

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

SATURDAY STORE STOCK MARKET

6 Day Standstill in Operation

SATURDAY 29th JANUARY 2011

TOTAL STORE STOCK: 3773 HEAD

For market reports and entry forms on the internet go to www.gth.net.

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT

Best Dairy Trade for 7 Months with 3 over £2000

Very strong grazing ewe trade to £97

www.gth.net

Please telephone the market office to advise of your intention to consign stock. Those stock will then be advertised on www.gth.net, under our pre-entered stock lists.

43 DAIRY CATTLE Commencing 11.15am Prompt

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a smaller entry of 43 cows, heifers and calves saw a marked improvement in the trade, probably the best trade for 7 months, with 3 over £2000 reflecting the quality of the entry. Well done to all of our Vendors. Top of the day was £2080 for a granddaughter of Picston Shottle entered by Messrs RF Tucker & Son. Other heifers to £2000 from both Messrs FG Summerhayes & Son and Messrs LG Bagg & Partners for their Rosina bred heifers. Others to £1920 Messrs FG Summerhayes & Son; £1880 Messrs LG Bagg & Partners and £1850 Mr DE Pyle. Only a few cows forward sold to £1980, Mr NC Taylor's 2nd calver. A 2003 born Cottwood Emory D Topper from Mr EJ Gay realised £1380. Calves to £290 and £250 from Mr DC Bartlett.

TYPE	Min	Max	Ave
1 st Quality Heifers	£1600	£2080	£1810
2 nd Quality Heifers	£1000	£1580	£1340
1 st Quality Cows	£1400	£1980	£1690
2 nd Quality Cows	£1000	£1555	£1210

Saturday 5th February
4 In Calf Heifers

Dairy Cattle for sale by Private Treaty

Dispersal of 80 Home Bred Friesian Cows

From a closed herd averaging 6,000kgs, 4.47%, 3.39%P SCC=129

Cubicle housed, grass fed, all year round calving, Genus sires

Offers Invited. Please contact the Farm Sales department on:

01278 410251

1085 STORE CATTLE, STIRKS, SUCKLER & GRAZING COWS

740 STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS

Commencing 10.00am

DEDICATED RING FOR FEEDING CATTLE OVER 400KG

Auctioneers:

Neil Biffen Tel: Office 01458 250000 Home 01823 664663

Robert Venner Tel: Office 01278 410278 Mobile 07889

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First 120 Store Cattle penned will be out of the draw

PLEASE ARRIVE AT MARKET AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE

PLEASE PRE BOOK YOUR STOCK TO HELP US RECRUIT BUYERS

PLEASE NOTE: FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION DECLARATION

Vendors of cattle which could be slaughtered for human consumption within a medical withdrawal period are required to complete the Food Chain Information Declaration (f) on our new entry forms (Edition 6 January 2010).

FARM ASSURANCE. We strongly recommend Vendors selling stores over 26 months to ensure they are farm assured. Please sell non assured stores before 26 months. Please note dairy assurance does not qualify.

For Saturday 5th February 2011:- 60 day PMT date: 7th December 2010 (count day after injection as 1 and day of sale as 60).

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report another large January entry met a strong trade, albeit not quite as sharp, which as much as anything reflected the reduced quality forward. Best and better as keenly sought as ever, with Farm Assured stock at a premium. Top was £985 for a pair of strong 26m Blue steers from Messrs EJ Collins & Son, Chard, who sold others at £910. A grand overage Simmental steer from Mr PD Gooding, Pawlett achieved £885, who also sold a 29m Charolais at £875. Other Simmentals, overage, to £838 from Mr JRD Coleberd, Beaminster and Charolais (17m) smart, suckler bred to £835 from Mr E Mills, Raddington. Good Limousin steers to £838 (26m) from Messrs WT Baily, Farway. A good entry for the special monthly sale of Aberdeen Angus and Herefords rose to £835 for well grown 24m Angus with sire details from Mr ER Bickle, Langport. Others to £825 (28m) from Messrs RJ & A Retter, Honiton. Strong South Devons from Mr CT Spiller, Hemyock rose to £830 (26/27m, FA). Hereford steers to £790 (26m) from Mr MG Trevelyan, Wellington with others to £780 (24m) from Mr ER Bickle again. Generally, a better show of heifers than steers, which sold to £898 for a well fleshed 25m Simmental from Messrs EJ Collins & Son again. Others to £830 (22m) from Mr MB Downing, Ilminster. Several good Charolais heifers forward to £872 (19m) from Mr W & Mrs S Cobden, Somerton. Others £868 (26m) Messrs EJ Collins & Son again; £845 (27/28m) Messrs AR Copp & Partners, Seaborough and £800 (28m) Messrs RN & LA Bell, Durleigh. Messrs AR Copp & Partners also scored with their 32m Limousin heifer at £855, with another (28m) at £810 and a 28m Blonde at £795 and an overage Blonde at £775. Blue heifers peaked at £800 for a fleshed type (19m) from Mr MB Downing again, with others from the same farm (19/20m) £775. Native heifers rose to £775 (25m) for South Devons with others (28m) at £760, all from Mr CT Spiller again. Hereford heifers sold to £750 (27/28m) also Messrs AR Copp & Partners. Some nice young stores on offer to £795 for 14/16m Charolais steers from Messrs CJ Mear & Son, Chard, who also sold heifers (14/16m) at £630. £760 was bid for 13/14m Charolais steers from Mr AG Meredith and Partners, Olveston, who sold 16m heifers at £665. Well grown 11/12m South Devons from Mr M Cavill, Fivehead, achieved £755. 17m Hereford steers achieved £728 for Mr AJ Male, South Petherton, who sold 13/14m Charolais at £725. 12m Limousin steers from Mr H Leyshon, Neath, sold well at £695. A 12m Angus steer from Mr D Barnes, Yarrowcombe also rose close to £700 at £680.

Many thanks to all Vendors for their kind support, when this January has seen record numbers of store cattle pass through Sedgemoor.

Steers	Max £985	Ave £591
Heifers	Max £898	Ave £613

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£875	£835	£872	£868
Limousin	£880	£850	£855	£810
Simmental	£885	£838	£898	£830
B/Blue	£985	£910	£800	£775
Hereford	£790	£780	£750	£550
Angus	£835	£825	£835	£690
S/Devon	£830	£755	£775	£760
Blonde	£795	£752	£795	£775
Friesian	£600	£560	-	-

4 SUCKLER COWS, CALVES & STOCK BULLS

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a small entry of Sucklers to £820 for 2006 Montbeliarde x Cow with December born British Blue bull calf at foot from Messrs PJ & EJ Gwynn.

341 STIRKS & BUSK CALVES Commencing 11.00am

DEDICATED RING FOR REARING CATTLE UP TO 400KG

Auctioneers:

Will Handel Tel: Office 01404 46222, Mobile: 07894 616167

Martyn Venner Tel: 01823 277121 Mobile: 07813 697012

Pre movement test required for Saturday 5th February 2011 if born on or before the 25th December 2010.

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report another very large entry for the time of year continued to see good confirmation stirks sell to a strong trade, whilst plainer types saw some buyers more selective. Top price £680 (7/8m) from three Limousin steers from Mr T Pickard. Other Limousins from Messrs GL & LJ Heywood rose to £648 (9m) and £595 (8/9m) whilst Limousins from Messrs M Harrison Partners met a final call of £605 (8m) and £580 (7m) from Mr C George. Charolais from Mr ASE Bradford to £635 (7m) and £628 (7m). Others to £630 (10m) and £562 (8/10m) from Messrs W & S Cobden and £535 (10m) from Mr WG Evans. British Blues to £612 (7m), £558 (7m) and £548 (7m) from Messrs LE Sweetland & Son. Simmentals to £572 (9m) from Messrs LE Sweetland & Son. Blondes to £565 (9m) from Mr C George. Angus to £515 (10m) from Mr ASE Bradford. A good run of British Blue heifers from Mr WE Biss achieved £675 (7m), £670 (9m) and £590 (8m). An excellent show of stirks. Other Blues from Messrs RT & CV Perrett Ltd to £450 (12/13m). Limousins to £562 (£7/8m) from Mr T Pickard, with others at £558 (8m) from Mr ASE Bradford and £540 from Messrs JD & S Coles. Charolais to £542 (7m) from Mr ASE Bradford with others from the same farm at £510 (6m) and £500 (7m). Others at £475 (8/10m) from Messrs W & S Cobden and £470 Mr B Calder (9m).

Many thanks to all Vendors for a very good show of stirks.

Steers	Max £680	Ave £379
Heifers	Max £675	Ave £368

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£635	£630	£542	£510
Limousin	£680	£648	£562	£558
Simmental	£572	£488	£512	£455
British Blue	£612	£558	£675	£670
Hereford	£440	£372	-	-
Angus	£515	£502	£360	£315
S/Devon				
Devon	£332	£325	£270	-
Blonde	£565	£402	£325	-
Friesian	£308	£268	£228	-

Ringworm

Please note, cattle with ringworm are not allowed to be accepted at market. Any former ringworm must be healed over i.e. not scaly or flaky and with hair growing back.

280 CALVES Commencing 10.00am

Auctioneers:

Charles Clark Tel: Office 01460 238383

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Andy Clements Tel: Office 01278 410250 Mobile: 07769 904704

For Saturday 5th February 2011

Calves born on or before 25th December 2010 will require a pre-movement test.

All calves from 1 and 2 yearly routine TB testing herds (all South West), which are 42 days old and over (not counting date of birth) must be TB pre-movement tested. Entry forms for all calves must be completed, with the TB declaration signed.

(223) Beef Breeds

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report numbers remain tight but a larger entry than anticipated. Trade slightly off the boil at the top end, but prices remain pretty steady for most beef calves. Not so many bulls over £300 to a high of £352 from Messrs R & EJ Phillips and Weston Manor Farm, all Blues. Others £332 Mr N George. Charolais to £327 Messrs FG & C Tucker; £316 Messrs DJ & SE Bristol. Most good bulls £240-£280 with the very smart young sorts £280-£300. Mediums bulls more selective £180-£240. Smaller bulls £100 plus. Not the quality of heifers on show, dominated by the Blues which sold to £275, £272, £260 (x2), £250. Charolais to £228 and a cracking Hereford at £205. Blues generally £150-£220. More in the middle range today, a lot of small heifers around but they sold well, £50-£100. More Angus and Herefords on offer, plenty of bidders especially for heifers. Smart young Angus bulls to £220 Messrs K & PA Moorse. Others £218 and heifers to £144 Messrs Chedzoy & Gothard, also £141 and to £130 Thornhill Farm (Dorset) Ltd. Best Herefords to £258, part of a top class consignment from Mr R Angell. Also to £254. Heifers to £205, £170, £145, £140 - well sought all day. **Thanks to all Vendors for presenting calves on a biting cold day.**

Breed	Type	No	Max Price (£)	Vendor	Ave. (£)
Blue	Bull	48	£352	Messrs R & EJ Phillips	£232
	Heifer	36	£275	Weston Farm	£187
Charolais	Bull	10	£327	Messrs FG & C Tucker	£259
	Heifer	5	£228	Messrs SM & DM Turner	£162
Limousin	Bull	18	£265	Messrs LC & M Knowles	£174
	Heifer	22	£186	Messrs D & ED Carnell	£122
Simmental	Bull	9	£218	Messrs MT & JA Reed & Son	£171
	Heifer	11	£198	Messrs RJ & SJ Dare	£159
Hereford	Bull	12	£258	Mr R Angell	£147
	Heifer	10	£205	Weston Farm	£119
Montbeliarde	Bull	1	£106	Mr RJ Edwards	£106
Angus	Bull	20	£220	Messrs K & PA Moorse	£128
	Heifer	13	£144	Messrs Chedzoy & Gothard	£90
Murray Grey	Bull	1	£65	Mr JV Tristram	£65
Devon	Heifer	1	£84	Mr S Simmons	£84

(57) Friesians

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report not so many forward and some rearing calves looked good value but the best still sell readily. Top price for younger Friesians around £80 but older calves keen to £195 Weston Manor Farm. Others to £155 from Messrs SR Curtis & Partners; £132 Messrs RJ Peach & Son; £130 Weston Manor Farm. Other good entries from Messrs R & EJ Phillips, also to £92, £90. Nice sorts to £70 Mr GV Bussell. Mediums £40-£60, plainer rearers £20-£40, slaughter calves £8-£25.

CALVES MUST BE 7 DAYS OLD TO COME TO MARKET. IF DESCRIBING CALVES AS BF OR FR ON ENTRY FORM, PLEASE ENSURE PASSPORTS ALSO DETAIL BF OR FR ACCORDINGLY.

Please ensure, if you bring in slaughter calves, that you have completed a Food Chain Information Form, as incorporated into the entry forms. Thank you.

2108 SHEEP Commencing 10:30am

Auctioneers:

Richard Webber

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Paul Ashton

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07866 673857

Tom Mellor - Rams

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PLEASE NOTE: All sheep are required to be entered with a Food Chain Information Declaration, which will be part of our entry form. This applies equally to store lambs, breeding and grazing ewes and couples. A copy is available on www.gth.net or from the market office.

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report the following sheep trades:-

Store Lambs (1308)

A much smaller entry sold to an even stronger trade that can only be described as a flyer, with many pens over £70. Top price went to Messrs RC Burrough & Son with two Texel Ram lambs at £108 each. The same vendor sold others to £88.50. Others to £83.50 from Pottick Pigs Ltd; £77, £74 and £73.50 from Mr L Haskell; £75 from Mr JF Norman; £74.50, £73.50, £73 and £69.50 from Mr B Moody; £74.50 from Mr CT Rawle; £73 from Messrs BF & N Norman; £72.50 from Messrs J & M Fear, Messrs DG & SA Mair and Messrs EJ & ACM Lockyer and £72 (twice) from Mr P Athay. Mediums ranged £60-£70, small sorts nearly all £32 plus. Overall average £63.21.

Couples (135 Ewes & 215 Lambs)

A similar number entry sold to another strong trade, particularly for the best outfits with the best doubles to £190 and £186 (£63.33 and £62/life) from Messrs DE & SJ Cheacker. Others to £172 (£57.33/life) from Mr GM Sutherland; £172, £163 and £160 (£57.33, £54.33 and £53.33/life) from Messrs BG, DE & SJ Howell; £169 (£56.33/life) from Messrs PG & K Smith; £166 (£55.33/life) from Mr PD Godfrey and £160 (£53.33/life) from Mr T Vining and Mr DJ Cheacker. Singles sold to £144 (£72/life) from Messrs PG & K Smith. Others to £140 (£70/life) from Messrs DE & SJ Cheacker; £138, £136 and £134 (£69, £68 and £67/life) from Mr DJ Cheacker; £138 (£69/life) from Messrs BG, DE & SJ Howell; £135 (£67.50/life) from Mr T Vining and £130 (£65/life) from Messrs TE & SJ Popham. Overall average £55.26/life.

Grazing Ewes (417)

A similar number entry sold to a much firmer trade for all on offer, particularly for the best quality ewes. Well fleshed ewes sold to £97 and £88.50 from Messrs RC Burrough & Son. Others to £96.50 and £84.50 from Mr R Coate; £91 from Messrs T & I Collard; £90 and £83 from Messrs KJ & LC Popham; £85 from Thornhill Farm (Dorset) Ltd and Messrs M & S Waldock; £82 from Mr DJ Branfield and £80 from Messrs WH & JC Hayes and Messrs FH Gibbons & Son. Mediums ranged £60-£70, plain £50-£60, boners £23 plus. Overall average £64.61.

Breeding Ewes (26)

A small entry saw 6T Mules, in lamb to a Charollais sell at £118 from Thornhill Farm (Dorset) Ltd.

Orphan Lambs (7)

A small entry sold to £28.50 from Messrs S & J Willis and £21 from Mr DJ Cheacker and Mr DJ Branfield.

Saturday 5th February

70-80 Suffolk x & Texel x In Lamb Ewes due from 15th March
Flock Ages up to FM
Due to Texel & Suffolk Rams
Ref: RECW/P1039

35 Suffolk x Mule In Lamb Ewes, FM
In Lamb to a Charollais, due from 1st April

Vendors are advised to ensure their 2011 born lambs, sold at foot, as orphans or as store lambs, have at least a single electronic flock tag. This will enable Purchasers to upgrade ewe lambs if required and facilitate subsequent on movements for all, thereby ensuring maximum buyer support. Any ewe lambs sold for breeding will require double tags, one being Electronic with both displaying flock and full individual number.

257 PIGS Commencing 11.00am

Auctioneer: Paul Trolley Tel: Office 01278 410250
*****PIGS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED*****

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report the following pig trades:-

Store Pigs (110)

Smaller entry but very selective trade. Better sorts 10 w/o £15, 12 w/o £25, 16 w/o £42. Nice pens from Messrs L Habberfield & Son, Messrs J & M Mather and Mr T Salvidge.

Fat Pigs (122)

Good entry when quality continues to sell well. Lights to £87, mediums to £100. Best sorts from Mr C Chilcott, Messrs P & T Reakes, Mr J Blakemore, Messrs LE Miller & Son and Mr B Whitrow.

Cull Sows (22)

Average entry and a level trade. Well fleshed sows to £153 and £144 from Messrs R & J Persey, £142 Messrs LE Miller & Son.

Boars (3)

Sold to £161 from Messrs B Stanley & Sons.

****Next Pig Auction Saturday 12th February****

Please pre-book all entries.

Saturday 5th February 2011

Lorry Load of 14 Mini Heston Bales of Wheat Straw
To be sold at approx 12.30pm to the Far End of the
Dairy Ring
Ref: THHM

February

Saturday 5th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock **10am Ring 2**

Saturday 5th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry **1pm**

Saturday 12th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows **1pm Ring 1**

Saturday 12th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11am**

Tuesday 15th – The Annual Winter Warmer Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls **11am**

Thursday 17th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale **3pm Ring 2**

Saturday 19th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle **10am Ring 1**

February Cont'd

Saturday 19th – Special Catalogued Sale of Haltered and Unhaltered Potential Show Cattle **12 Noon Ring 2**

Saturday 19th – Monthly Seasonal Catalogued Sale on In Lamb Ewes **10.30am**

Saturday 19th – Collective Fodder Auction Approx **1pm after Dairy**

Thursday 24th – Collective Machinery Sale **11am**

Thursday 24th – Dedicated sale for TB restricted cattle To include Dairy Cattle, Store Cattle & Calves – Entries being taken. Entries to date include 56 In Calf Dairy Heifers

Saturday 26th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle **10am Ring 2**

Saturday 26th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11am**

March

Saturday 5th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 5th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

Thursday 10th – Devon Cattle Breeders Society Spring Show & Sale

Saturday 12th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 12th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 19th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle

Saturday 19th – Collective Fodder Auction

Tuesday 22nd – The Annual Spring Fever Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls

Thursday 24th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 26th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 26th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

April

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 2nd – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

Thursday 7th – Spring South West Multi Breed Beef Show & Sale

Thursday 7th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 9th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Monday 11th – Easter Show & Sale of Suck Lambs

Thursday 14th – Walford Cross Collective Machinery Sale (3000 lots)

Saturday 16th – Special Sale of Continental Store Stock

Thursday 21st – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 23rd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

COLLECTIVE FODDER AUCTION

To be held at Sedgemoor Auction Centre
19th February 2011 at 1.00pm

Entries to date in the following areas:

Silage/Haylage: Chilton Trinity, Combe St Nicholas, Greenham, Hemyock, Sherford Templeton, Umberleigh
Straw: Combe Florey

Plus trailer/lorry loads of Straw, Hay & Silage at the market for same day delivery. In excess of 12 loads expected.

*For a catalogue please contact
Tom Mellor – 01278 410250 or 07929 649195*

Livestock Sales

Tuesday 15th February 2011 - SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE, Bridgwater, Somerset, TA6 6DF

Annual Winter Warmer Sale to include a consignment of 50 classified Holsteins (freshly calved) from the **CIDERHOUSE** herd of D & V Norman also the dispersal sale of 80 freshly calved Pedigree heifers from leading herds for Messrs R J Goss & Son (Wiltshire). Anticipated entry of 250 fresh calvers and followers.

Thursday 10th March 2011 - SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE, Bridgwater, Somerset, TA6 6DF

Devon Cattle Breeders Society Spring Show & Sale

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Sedgemoor Auction Centre

Silicon Vineyards – is Solar Farming for you?

Free drop in surgery Renting your land to a developer for Photovoltaic or solar panels may prove to be extremely profitable. However, the issues to consider are complex. Experts from **Greenslade Taylor Hunt** and **Albert Goodman** will be available to discuss these issues with you or review your proposals. Please feel welcome to attend, free of charge, one of the following drop in surgeries at our Greenslade Taylor Hunt office at Sedgemoor Auction Centre, North Petherton, Somerset, TA6 6DF

Saturday 29th January 9:00am – 12:00noon or Saturday 5th February 9:00am – 12:00noon

No prior appointment is necessary

Saturday 19th February 2011 at 1:00pm – SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE, Bridgwater, Somerset, TA6 6DS **Collective Fodder Auction**. Entry forms available for Hay, Silage and Straw
All enquiries to Tom Mellor – 01278 410250

Thursday 24th February 2011 - SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE, Bridgwater, Somerset, TA6 6DF

COLLECTIVE MACINERY SALE Previous sale entries in the region of tractors/vehicles, **600 lots of farm machinery, 2800 miscellaneous lots.**

All enquiries to Tom Mellor – 01278 410250

SPS Entitlements For Sale and Wanted

Have you got land at your disposal that SPS payments are not currently being claimed on? If so please contact us in order to maximise your potential income – the potential return on capital is substantial!

GTH currently have a quantity of SPS Entitlements at competitive rates for sale. Whether you are looking to buy or sell, please contact us for expert advice.

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