



SPECIALIST SERVICES TO THE HORTICULTURAL AND FLORIST TRADE

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Market Report

FOR WEEK ENDING: 22/05/26

Prices Shown - Average to Top Quality

Cut Flowers

It's a case of sunglasses indoors, as our auction hall shines with an eye watering range of colours this week. A cracking collection of charismatic Campanulas has the connoisseurs clucking and clicking their tongues in admiration, as they bid. Sweet William prices remain bold, due to the limited premium quality entries. Stock price returns are topsy turvy, with a huge entry on Thursday allowing buyers to pick and choose their lots. With a hot weekend forecast, Rose sales melt dramatically.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Bloom Carnation	Bunch	£1.00	-	£1.30
Bouquets	Bunch	£1.50	-	£3.50
Campanula	Bunch	£1.50	-	£1.80
Lupins	Bunch	£1.00	-	£1.50
Rose	Bunch	£0.30	-	£1.00
Statice Blue	Bunch	£0.75	-	£1.00
Stocks	Bunch	£0.50	-	£1.50
Sweet Williams	Bunch	£0.80	-	£1.50

Fruit & Vegetables

As we approach another Bank Holiday weekend, our vendors breathe a sigh of relief at the sight of the rain. This week we continue to see a mix of local new season produce, with bunched Asparagus, Beet, Carrot, and Spring Onion all available plus the first showing of Broad Beans. The continuation of imported fruits are greatly received. Asparagus and bunch Beet continue to demand a high price with limited availability, whilst Carrots drop slightly with more quantity available. New Potatoes continue to fall in value dropping from £1.79 average last week to £1.29 this week. Old season Potatoes continue to sell in good number despite large quantities available. Brassica continues to fetch a high price with the delay in new seasons growth. With the warm weather predicted over the weekend all salad lines clear with ease.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Asparagus	Bunch	£ 2.36	-	£ 2.40
Avocado	20's	£ 9.83	-	£ 13.20
Broad Beans	5kg	£ 7.60	-	£ 8.00
Carrot	Bunch	£ 1.08	-	£ 1.30
Cauli	8's	£ 5.01	-	£ 6.80
Cherries	2kg	£ 10.92	-	£ 15.30
Cucumber	Each	£ 0.61	-	£ 0.70
Kale	4kg	£ 6.45	-	£ 8.20
Lemons	Box	£ 12.50	-	£ 12.50
Lettuce	8's	£ 6.09	-	£ 9.20
Melons	10's	£ 10.00	-	£ 10.00
New Potatoes	lbs	£ 1.29	-	£ 1.43
Primo	8's	£ 6.40	-	£ 8.50
Radish	Bunch	£ 1.10	-	£ 1.10
Red Beet (Bunch)	Bunch	£ 1.50	-	£ 1.50
Rhubarb	6kg	£ 7.60	-	£ 8.20

Plants and Seasonal Sundries

A mammoth selection of plants fills our auction halls this week, with hardly room for one more trolley to park. Buyers are fully focused on colour collections, ready to catch their punters' eyes on their stalls, barrows and shop shelves. Cosmos shines its kaleidoscope of psychedelic colours into the air inviting buyers to bid with abandon. A ravishing Regal Pelargonium display ramps up a rumpus, with desperate buyers driving themselves into bidding frenzies in an attempt to secure their favourite lots. "Surfinia" Petunias are this week's pick of the basket plants, with bold bidding for all entries. Rhododendrons, respond with their peacock-like plumage attract a host of bids.

Description	Per:	Average		Best
Bedding 6 pack	Pack	£1.00	-	£1.70
Begonia	10cm	£0.70	-	£1.20
Cosmos	10cm	£0.90	-	£1.40
Hanging Baskets	Each	£5.00	-	£15.00
Geranium Zonal Imported	10cm	£0.75	-	£1.10
Geranium Zonal Local	Each	£1.25	-	£2.00
Lavender	1ltr	£1.50	-	£2.50
Lewisia	10cm	£1.00	-	£1.30
Osteospermum	1ltr	£1.00	-	£1.60
Petunia "Surfinia"	10cm	£0.70	-	£1.20
Primula Vialliis	10cm	£1.60	-	£2.60
Regal Pelargonium	13cm	£1.25	-	£2.00
Rhododendron	7ltr	£7.00	-	£11.00

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Spalding Horticultural Centre

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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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