



SPALDING AUCTION

SPECIALIST SERVICES TO THE HORTICULTURAL AND FLORIST TRADE

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Market Report

FOR WEEK ENDING: 7/2/25

Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality

Plants and Seasonal Sundries

Hurrah for the sun! This week we see buyer after buyer walk into our auction halls with smiles plastered from ear to ear across their faces.... Or perhaps its due to the so called "dead rubber" month of January disappearing as the calendar page is turned over to February? A super selection of plants from the Netherlands comes in to compliment our local growers' efforts, resulting in a bumper attendance of avid bidders! House plant highlights include "Dracaena Marginatas" and "Ficus Benjamina Exoticas". Nursery stock plants and Leylandii conifers move in copious quantities. Colour collections starring Anemone "Harmony" and Ranunculus are both raved about. Potted Snowdrops heralding Spring on the horizon see a surge in demand.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Alpine/Perennial Mix	10cm	£0.70	-	£0.90
Anemone	10cm	£0.75	-	£0.85
Dicksonia Fern	5ltr	£18.50	-	£21.50
Dracaena Marg. Bi colour	3ft	£5.00	-	£5.50
Ficus Benjamina	15cm	£2.75	-	£3.25
Fruit Trees (bare root)	Each	£8.00	-	£10.00
Helleborus	2ltr	£2.25	-	£3.00
Hyacinths 3's	13cm	£0.60	-	£1.00
Leylandii	10ltr	£10.00	-	£12.00
Nursery Stock Assorted	1.5ltr	£3.00	-	£4.25
Ornamental Tree (bare root)	Each	£8.00	-	£12.00
Primrose	9cm	£0.20	-	£0.40
Perennials (mixed)	1ltr	£0.90	-	£1.20
Ranunculus	10cm	£0.75	-	£1.00
Raspberry (bare root)	Each	£0.80	-	£1.00
Salix Kilmarnock/Nishiki	3ft	£8.75	-	£8.75
Scots Pine	10ltr	£8.00	-	£19.00
Snowdrops	9cm	£0.90	-	£1.40
Strawberry (Pot)	10cm	£0.60	-	£0.70

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Cut Flowers

Our Flower Hall is packed to the gunnels with floral delights this week, much to the delight of admiring buyers seeking their Floritopia. Despite larger volumes of indoor and outdoor Daffodils coming into the market, price returns remain healthy for all quality entries. This is duplicated for Tulip sales. An all encompassing array of imported product see healthy interest across the board. Top picks include Alstroemerias, Chrysanthemum blooms and Stocks.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Alstroemeria	Bunch	£1.20	-	£1.60
Bouquets	Bunch	£1.50	-	£2.25
Chrysanth Bloom	Bunch	£0.75	-	£1.05
Daffodils Indoor	Bunch	£0.65	-	£1.00
Daffodils Outdoor	Bunch	£0.35	-	£0.45
Rose	Bunch	£0.60	-	£1.10
Stocks	Bunch	£0.60	-	£0.90
Tulips	Wrap	£8.00	-	£11.00

Fruit & Vegetables

As we move into February, the increased trade of the last month leads to vendors reporting a shortage on some lines.

The brighter weather causes customers to report an increase in trade and vendors are happy to fill the halls with a vast variety of diverse lines. A selection of different fruits continues to make their way into the auction, which are all met with a flurry of raised hands. The price of Purple Sprouting Broccoli continue to stay high despite more being entered into the auction, cabbages stay at a level price and Cauliflower fall slightly in price as the week goes on.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Banana	18kg	£ 15.00	-	£ 15.00
Calabrese	5kg	£ 6.89	-	£ 7.00
Carrot (Net)	10kg	£ 1.99	-	£ 2.00
Cauliflowers	8's	£ 7.55	-	£ 8.50
January King	8's	£ 3.07	-	£ 4.10
Leeks	4.5kg	£ 6.23	-	£ 8.50
Mixed Herb	Each	£ 0.61	-	£ 0.62
Mushroom	15kg	£ 5.11	-	£ 5.15
Parsnip	10kg	£ 5.65	-	£ 6.00
Pineapple	6's	£ 4.99	-	£ 5.00
Potatoes	25kg	£ 7.34	-	£ 8.00
Purple Sprouting Broc	4kg	£ 10.66	-	£ 15.50
Savoy	8's	£ 3.38	-	£ 4.60
Tundra	12's	£ 3.07	-	£ 3.30
Vine Tomatoes	5kg	£ 10.32	-	£ 10.50



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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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SEED POTATOES

**Our first stock of Summer Flowering Bulbs and Perennials have arrived.
We still have a great range of Seed Potatoes; Onion Sets and Shallots in stock.**

Please order to avoid disappointment.

Please contact Juliette Houghton 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,
carrier bags

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

All at very reasonable prices

**We are open Monday to Friday 7.30am
to 4.00pm**

**For full details contact
Adrian (Curly), Helen or Luke**

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SPALDING FLORIST INNOVATIONS

**With new 2025 stock arriving we
have fantastic Valentines Day,
Mother's Day and Easter displays in
store.**

We look forward to seeing you.

We are open:

Monday to Friday 8am to 4pm.

**For further information contact Jackie,
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