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Market Report

FOR WEEK ENDING: 27/2/26

Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality

Cut Flowers

Our auction hall is a picture to behold, with rack after rack of scintillating colours brightening up proceedings. Tantalising Tulips remain high on many buyers' wish lists with bidding battles erupting as they clamber for their favourite selections. Lovers of all things azure are in dreamland midweek, with a brilliant bold blue sea of Irises going under the hammer. Awesome Alstroemeria's are this week's top imported pick, closely followed by a cracking Chrysanthemum double white selection. Daffodil sales remain thorny.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Alstroemeria	Bunch	£0.90	-	£1.20
Chrysanthemum White	Bunch	£1.20	-	£1.90
Daffodils Outdoor	Bunch	£0.20	-	£0.35
Hyacinth	Bunch	£1.30	-	£1.50
Iris	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.40
Roses	Bunch	£0.50	-	£1.00
Tulips	Wrap	£9.00	-	£11.00

Plants and Seasonal Sundries

The fairer weather gives our buyers a renewed confidence, as we see many coming into our auction halls with a spring in their step. Perennial selections are sought after, with Aubretias and Lupins both gaining healthy attention. The first potted Dicentra of the season fly off the shelves, with admiring buyers going full tilt for a share of the spoils. Primrose sales pick up nicely, with all quality entries clearing daily. Potted Snowdrops and Aconites sell well, whilst 'Tete a Tete' Narcissi struggles to build up any momentum due to the vast volumes floating around. Drier weather helps of potted fruit, with Rhubarb this week's top performers.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Aconites	9cm	£0.60	-	£0.90
Anemone	10cm	£0.60	-	£1.00
Aubrieta	13cm	£1.00	-	£1.30
Camelia	Each	£4.25	-	£8.75
Cyclamen Coum	9cm	£1.00	-	£1.50
Dicentra	13cm	£2.50	-	£3.50
Hydrangea	17cm	£3.00	-	£4.00
Laurel	3ltr	£4.00	-	£5.00
Lupin	13cm	£1.20	-	£1.20
Pieris	3ltr	£3.00	-	£4.00
Primrose	9cm	£0.20	-	£0.50
Rhubarb	2ltr	£2.50	-	£3.50
Skimmia	1ltr	£2.25	-	£2.75
Snowdrops (Pot)	9cm	£0.60	-	£1.00

Fruit & Vegetables

What a difference a week can make! With a dry, sunny weekend past, our halls are filled with eager buyers desperate to stock up with all they need for the busy week ahead. Our patient vendors finally reap the reward of their hard work, with most lines selling at increased prices. This week we received a continued supply of local chicken eggs in various sizes; all were greatly received by our buyers. Cauli prices picked up again despite an influx for sale, a total of just under 200 boxed were entered and sold this week. Cabbages were also in high demand, some fetching well deserved high prices. We also received fantastic, very clean sprout stalks, these also sold well. Our imported lines were slightly shorter this week but, we still received good variety, with plenty to keep all customers interested. Potatoes remained consistent on previous weeks.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Carrot (Polybag)	10kg	£ 4.64		£ 5.40
Cauli	8's	£ 3.89		£ 5.60
Eggs	20's	£ 5.00		£ 5.00
Herbs (Mixed)	Bunch	£ 0.60		£ 0.61
January King	8's	£ 3.41		£ 3.50
Jumbo Bakers	25kg	£ 12.80		£ 14.00
Leeks	20lbs	£ 8.36		£ 8.60
Onion	Net	£ 2.30		£ 2.50
Potatoes	25kg	£ 4.49		£ 6.10
Purple Sprouting Broc	10lbs	£ 10.44		£ 12.00
Savoy	8's	£ 3.53		£ 5.30
Sprout Stalks	Each	£ 0.67		£ 0.70

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