

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

TUESDAY 31ST JANUARY 2012

TOTAL STOCK: 678 HEAD

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GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT AN

Improved Barren Cow Trade to 160ppk (Saler) & 144.5ppk (MRI)

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

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

153 BARREN COWS, BULLS, OTM & UFM PRIME SPRING START TIME 12.30PM from 5th April 2011

Cattle born on or after 1st August 1996. 6 day standstill applies. Exempt section (No TB pre-movement test required) & Clean grazing or feeding section (pre-movement tested or from 3/4 yearly holdings). Auctioneer:

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PLEASE ENSURE ALL CATTLE EAR TAGS HAVE THE FRONT AND BACK OF EACH TAG AS NECESSARY. TRADING STANDARDS WILL SEND HOME CATTLE WITH 1 OR 1½ EAR TAGS.

An increased entry at 153 cull stock, being of generally better quality and combined with keener bidding, met an improved trade throughout.

Top was 160ppk for a young Saler cow (www.gth.net/gallery) from Mr RF Rawlins. Native cows in the vanguard when a Devon from Messrs H & D Besley achieved 158ppk, an Angus from Messrs MR & SK Westcott 149ppk and a South Devon from Messrs A Cotterrell 147.5ppk. Other continental cows rose to 144.5ppk twice for Limousins from both Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP, who also sold a Blonde at 142.5ppk and Mr B Vowles. 142.5ppk was also bid for a Blue cross cow from Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners. Better suckler cows all 130ppk plus.

Sucklers sold to £1,138.47 for a strong 822kg, shapely Simmental from Mr GTJ Boundy. Other sucklers over £1000 at £1096 for the Saler from Mr DF Rawlins; £1,083.92 for the South Devon from Messrs A Cotterrell, who sold another at £1,056.10; £1,070.18 for the Blue from Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners and £1,001.39 for the Limousin from Mr B Vowles.

Some better dairy cows forward to encourage bidding, which rose to a top of 144.5ppk for a smart MRI from Messrs AJ Gay & Son Ltd. Holstein Friesians topped at 136ppk (www.gth.net/gallery) from Messrs PW, MA & RJ Bell. Other best dairy types at 135.5ppk, Swedish Red and White from Mr RJ Shere; 135ppk, (HF) Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son; 133ppk, (HF) Messrs Bailey Bros; 131.5ppk (Brown Swiss) Mr RJ Shere again and 130.5ppk twice for British Friesians from both Messrs R & S Turner Ltd and Messrs AE & PF Triggol. Better meat black and whites generally 125ppk plus. Good meat 120ppk plus. Empty steakers high teens. Steakers up and down of 115ppk. Full steakers around 110ppk. Plain grade 4 cow around 95ppk, when empty types were over 100ppk. Only a handful of cows below 90ppk, which were very plain.

Dairy culls sold to the day's top of £1,171.39 for a boat of a Holstein Friesian from Messrs FE Hill & Son. Another over £1100 at £1,114.47 (HF) from Mr MH Kiff.

Others over £1000 at £1,043.42 (HF) Messrs CR House & Sons; £1,034.46 (HF) Messrs MW & DM Cox & Sons; £1,015.29 (BF) Messrs AE & PF Triggol; £1,008.45 (HF) Messrs PG, ME & SE Harvey and £1,008.45 (HF) Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son. All cows averaged £767.55.

One cull stock bull forward being a strong, lean South Devon from Mr CR Wyatt at £1,251.38.

Some quality overage clean forward to 177.0ppk for a Charolais heifer from Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP, who sold others at 174.5ppk and 166.5ppk twice and a Limousin steer at 173.5ppk.

Many thanks to all Vendors for their continued support. More culls kindly requested to meet the current excellent demand.

BARREN COWS (140)		
Top Price	Average	Top price per head
Continental Beef 160.0p/kg	123.7p/kg	£1,138.47
Native Beef 158.0p/kg	127.7p/kg	£1,083.92
Dairy 144.5p/kg	114.0p/kg	£1,171.39

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	6	149.0	160.0	£974.32	£1,096.00
Grade 2	49	128.5	149.0	£926.26	£1,171.39
Grade 3	39	118.0	126.5	£765.70	£945.70
Grade 4	46	96.0	126.0	£573.09	£795.06

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr DF Rawlins	SAL	685	160.0
Messrs H & D Besley	DEVX	446	158.0
Messrs MR & SK Westcott	AA	587	149.0
Messrs A Cotterrell	SD	716	147.5
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	635	144.5
Mr B Vowles	LIMX	693	144.5
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	BAX	645	142.5
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	BRBX	751	142.5
Mr GTJ Boundy	SIMX	822	138.5
Messrs A Cotterrell	SD	797	136.0

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs AJ Gay & Son Ltd	MRI	671	144.5
Messrs PW, MA & RJ Bell	HF	638	136.0
Mr RJ Shere	SR&W	731	135.5
Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son	HF	747	135.0
Messrs Bailey Bros	HF	689	133.0
Mr RJ Shere	BS	666	131.5
Messrs R & S Turner Ltd	BF	737	130.5
Messrs AE & PF Triggol	BF	778	130.5
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	663	129.5
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Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr GTJ Boundy	SIMX	822	£1,138.47
Mr DF Rawlins	SAL	685	£1,096.00
Messrs A Cotterrell	SD	797	£1,083.92
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	BRBX	751	£1,070.18
Messrs A Cotterrell	SD	716	£1,056.10
Mr B Vowles	LIMX	693	£1,001.39
Messrs A Cotterrell	BRBX	776	£970.00
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	BAX	645	£919.13
Messrs Mitchell Bros	AA	706	£917.80
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	635	£917.58

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	926	£1,171.39
Mr MH Kiff	HF	881	£1,114.47
Messrs CR House & Sons	HF	812	£1,043.42
Messrs MW & BM Cox & Son	HF	821	£1,034.46
Messrs AE & PF Triggol	BF	778	£1,015.29
Messrs PG, ME & SE Harvey	HF	810	£1,008.45
Messrs CG & WL Rich	HF	747	£1,008.45
Mr RJ Shere	SR&W	731	£990.51
Messrs MW & BM Cox & Son	HF	895	£988.98
Messrs RV Edmunds & Son	HF	784	£987.84

HEIFERS (11)		Top price per head
Top price	Average	£1,106.33
177.0p/kg	142.5p/kg	

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	618	177.0
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	634	174.5

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	634	£1,106.33
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	CHX	618	£1,093.86

STEERS (1)		Top price per head
Top price	Average	£1,131.22
173.5p/kg	173.5p/kg	

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	652	173.5

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	652	£1,131.22

BULLS (1)		Top price per head
Top price	Average	£1,251.38
117.5p/kg	117.5p/kg	

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr CR Wyatt	SD	1065	117.5

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr CR Wyatt	SD	1065	£1,251.38

WEEKLY £25 BARREN COW BRIARWOOD AWARD

Briarwood Products Ltd have very generously agreed to award £25 each week to the Vendor of the highest priced per head barren cow

This week's winner: Messrs FE Hill & Son, Fiddington

Briarwood Products Ltd – 01934 641446

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451 PRIME LAMBS & HOGGS Commence at 11.00am
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(451) HOGGS

Top price £94.50
 Top price 216.0p/kg
 SQQ Average 199.68p/kg

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE	NO. SOLD HOGGS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	-	-	53	213.09
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	-	-	144	195.46
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	-	-	194	182.88
Others (Over 52kg)	-	-	60	170.53

A reduced entry of 451 prime hogs forward, after Monday's large entry, sold to a trade similar to both last week and Monday. The best handyweights sold to 216ppk, 214ppk, 211ppk and 202ppk from Rushmore Estate; 206ppk from Mr NP Marshall and 202ppk and 200ppk from Messrs MP & DM Hine. Heavier hogs sold to £94.50 from Messrs JC & D Board. Others £93 and £92 (x2) from Messrs TAH Yandle & Son; £92 (x2) from Messrs AA, RH & EJ White; £92 and £91 from Messrs JE Wakely & Sons and £91 from Messrs MP & DM Hine. Overall average £87.01.

WEIGHT	£	VENDOR
HOGGS		
37.0	£79.20	Rushmore Estate
38.0	£82.20	Rushmore Estate
38.0	£78.20	Mr NP Marshall
39.0	£82.20	Rushmore Estate
41.0	£83.00	Rushmore Estate
45.0	£91.00	Messrs MP & DM Hine
45.0	£90.00	Messrs MP & DM Hine
47.0	£89.00	Messrs JE Wakely & Sons
50.0	£90.00	Messrs AA, RH & EJ White
51.0	£94.50	Messrs JC & DC Board
51.0	£93.00	Messrs TAH Yandle & Son
53.0	£92.00	Messrs TAH Yandle & Son
53.0	£92.00	Messrs AA, RH & EJ White
53.0	£92.00	Messrs JE Wakely & Sons

74 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 10.30am
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£100.00	£108.00	£96.50	£96.50
MEDIUM	£85.00	£95.00	£85.50	£85.50
SMALL	£70.00	£80.00	£79.00	£79.00

Vendors are reminded that female sheep sold for slaughter are not to be heavily in lamb.

A larger entry of 74 cull ewes and rams sold to a very strong trade. The best sold to £108 and £104 from Messrs VK Bartlett & Co. Others £105.50 from Mr AR Henson and £101.50 from Mr G Taylor and Messrs GR & MA Cox. Overall average £85.84. Rams sold to £96.50 from Messrs GR & MA Cox.

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk Cross	Mr AR Henson	£105.50
Suffolk Mule	Messrs VK Bartlett & Co	£108.00
Texel Cross	Messrs VK Bartlett & Co	£104.00
North Country Mule	Messrs HM Thomas & Son	£93.50
Texel Rams	Messrs GR & MA Cox	£96.50
Jacob Rams	Mr M Bundy	£85.50

Greenslade Taylor Hunt require a

Full time Administrator based at Sedgemoor Auction Centre, Farm Sales Team. North Petherton.TA6 6DF

This is a busy and challenging role which requires excellent organisational and interpersonal skills, a high level of IT and secretarial skills with the ability to work to deadlines. The role will be varied and will ideally suit an individual with an understanding of agriculture and rural matters, although not essential as in house training will be given to the right candidate.

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