

**SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE**


**TUESDAY MARKET REPORT**

**6 Day Standstill in Operation**

**TUESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2012**

**TOTAL STOCK: 1005 HEAD**

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**GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT**

Off we go into the New Year with a bang! Young black and white cows to 145ppk and older cows to £1,109.42

**PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK**

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

**110 BARREN COWS, BULLS, OTM & UFM PRIME**

**SPRING START TIME 12.30PM from 5<sup>th</sup> April 2011**

Cattle born on or after 1<sup>st</sup> 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.**

A very tight entry at 111 cull cattle to start the year and what a trade! No real show stoppers to hit former highs but averages well up. Overall 8ppk for grade 2's, 6ppk for steakers and dramatically for the bottom end 13ppk.

Cows topped at 149ppk for a good Limousin from Messrs RJ & SR Bunn. Three quarter meat sucklers from Mr RJ Payne achieved 140ppk (Limousin) and 139.5ppk for a Simmental from Messrs PT Bale & Sons. Native cows peaked at 136.5ppk for a Hereford from Mr R Chaddock and all sucklers averaged 129.6ppk. Sucklers sold to £1,048.29 for a heavy (842kg) Devon from Messrs TG & A Durston. Other well fleshed cows over £1000 were forward from Messrs MJ Tuckett & Partners at £1,040.09 (Charolais) and Mr R Chaddock at £1,026.48 (Hereford). Black and white cows wanted to 145ppk for a young 43m Friesian from Messrs AJ Gay & Son Ltd, who sold another, 44m at 142.5ppk. Older cows peaked at 131ppk for a grand 818kg HF from Mr GCB Davis. Better black and white cows all 125ppk plus, with another over 130ppk at 130.5ppk, being a HF from Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners. Good meat cows 120ppk plus. Better steakers around 115ppk. Plainer steakers around 110ppk. Some very plain cows 95ppk to 105ppk and only exceptionally plain small types below that level.

Black and whites sold to £1,109.42 for a grand 884kg Holstein Friesian from Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners. Others over £1000 at £1,071.58 from Mr GCB Davis; £1,060.80 from Messrs RK & SG Miller & Sons; £1,036.98 from Messrs WJ Venn & Son and £1,021.82 from Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners again.

All cows averaged £768, when many realised over £900. Two black and white bulls forward to 124ppk and £1240 from Messrs CJ & JC Pine.

Clean cattle peaked at 161.5ppk for an Angus heifer from Mr R Takle. Black and white heifers rose to 139.5ppk from Messrs DW Rowe & Son, with others at 135ppk from Mr MJ Ridout and 134ppk and 130.5ppk from Holmwood Farm Ltd.

Our grateful thanks to all Vendors who kindly supported us in 2011 and more cows kindly requested for next week as abattoirs seek to secure stock.

**Please note a few dirty cows are being presented, from which buyers can shy away. To ensure maximum value, please clip dirty cattle.**

**Vendors are strongly recommended to ensure their stock are farm assured.**

<b>BARREN COWS (99)</b>	Average	Top price per head
Top Price	<b>129.6p/kg</b>	<b>£1,040.99</b>
Continental Beef 149.0p/kg	<b>112.1p/kg</b>	<b>£1,048.29</b>
Native Beef 136.5p/kg	<b>113.3p/kg</b>	<b>£1,109.42</b>
Dairy 145.0p/kg		

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
<b>Grade 1</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 2</b>	35	128.5	149.0	£910.93	£1,109.42
<b>Grade 3</b>	36	114.5	123.0	£773.87	£935.50
<b>Grade 4</b>	28	96.0	124.5	£581.15	£1,048.29

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs RJ & SR Bunn	LIMX	644	149.0
Mr RJ Payne	LIMX	660	140.0
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	SIMX	706	139.5
Mr R Chaddock	HE	752	136.5
Messrs MJ Tuckett & Partners	LIMX	738	135.0
Messrs MJ Tuckett & Partners	CHX	797	130.5
Mr Gary Wall	BRBX	742	130.5
Mr W Ham	DEVX	652	125.0
Messrs TG & A Durston	DEVX	842	124.5
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	SIMX	760	119.5

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs AJ Gay & Son Ltd	BF	582	145.0
Messrs AJ Gay & Son Ltd	BF	545	142.5
Mr GCB Davis	HF	818	131.0
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	HF	783	130.5
Messrs CJ & JC Pine	HF	777	128.5
Messrs Dyer & Co	BF	682	128.0
Mr RHJ Coate	BF	610	127.5
Messrs RK & SG Miller & Sons	HF	832	127.5
Finefarm Ltd	HF	720	127.0
Messrs RK & SG Miller & Sons	HF	725	127.0

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs TG & A Durston	DEVX	842	£1,048.29
Messrs MJ Tuckett & Partners	CHX	797	£1,040.09
Mr R Chaddock	HE	752	£1,026.48
Messrs MJ Tuckett & Partners	LIMX	738	£996.30
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	SIMX	706	£984.87
Mr Gary Wall	BRBX	742	£968.31
Messrs RJ & SR Bunn	LIMX	644	£959.56
Mr RJ Payne	LIMX	660	£924.00
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	SIMX	760	£908.20
Messrs TG & A Durston	DEVX	782	£871.93

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	HF	884	£1,109.42

Mr GCB Davis	HF	818	£1,071.58
Messrs RK & SG Miller & Sons	HF	832	£1,060.80
Messrs WJ Venn & Son	HF	823	£1,036.98
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	HF	783	£1,021.82
Messrs CJ & JC Pine	HF	777	£998.45
Messrs JR Dill & Son	BF	823	£983.49
Messrs WJ Venn & Son	HF	762	£967.74
Messrs CJ & JC Pine	HF	803	£935.50
Messrs JR Dill & Son	HF	745	£934.98

<b>HEIFERS (9)</b>		
Top price <b>161.5p/kg</b>	Average <b>116.4p/kg</b>	Top price per head <b>£1,240.00</b>

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr R Takle	AA	545	161.5
Messrs DW Rowe & Son	HF	675	139.5

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr MJ Ridout	HF	723	£976.05
Messrs DW Rowe & Son	HF	675	£941.63

<b>BULLS (2)</b>		
Top price <b>124.0p/kg</b>	Average <b>116.4p/kg</b>	Top price per head <b>£1,240.00</b>

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs CJ & JC Pine	HF	1000	124.0

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs CJ & JC Pine	HF	1000	£1,240.00

**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 JWO Marsh & Partners, Bridport  
**Briarwood Products Ltd – 01934 641446**  
 First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.

**860 PRIME HOGGS** Commence at 11.00am  
**Auctioneer: Paul Ashton** Tel: Office 01278 410278, Mobile 07866 673857  
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**(860) HOGGS**  
 Top price **£98.20**  
 Top price **210.0p/kg**  
 SQQ Average **203.17p/kg**

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD HOGGS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	-	-
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	424	203.17
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	326	191.75
Others (Over 52kg)	110	180.10

A good number entry of 860 hogs sold to a similarly strong trade for the handyweights but dearer than Monday for the heavier types. The best sold to 210ppk from Messrs Vigar & Son. Others 209ppk and 206ppk from Messrs RJ Rood & Son; 209ppk and 205ppk from Messrs D Tucker & Son; 206ppk, 205ppk and 204ppk from Rushmore Estate; 205ppk from Messrs AV & N Lee (x2), Messrs MEJ Branfield & Sons, Mr RH Hill and Messrs SJ & DM Cowling and 204ppk from Messrs TAH Yandle & Son. Heavier lambs sold to £98.20, £96.20, £96 and £95.80 from Messrs VJ & MJ Headon. Others £97.80, £97.50 (x2) and £95 from Messrs JC & DC Board; £97.80, £97.20 and £95.20 from Messrs TAH Yandle & Son; £96 from Messrs C & A Williams; £95.80 from Messrs Arcscott Partners and £95.20 from Messrs L & D Day. Overall average £89.53.

**Please note: Following the prolonged wet weather buyers are now requesting that hogs are bellied out. Dirty lambs are an issue for the first time for some while, due to the sustained rain experienced over recent weeks, which shows no signs of abating at the time of writing this report. To ensure full value is achieved, please belly out dirty lambs.**

WEIGHT	£	VENDOR
<b>HOGGS</b>		
40.0	£84.00	Messrs Vigar & Son
40.0	£82.00	Rushmore Estate
41.0	£85.80	Messrs D Tucker & Son
41.0	£84.50	Messrs RJ Rood & Son
41.0	£84.00	Messrs AV & N Lee
41.0	£84.00	Messrs MEJ Branfield & Sons
41.0	£83.80	Rushmore Estate
42.0	£87.80	Messrs RJ Rood & Son
42.0	£86.50	Rushmore Estate
42.0	£86.00	Messrs D Tucker & Son
42.0	£86.00	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling
42.0	£85.80	Messrs TAH Yandle & Son
43.0	£88.00	Mr RH Hill
44.0	£90.00	Messrs AV & N Lee
46.0	£92.00	Messrs S & D Carnie
48.0	£95.80	Messrs VJ & MJ Headon
51.0	£96.00	Messrs C & A Williams
51.0	£96.00	Messrs VJ & MJ Headon
53.0	£98.20	Messrs VJ & MJ Headon
53.0	£97.80	Messrs TAH Yandle & Son
53.0	£97.20	Messrs TAH Yandle & Son
53.0	£96.20	Messrs VJ & MJ Headon
54.0	£97.80	Messrs JC & DC Board
54.0	£97.50	Messrs JC & DC Board

**35 CULL EWES & RAMS** Commence at 10.30am  
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
<b>BEST</b>	£95.00	£104.50	£99.00	£105.50
<b>MEDIUM</b>	£78.00	£84.00	£86.00	£86.00
<b>SMALL</b>	£53.00	£64.00	£63.00	£63.00

A small entry of 35 cull ewes sold to a very strong trade, when stronger ewes sold to £104.50 and £90.50 from Mr C Jones. Others £96.50 from Messrs S & J Willis; £91 from Messrs D Tucker & Son; £90.50 from Mr AR Henson; £90 from Messrs SJ Govier. Overall average £77.83. Rams sold to £105.50 and £95.50 from Messrs SJ Govier.

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Hampshire Cross	Mr C Jones	£104.50
Suffolk Cross	Messrs S & J Willis	£96.50
Suffolk Mule	Messrs D Tucker & Son	£91.00
Texel Cross	Mr C Jones	£104.50
Dorset Mule	Mr AR Henson	£90.50
North Country Mule	Messrs S & D Carnie	£84.00
Texel Rams	Messrs SJ Govier	£105.50
Charollais Rams	Messrs SJ Govier	£95.50

**ORANGE MARKET**  
**DEDICATED SALE FOR Btb RESTRICTED CATTLE**  
**THURSDAY 26<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2011, 2pm**  
 Please contact Robert Venner to discuss entries and arrange licensing  
 Office: 01278 410278 Mobile: 07889 006503  
 Store Cattle – 15 Months & Over  
 Prime Cattle, Barren Cows  
 Stock to be notified with the market by 16<sup>th</sup> January  
 Vendors require TB164 Licence  
 Cattle To Be Herd Tested in last 60 Days or PMT.  
 Vendors able to take stock home if post sale isolation unit approved  
 Purchasers require TB 16c Licence or AFU/AFQ licence  
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 Cubicle space for approximately 175 head of cattle with clamp silage available on site by private negotiation.  
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 01278 765588.