



SPALDING AUCTION

SPECIALIST SERVICES TO THE HORTICULTURAL AND FLORIST TRADE

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Market Report

FOR WEEK ENDING: 15/11/24

Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality

Pot & Garden Plants

Hurrah for the "H"! Hellebores and Hyacinths are the driving force for plant sales this week, with both of them written in capital letters at the top of buyers' wish lists. Primroses and Skimmia "Rubella" both put on a strong show, as buyers look for raw product for tub and basket arrangements. Pot grown blue spruce "Edith", "Blue Diamond" and "Fat Albert" sell in large quantities. The cooler weather helps to stimulate interest in Wreaths, with a good assortment of artificial product getting the ball rolling for sales. Pansies and Violas endure a topsy turvy week, with prices up then down, finally up again as we approach the weekend.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Blue Spruce	7ltr	£8.00	-	£10.00
Calluna	10cm	£1.00	-	£1.35
Camelia	1ltr	£3.00	-	£4.00
Cyclamen Mini	10cm	£0.80	-	£1.00
Fruit Tree (Potted)	10ltr	£10.00	-	£12.00
Gold Crest Standard	2ft	£2.00	-	£2.50
Gold Crest Wilma	10cm	£0.90	-	£1.00
Hellebore	10cm	£1.50	-	£2.00
Hyacinths 3's	13cm	£1.00	-	£1.20
Laurel	5ltr	£4.50	-	£5.00
Leylandii	10ltr	£10.00	-	£10.00
Pansy/Viola 6 pack	Pack	£0.70	-	£1.40
Primrose	9cm	£0.25	-	£0.40
Rose Pre-pack	Each	£1.25	-	£1.25
Rhododendron	Each	£5.00	-	£8.00
Schlumbergera	9cm	£1.50	-	£2.00
Skimmia	10cm	£0.85	-	£1.25
Wreaths (Artificial)	Each	£6.00	-	£11.50

Enterprise Way, Pinchbeck, Spalding, Lincolnshire, PE11 3YR

For all enquiries about the Auction please contact Peter Dean (General Manager) on 01775 723333 or email peterdean@spaldingauction.co.uk

Cut Flowers

Once again our flower hall is a joy to behold, with our racking decked out in all the colours of the rainbow and more. Local Spray Chrysanthemums provide excellent price returns on all days, whilst the few Bloom Chrysanthemums entries show no sign of fading from buyers' affections. Larger volumes of local Lilies see a slight dip in prices as buyers can hold back their bids. Imported flower volumes remain on the heavy side with very volatile prices.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Alstroemeria	Bunch	£0.60	-	£0.90
Bouquets	Bunch	£2.00	-	£3.00
Carnations Bloom	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.20
Carnations Spray	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.00
Chrysanthemum Bloom	Bunch	£2.00	-	£3.00
Chrysanthemum Spray English	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.60
Eucalyptus	Bunch	£1.00	-	£1.20
Hydrangea	Bunch	£2.00	-	£2.20
Iris	Bunch	£0.50	-	£0.80
Lily	Bunch	£0.80	-	£2.00
Protea Bouquet	Bunch	£1.70	-	£2.00

Fruit & Vegetables

The current mild weather draws certain lines of produce on, Cauliflower are one line where supplies exceed demand. Trade is brisk for Calabrese, Leeks and Spring Cabbage. Bold, uniform sized Potatoes have discerning Greengrocers and market traders queuing up to secure a piece of the limited samples on offer.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Artichoke	12kg	£20.00	-	£20.00
Calabrese	5.5kg	£4.70	-	£5.10
Cauliflowers	6's	£3.00	-	£4.20
Kale	5kg	£3.70	-	£4.10
January King	8's	£3.00	-	£3.00
Leeks	4.5kg	£5.00	-	£5.40
Potatoes	25kg	£7.20	-	£8.20
Purple Sprouting Broccoli	6lbs	£7.70	-	£10.00
Romanesco	6's	£4.00	-	£5.80
Savoy	6's	£3.20	-	£3.80
Sprouts	9kg	£7.00	-	£7.10
Sprout Stalk	Each	£0.65	-	£0.80



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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

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BULB DEPARTMENT

We still have a selection of Spring Blooming Bulbs available,

Including a great range of Miniature Narcissi and Daffodils

Please see the Bulb price list for availability.

Please contact Juliette Houghton or John Dunham on 01775 723333

for more information or for a price list.

Email: juliettehoughton@spaldingauction.co.uk

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 7.30am to 4.00pm.

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

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

SPALDING FLORIST INNOVATIONS

With Christmas approaching fast.

**Why not come along and view our
extensive Christmas stock, with
many lines selling fast.**

Monday to Friday 8am to 4pm.

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

Email: florist@spaldingauction.co.uk

Please note we will be open late on

Thursday 28th November

Wednesday 4th December and

Thursday 5th December