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# Market Report

**FOR WEEK ENDING: 8/11/24**

**Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality**

## Pot & Garden Plants

Plant sales remain buoyant, with a healthy attendance of buyers throughout the week. English autumn planting selections are all popular, Pansies, Primroses and Violas all provide excellent price returns. Miniature patio Cyclamen see prices rocket as demand gets hotter. A rollicking range of ravishing Rhododendrons are highly coveted, keeping buyers on their toes as they bid. Brightly coloured Schlumbergera Cactis prove popular due to their seasonal association. Laurels as well as Leylandii sell in decent quantities, making it a bumper week for hedging sales.

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	£0.75	-	£1.00
Fruit Tree (Potted)	10ltr	£10.00	-	£14.00
Gold Crest Standard	2ft	£2.00	-	£2.50
Gold Crest Wilma	10cm	£1.00	-	£1.20
Hellebore	10cm	£1.20	-	£1.50
Laurel	7½ltr	£8.00	-	£11.00
Leylandii	10ltr	£10.00	-	£10.00
Pansy (Pot)	10cm	£0.25	-	£0.35
Pansy/Viola 6 pack	Pack	£0.70	-	£1.40
Primrose	9cm	£0.25	-	£0.40
Rhododendron	Each	£5.00	-	£8.00
Schlumbergera	15cm	£1.50	-	£3.25
Skimmia	10cm	£0.85	-	£1.25
Skimmia	15cm	£2.00	-	£2.95
Vriesea	10cm	£1.00	-	£1.25

## Cut Flowers

Flower sales recover from last week's dip as buyers return with renewed vigour. Local Spray Chrysanthemums are once again at the top of buyers' wish lists, with strong prices on all days. Bloom varieties also find heavy favour. English grown Lilies see prices strengthen due to a healthy demand. Prices for imported product also see an improvement, with Hydrangeas and Protea bouquets the stars of the week.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Alstroemeria	Bunch	£0.60	-	£0.90
Bouquets	Bunch	£2.00	-	£3.00
Carnations Spray	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.00
Chrysanthemum Bloom	Bunch	£1.50	-	£2.50
Chrysanthemum Spray	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.30
Hydrangea	Bunch	£2.00	-	£2.20
Iris	Bunch	£0.50	-	£0.65
Lily	Bunch	£0.90	-	£2.75
Protea Bouquet	Bunch	£1.70	-	£2.00

## Fruit & Vegetables

Autumnal produce takes centre stage, with demand increasing for limited supplies of Leeks, Spring Cabbage and Romanesco. Despite less Cauliflowers being available than last week, buyers are still able to pick and choose their lots. Demand is brisk for both Bagged Sprouts and Sprouts on Stalks despite the current mild weather.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Calabrese	6kg	£4.10	-	£6.10
Cauliflowers	6's	£3.35	-	£4.80
Cavolo Nero	5kg	£4.00	-	£4.00
Celeriac	6's	£5.50	-	£5.50
January King	8's	£3.25	-	£3.50
Leeks	4.5kg	£4.72	-	£4.90
Marrow	Each	£0.40	-	£0.60
Onion	5kg	£2.33	-	£3.60
Potatoes	25kg	£7.70	-	£10.40
Purple Sprouting Broccoli	3kg	£6.30	-	£9.50
Romanesco	6's	£3.56	-	£4.30
Savoy	6's	£2.71	-	£3.90
Sprout Stalk	Each	£0.63	-	£0.80
Swede	Net of 15	£5.00	-	£5.00

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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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:florist@spaldingauction.co.uk)**

**Please note we will be open late on**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December and**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December**