

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

MONDAY MARKET REPORT
6 Day Standstill in Operation
MONDAY 25TH APRIL 2011
TOTAL STOCK: 2036 HEAD

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GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT
A busy Easter Monday market on the sheep side
to £127 for lambs.
Short entry of Finished Cattle sold to 182.5ppk

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

Please call the relevant Auctioneer or Adam Hayes on 07889 064309 for the latest marketing advice.

85 PRIME CATTLE PLEASE NOTE NEW SPRING START TIME

Commencing at 1.00pm

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First 40 cattle penned are out of the draw. All Vendors are invited into the rostrum at the time of sale of their cattle. Lowest commission rate in the South of England. 3 Day Payment: Cheques available for collection on Thursday or posted First Class that day. PLEASE ENSURE ALL CATTLE EAR TAGS HAVE THE FRONT AND BACK OF EACH TAG AS NECESSARY. TRADING STANDARDS WILL SEND HOME CATTLE MISSING AN EAR TAG OR WITH 1½ EAR TAGS. FABBL 01908 249973. CMi 01993 885610. PAI 08452265401.

(59) UTM & (26) OTM Prime Cattle

Auctioneers Comments:

Fortune normally favours the brave and when a short entry of 85 came forward, it was inevitable trade would be fine. Top was 182.5ppk for an absolute top drawer black Limousin heifer from Mr A Lucas. Close by at 181ppk was a very smart, well fleshed, shapely red South Devon heifer from Mr RA Willcox, which had previously won the Haltered Championship at Wedmore YFC Show, when shown by daughter Clare. A superb run of barley heifers from Mr SER Hunt sold particularly well at 180.5ppk, 176ppk, 173ppk, 169ppk and 167ppk. A shapely Blue heifer from Mr A Lucas again achieved 169.5ppk. Smart well fleshed heifers from Mr DE Abraham sold well at 164ppk and 162.5ppk for a Charolais and a Simmental respectively. Better heifers generally 160ppk plus. Good heifers mid to high 150's. Straighter sided heifers high 140's. Quite a few over fat heifers forward and Vendors are advised to keep an eye on particularly native heifers, which can run to fat once at grass. Steers peaked at 169ppk for a barley Blue from Mr SER Hunt. 168.5ppk was achieved by Mr RA Willcox with a Blue steer, which had previously taken second place, with Clare again on the halter at Wedmore YFC Show. Messrs R Lucas & Son scored with a well fleshed black Limousin at 164.5ppk. 162ppk was also bid for a good black Limousin from Messrs JR, LM & AJ Hutchings. Better steers mid 150's, as were good steers. Straighter sided types high 140's.

Steers sold to £1,232.93 for a strong 887kg Charolais from Mr CW & JE Pearce. Best steers over £1100, including a Friesian steer from Jane Saunders at £1,103.98.

Heifers sold to £1,100.48 for the top Limousin from Mr A Lucas. Others over £1000 at £1,094.17 for a Blue from Messrs RW & SJ Gay and £1,067.90 for a South Devon from Mr RA Willcox.

Overage especially keenly sought due to the lack of UTM cattle on offer. Steers rose to 159ppk for a Limousin from Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP. Heifers rose to 155.5ppk for a Limousin from Messrs JR, LM & AJ Hutchings. Steers sold to £1,170.24 for another Limousin from Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP, who also sold a Simmental heifer at £943.20.

Trade is currently very strong as finished cattle availability remains very tight. We recommend vendors who have turned out to trough feed their cattle at grass to keep them going. Cattle never do better than when trough fed at grass. By feeding at grass, cattle will be kept going to enable sale through this period of shortage. May and June grass will finish cattle but with corn they'll finish quicker.

PLEASE NOTE: From 2010 all slaughter cattle will need to be entered with a Food Chain Information Form, which will be part of our entry form.

STEERS (38)		
Top Price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 169.0p/kg	UTM 150.6p/kg	UTM £1,232.93
OTM 159.0p/kg	OTM 142.8p/kg	OTM £1,170.24

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	600	169.0
Mr RA Willcox	BRBX	630	168.5
Messrs R Lucas & Son	LIMX	573	164.5
Messrs JR, LM & AJ Hutchings	LIMX	740	162.0
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	736	159.0
Messrs R Lucas & Son	LIMX	612	158.5
Messrs R Lucas & Son	LIMX	566	158.5
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	715	158.5
Messrs J Richards & Son	SIMX	662	156.5
Mr MA Oram	LIMX	540	156.0

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Messrs CW & JE Pearce	CHX	887	£1,232.93
Messrs JR & LM & AJ Hutchings	LIMX	740	£1,198.80
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	785	£1,181.43
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	736	£1,170.24
Messrs RW & SJ Gay	BRBX	790	£1,169.20
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	BAX	840	£1,159.20
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	790	£1,141.55
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	763	£1,140.69
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	715	£1,133.28
Jane Saunders	HF	764	£1,103.98

HEIFERS (47)		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 182.5p/kg	UTM 153.3p/kg	UTM £1,100.48
OTM 155.5p/kg	OTM 146.3p/kg	OTM £943.20

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr A Lucas	LIMX	603	182.5
Mr RA Willcox	SD	590	181.0
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	493	180.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	504	176.0
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	516	173.0
Mr A Lucas	BRBX	551	169.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	487	169.0
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	517	167.0
Mr DE Abraham	CHX	496	164.0
Mr DE Abraham	SIMX	508	162.5

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Mr A Lucas	LIMX	603	£1,100.48
Messrs RW & SJ Gay	BRBX	686	£1,094.17
Mr RA Willcox	SD	590	£1,067.90
Mr DE Abraham	CHX	633	£981.15
Mr SL King	LIMX	628	£979.68
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	620	£954.80
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	SIMX	655	£943.20
Mr R Dibble	HE	652	£942.14
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	627	£937.37
Mr A Lucas	BRBX	551	£933.95

BREED	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	NO	AVE	TOP	NO	AVE	TOP
Limousin	9	155.5	164.5	3	165.5	182.5
B/Blue	4	156.5	169.0	9	165.5	180.5
Charolais	5	147.0	158.5	8	153.0	164.0
Simmental	3	152.0	156.5	3	153.5	162.5
Blonde	-	-	-	-	-	-
A/Angus	1	147.5	147.5	1	138.5	138.5
Hereford	-	-	-	6	135.5	144.5
Devon	2	150.5	153.5	1	118.5	118.5
Saler	-	-	-	-	-	-
S/Devon	-	-	-	1	181.0	181.0
H/Friesian	2	135.0	144.5	-	-	-
B/Friesian	1	143.0	143.0	-	-	-

EUROGRID LIVEWEIGHT COMPARISON						
UTM R4L Average of ppk @ 53% kop = 293.0ppkdw equivalent						
Grade	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	No	Ave	Max	No	Ave	Max
E+4L	-	-	-	1	182.5	182.5
U+3	-	-	-	1	169.5	169.5
U+4L	-	-	-	1	181.0	181.0
U-3	8	154.0	169.0	3	175.5	180.5
U-4L	-	-	-	2	161.0	162.5
R3	6	152.5	164.5	5	159.0	173.0
R4L	-	-	-	5	155.5	164.0
O+2	1	156.0	156.0	-	-	-
O+3	3	156.0	158.5	4	148.0	152.5
O+4L	3	148.0	153.5	3	149.5	156.5
O+4H	1	147.5	147.5	-	-	-
O+5L	-	-	-	3	137.0	139.0
O+5H	-	-	-	1	118.5	118.5
O-2	1	145.0	145.0	-	-	-
O-3	2	146.0	149.0	-	-	-
O-4H	-	-	-	2	133.5	137.0
O-5L	-	-	-	1	127.5	127.5
P+3	1	124.5	124.5	-	-	-
P+4L	1	144.5	144.5	-	-	-

WEEKLY £25 PRIME CATTLE BRIARWOOD AWARD

Briarwood Products Ltd have very generously agreed to award £25 each week to the Vendor of the highest priced per kilo prime steer, heifer or bull.

This week's winner: Mr A Lucas, Wybarn

Briarwood Products Ltd

First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.
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1928 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS

PLEASE NOTE NEW WINTER START TIME

Commencing at 11.15am

Auctioneer: Paul Ashton

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	(878) HOGGS	(1050) LAMBS
Top price p/head	£116.50	£127.00
Top price p/kg	245.0p/pk	313.0p/kg
SQQ Average	233.27p/pk	273.80p/kg

WEIGHT	No. Sold Hoggs	Ave	No. Sold Lambs	Ave
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	2	200.00	367	275.84
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	310	233.48	677	272.66
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	457	220.01	5	236.96
Others (Over 52kg)	109	201.12	1	201.12

A very good Bank Holiday entry of 1050 lambs sold to a flying trade for all on offer, much dearer than expected now that Easter has passed. The best were 290ppk plus to a top of 313ppk and 298ppk from Mr RA Willcox. 305ppk from Messrs JR & RH Williams, 303ppk from Mr M Wall, 298ppk from Mr J Baker, 297ppk from Mr C Reasons and 293ppk from Mr WS Stitch, Messrs RM & BJ Norman, Mr G Wall and Arscott Partners. Top prices were £127 from Mr S Creed, £125 and £122 from Mr RA Willcox, £127 from Messrs JR & RH Williams, £121 from Mr M Wall, £119 from Mr J Baker and £118 from Mr KJ Seymour. Overall average £108.67.

A good entry of 878 hogs sold to a similar strong trade. The best sold to 245ppk, 244ppk, 241ppk (x3) and 235ppk from Messrs Habberfield & Priscott. 243ppk from Mr PD Godfrey, 240ppk from Mr RS Lovell, 238ppk from Mr RS Lovell & Messrs KJ & LC Popham and 235ppk from Mr J Baker. Heavier hogs sold to £116.50 (x2) from Mr S Broom, £115.50 from Messrs AF Quick & Son, £115 and £114 from Messrs MB & KN Crabb, £115 from Mr SER Hunt and £114 from Messrs R & S Parry-Jones and Mr BD Elworthy. Overall average £104.37.

PLEASE NOTE: All finished lambs will need to be entered with a Food Chain Information form, which will be part of our entry form.

WEIGHT	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
LAMBS		
33.0	94.00	Mr GW King
37.0	110.00	Mr C Reasons
37.0	107.00	Messrs L Habberfield & Sons
39.0	114.00	Mr RA Willcox
39.0	113.00	Mr C Reasons
39.0	112.00	Mr R Hares
40.0	122.00	Messrs JR & RH Williams
40.0	121.00	Mr M Wall
40.0	119.00	Mr J Baker
40.0	117.00	Mr WS Stitch
40.0	117.00	Messrs RM & BJ Norman
40.0	117.00	Mr G Wall
40.0	117.00	Arscott Partners
41.0	122.00	Mr RA Willcox
41.0	117.00	Arscott Partners
42.0	117.00	Messrs RM & BJ Norman
43.0	118.00	Mr KJ Seymour
63.0	127.00	Mr S Creed

HOGGS		
40.0	97.00	Mr PD Godfrey
41.0	100.00	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
41.0	96.50	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
42.0	100.00	Messrs KJ & LC Popham
45.0	105.50	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
43.0	103.50	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
43.0	103.00	Mr RS Lovell
44.0	106.00	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
46.0	105.50	Messrs JE Wakely & Sons
46.0	105.50	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
47.0	108.20	Messrs JE Wakely & Sons
48.0	113.00	Mr J Baker
48.0	109.00	Mr S Broom
49.0	116.50	Mr S Broom
49.0	111.00	Messrs R & S Parry-Jones
49.0	110.50	Mr J Baker
50.0	116.50	Mr S Broom
50.0	112.50	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
51.0	112.50	Mr RS Lovell
52.0	115.00	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
52.0	114.00	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
55.0	115.50	Messrs AF Quick & Son

23 CALVES Commencing at 10.45am

Auctioneer: Jeremy Bell:

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Overall Average £143.57

19 Bulls av £138.63

4 Heifers av £167.00

Auctioneers Comments:

A small Bank Holiday entry of 23 calves sold to as many buyers as calves. Now that the lilac is out trade is definitely a shade dearer, to top at £300 for a Limousin x bull from Messrs PG & JE Baker. British Friesian bulls to £158 from Messrs HG Tincknell Ltd. Holstein Friesian heifer (breeder) at £190 from Messrs Avery & Co.

Would vendors please make every effort to fully complete the new calf entry form RE: Veterinary Treatment.

Breed	Type	No.	Ave £	Top Price £	Vendor
Blue x	Bull	1	£289.00	£289.00	Messrs JH & ACL Williams
	Heifer	1	£133.00	£133.00	Messrs Avery & Co
Lim x	Bull	2	£289.50	£300.00	Messrs PG & JE Baker
	Heifer	2	£172.50	£179.00	Messrs GC & MJ Hares
Sim x	Bull	2	£251.50	£263.00	Messrs W Warren & Son
Sh x	Bull	4	£83.75	£140.00	Mr B Smith
BF	Bull	9	£98.67	£158.00	Messrs HG Tincknell Ltd
HF	Bull	1	£40.00	£40.00	Messrs Avery & Co
	Heifer	1	£190.00	£190.00	Messrs Avery & Co

TB Restricted Farms

Please note if your farm is unfortunately restricted with TB and you are unable to bring your stock to our regular markets, please note we can help with finished cattle, barren cows, store cattle, dairy cattle and stirks to secure buyers.

Sale of prime cattle and barren cows can either be arranged direct off farm or via a collection in the market on a deadweight basis. Dairy cattle, store cattle and stirks may be sold by private treaty on farm. If at any time sufficient numbers and type of stock, ie dairy cattle or 2 year old store cattle become available, the market is now licensed to hold dedicated sales of TB restricted stock, when stock will be sold by auction.

Please contact Robert Venner on 07889 006503 or 01278 410278, Adam Hayes on 07889 064309 or 01278 410278 or Derek Biss on 07850 932555 or 01278 410250, who will endeavour to be of assistance.

Forthcoming Sales 2011

April

Saturday 30th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 30th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

Saturday 30th – Honiton YFC Show & Sale

May

Saturday 7th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 7th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 7th – Yarcombe YFC Show & Sale of Ewe and Lamb Couples

Saturday 14th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 14th – Special Catalogued Sale of Ewe Hogg Couples

Thursday 19th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 21st – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Tuesday 24th – The Annual May Collective Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls

Saturday 28th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 28th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

June

Saturday 4th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 4th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 11th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 11th – Special Catalogued Early Sale of Breeding Ewes

Saturday 18th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 25th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 25th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

July

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams

Saturday 2nd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 2nd – Special Catalogued Sale of Rare, Native & Traditional Pedigree & Pure Bred Cattle, Sheep, Pigs & Alpacas

Thursday 7th – Annual Catalogued Sale of Breeding Ewes & Rams

Saturday 9th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Thursday 14th – Collective Machinery Sale

Saturday 16th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Tuesday 19th – The Annual Top 10% & Seasonality Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls

Thursday 21st – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 23rd – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry

Saturday 30th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 30th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

August

Tuesday 2nd – Dispersal sale of Pedigree Holstein cows and followers

Saturday 6th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Cattle

Saturday 6th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams

Tuesday 9th – Dispersal sale of the Stroudmead herd - 250 Pedigree Holsteins for R M Winslom Ltd

Saturday 13th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 13th – Special Catalogued Sale of Continental Cross Breeding Ewes

Saturday 13th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

