.45	-	£0.55
Cyclamen	13cm	£1.00	-	£1.50
Cyclamen Mini	9cm	£0.50	-	£0.80
Fruit Trees (Bare root)	Each	£5.50	-	£8.50
Hebe Variegated	13cm	£1.00	-	£1.50
Heuchera	9cm	£0.45	-	£0.65
Hyacinth (3's)	11cm	£1.50	-	£1.50
Ivy	9cm	£0.70	-	£0.80
Laurel	5Ltr	£5.00	-	£8.00
Pansy (Potted)	9cm	£0.25	-	£0.40
Pansy (Six Pack)	Pack	£0.50	-	£1.20
Planted Trough (Zinc)	Each	£3.00	-	£4.00
Primrose	10cm	£0.35	-	£0.45
Rose	10cm	£0.70	-	£0.80
Rose pre-pack	Each	£1.30	-	£1.60
Wallflowers	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.50

Cut Flowers

Flower sales begin to sizzle in the sun up to "Guy Fawkes night", with prices soaring as we reach midweek. The quality of local spray Chrysanthemums presented is superb, with dazzling price returns reflecting the hard work put in by growers. Best local bloom Chrysanthemums also return excellent prices all week. A super showing of Scabiosas inspires a hysterical bidding frenzy midweek, as buyers battle for a share of the spoils. Light pastel shades of Dahlias delight the buyers, inviting them to bid with abandon. A nice line of bunched Roses prove popular late on in the week, with strong prices despite a heavy entry.

Description	Per:	Average	-	Best
Bouquets	Bunch	£1.00	-	£2.00
Carnations Bloom	Bunch	£1.60	-	£2.40
Chrysanthemum Spray	Bunch	£0.90	-	£1.40
Dahlia	Bunch	£1.20	-	£1.60
Gladioli	Bunch	£0.70	-	£1.00
Lily L.A.	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.10
Rose	Bunch	£0.60	-	£1.00
Scabious	Bunch	£1.50	-	£2.50
Sunflower	Bunch	£0.50	-	£0.80

Fruit & Vegetables

Primo, Savoy and Tundra Cabbage all feature highly in buyers wish lists, but on the flipside Cauliflower and Romanesco fall out of favour. A superb sample of large eighty-millimetre plus onions sell well. A good entry of local grown Swede draw to a finish of their season and reap the rewards.

Description	Per:	Average	-	Best
Cabbage – Primo	6's	£2.60	-	£2.70
Cabbage – Sweetheart	16's	£2.80	-	£3.60
Calabrese	6kg	£4.20	-	£4.40
Cauliflower	6's	£2.00	-	£2.70
Leeks	4.5kg	£3.80	-	£4.40
Parsnips (Dirty)	10kg	£4.00	-	£4.10
Potatoes	25kg	£4.00	-	£5.00
Romanesco	8's	£2.50	-	£3.80
Savoy	4's	£2.50	-	£3.00
Sprouting Broccoli	3.5kg	£6.00	-	£8.50
Sprout Stalks	5's	£2.60	-	£5.20
Swede	5.5kg	£2.00	-	£2.10

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Auction opening hours: 7.30 – 4.00 Monday to Friday

Office hours: 8.00 – 4.00 Monday to Friday

Sales are held as follows:

Fruit & Vegetables: Monday and Thursday 11.30am Wednesday 11am

Flowers and Plants: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 12.30pm

BULB DEPARTMENT

The Autumn Bulb Season is in full flow. Price lists are available to download from our website.

We also have a stock of Wooden Barrels, Ornate Garden Stonework
and Hanging Basket Moss.

Please contact Claire Pearson or John Dunham on 01775 723333

HORTICULTURAL SUPPLIES

Pots, tubs, planters, bowls and troughs in
different colours and sizes.

Hanging baskets and pots

Garden Tools

Bark chipping

Sleeves, wraps and packing materials

Plus, our usual comprehensive range of
Compost, Peat, Fertilisers and Clothing.

All at very reasonable prices

**We are open Monday to Friday 7.00am
to 4.00pm.**

**For full details contact
Adrian Glover (Curly) or Helen Buffham
on (01775) 724444**

**Email:
horticultural@spaldingauction.co.uk**

SPALDING FLORIST INNOVATIONS

NEW STOCK ARRIVING DAILY

Normal opening hours:

Monday to Friday 8am to 4pm.

Our staff are always happy to assist.

**For further information contact Jackie or
Sally on (01775) 723333**

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