

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

MONDAY MARKET REPORT
6 Day Standstill in Operation
MONDAY 4TH JULY 2011
TOTAL STOCK: 1356 HEAD

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GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT
Prime Cattle near 200ppk
Prime Lambs back up to £103

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

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

184 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.

(159) UTM & (25) OTM Prime Cattle

Auctioneers Comments:

In the words of one Vendor, "Thank goodness for livestock markets". Monday's trade was again a perfect example of why liveweight markets are so important to our industry.

Despite price resistance from consumers for beef, trade was much improved to near 200ppk for a superb, 530kg red, Blonde heifer from Messrs M & J Gibbins at 198.5ppk, who sold another Charolais cross at 180ppk. Steers topped at 194.5ppk for a very shapely black Limousin from Messrs AJ Hepper & Son, who sold others at 186ppk and 180.5ppk. 194ppk was bid for a plum Devon steer from the Whistley Herd, who also sold another at 183ppk and similar heifers at 184.5ppk twice. A very shapely black Limousin steer from Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem achieved 190ppk, when other strong Limousin steers from the same farm sold particularly well at 186ppk and 184ppk. The best of a run of smart Limousin steers from Messrs HWC & JM Butler peaked at 189ppk, with another at 187ppk, when heifers from the same farm also rose to 187ppk. Barley Blue heifers from Messrs SER Hunt peaked at 188.5ppk, with others at 183.5ppk and 181ppk.

Other best cattle over 180ppk were a Limousin steer from Messrs PA Strawbridge at 184ppk; a Limousin heifer from Messrs MD & GJ Curtis at 183ppk; a Charolais heifer from Messrs RJS Winslade & Son also at 183ppk; a Limousin heifer from Messrs SW Batten & Sons at 182.5ppk and another Limousin heifer, this time from Mr PJ Patch at 181ppk.

Young Blue bulls from Messrs Dyer & Co sold well at 173ppk, 160.5ppk and 160ppk.

Better steers generally 170ppk plus, heifers 175ppk plus. Good steers high 160's, heifers low 170's. Straighter sided steers and heifers both high 150's.

Overage clean also very keenly contested, when both steers and heifers averaged over 150ppk to 179.5ppk for a Blue heifer from Messrs McEwen Smith. Other OTM heifers 178ppk and 174ppk from Mr PJ Patch. Over 30 month steers to 162.5ppk from Messrs DB Hawkins & Son.

OF NOTE, the age from when OTM cattle have to be brain stem tested has been raised from 48m to 72m. A 67m Simmental steer from Mr BD Stacey achieved 145.5ppk and a 62m Longhorn steer from Messrs RG Salisbury & Partners rose to 137.5ppk.

As a consequence of the excellent pence per kilo's, some tremendous pounds per heads were achieved. A run of strong 700kg plus steers from Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem returned at £1,447.80, £1,396.56, £1,365.68, £1,351.92, £1,328.04, £1,267.12, £1,263.74, £1,230.05 and £1,228.50. An exceptional farming achievement. Other steers over £1250 were presented by Messrs HWC & JM Butler, Limousin at £1,279.53 and Messrs SW Batten & Sons, Limousin at £1,276.00 and a Blue at £1,259.18. £1,236.85 was also bid for a Holstein from Messrs CE & BD Bailey & Sons. Overage steers also over £1200 at £1,250.48, Blue and £1,200.46, Hereford, both from Messrs SW Batten & Sons again.

Heifers also sold to over £1200 for an overage Blue (685kg) at £1,229.58 from Messrs McEwen Smith. Another overage Limousin heifer from Messrs HWC & JM Butler also achieved £1,164.40. UTM heifers sold to £1,228.23 for a Limousin from Messrs SW Batten & Sons, who also sold a Charolais at £1,188.80 and another Limousin at £1,126.71. Other heifers over £1100 were a Limousin from Messrs CE & BD Bailey at £1,188.50, a Blonde from Mr KA Bishop at £1,100.31 and OTM South Devon from Messrs TG Mortimer & Son at £1,182.93.

Young bulls to £1,041.46 for a Blue from Messrs Dyer & Co.

Many thanks to all vendors for a super show of cattle and their continued support of the liveweight system.

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 (118)		
Top Price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 194.5p/kg	UTM 165.3p/kg	UTM £1,447.80
OTM 162.5p/kg	OTM 151.2p/kg	OTM £1,250.40

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs AJ Hepper & Son	LIMX	550	194.5
The Whistley Herd	DEVX	496	194.0
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	762	190.0
Messrs HWC & JM Butler	LIMX	677	189.0
Messrs HWC & JM Butler	LIMX	511	187.0
Messrs AJ Hepper & Son	LIMX	616	186.0
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	714	186.0
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	759	184.0
Messrs PA Strawbridge	LIMX	636	184.0
The Whistley Herd	DEVX	507	183.0

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Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	762	£1,447.80
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	759	£1,396.56
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	794	£1,365.68
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	BAX	786	£1,351.92
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	LIMX	714	£1,328.04
Messrs HWC & JM Butler	LIMX	677	£1,279.53
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	LIMX	800	£1,276.00
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	CHX	752	£1,267.12
Messrs DJ & CM Mitchem	SIMX	706	£1,263.74
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	BRBX	754	£1,259.18

HEIFERS (63)		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 198.5p/kg	UTM 166.8p/kg	UTM £1,228.20
OTM 179.5p/kg	OTM 155.6p/kg	OTM £1,229.50

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs M & J Gibbins	BAX	530	198.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	528	188.5
Messrs HWC & JM Butler	LIMX	496	187.0
The Whistley Herd	DEVX	445	184.5
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Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	498	183.5
Messrs MD & GJ Curtis	LIMX	510	183.0
Messrs RJS Winslade & Son	CHX	557	183.0
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	LIMX	673	182.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	533	181.0
Mr PJ Patch	LIMX	560	181.0

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Messrs McEwen Smith	BRBX	685	£1229.58 (OTM)
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	LIMX	673	£1,228.23
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	CHX	743	£1,188.80
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	LIMX	693	£1,188.50
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	LIMX	642	£1,126.71
Messrs HWC & JM Butler	LIMX	710	£1,164.40 (OTM)
Mr KA Bishop	BAX	653	£1,100.31
Messrs M & J Gibbins	BAX	616	£1,099.56
Mr H Carnell	HE	700	£1,095.50
Messrs CG & C Vigar	AA	620	£1,078.80

YOUNG BULLS (3)		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
173.0p/kg	164.6p/kg	£1,041.46

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	602	173.0
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	593	160.5
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	580	160.0

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	602	£1,041.46
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	593	£951.77
Messrs Dyer & Co	BRBX	580	£928.00

BREED	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	NO	AVE	TOP	NO	AVE	TOP
Limousin	30	175.5	194.5	13	175.0	187.0
B/Blue	5	170.0	176.5	5	181.0	188.5
Charolais	7	167.0	178.5	9	170.5	183.0
Simmental	9	166.0	179.0	3	164.5	169.5
Blonde	2	174.0	175.5	3	181.0	198.5
A/Angus	4	157.0	165.0	8	156.5	174.0
Hereford	7	163.5	170.5	5	153.5	156.5
Devon	11	169.0	194.0	7	156.5	184.5
S/Devon	3	159.5	160.5	2	164.0	164.5
B/Friesian	9	150.5	160.0	1	144.5	144.5
H/Friesian	8	150.5	153.5	-	-	-
Gelbvieh	1	167.5	167.5	-	-	-
Dexter	2	135.0	136.0	-	-	-
Sussex	2	161.0	162.5	-	-	-

EUROGRID LIVEWEIGHT COMPARISON						
UTM R4L Average of ppk @ 54% kop = 313ppkdw equivalent						
Grade	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	No	Ave	Max	No	Ave	Max
U+1	1	194.0	194.0	-	-	-
U+2	3	189.0	194.5	1	198.5	198.5
U+3	4	177.5	190.0	-	-	-
U+4L	2	185.0	186.0	2	179.0	182.5
U-2	2	177.5	178.0	1	180.0	180.0
U-3	10	176.5	187.0	4	179.5	187.0
U-4L	9	172.0	176.5	10	180.5	188.5
U-4H	-	-	-	1	163.0	163.0
R1	1	169.0	169.0	-	-	-
R2	1	166.0	166.0	2	166.0	167.0
R3	7	168.5	178.5	3	168.0	171.5
R4L	19	167.5	176.5	11	172.0	183.0
R4H	-	-	-	2	157.0	157.0
O+2	2	159.0	159.5	-	-	-
O+3	5	159.5	167.5	4	152.0	164.5
O+4L	17	159.0	170.5	5	157.5	167.0
O+4H	1	159.5	159.5	3	149.0	156.5
O-2	1	144.5	144.5	-	-	-
O-3	5	149.0	154.5	1	144.5	144.5
O-4L	5	146.5	157.0	4	152.0	154.0
O-4H	-	-	-	1	154.5	154.5
P+2	1	142.5	142.5	-	-	-
P+3	3	152.0	153.5	-	-	-
P+4H	-	-	-	1	129.5	129.5
P-4L	1	147.5	147.5	-	-	-

BUYER REQUEST
FOR YOUNG BARLEY BLACK & WHITE BULLS

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: Messrs M & J Gibbins, Exeter

Briarwood Products Ltd - 01934 641446
First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.

1126 LAMBS
Commencing at 11.15am
Auctioneer: Paul Ashton
Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07866 673857
Adam Hayes Office 01278 410278 Mobile 07889 064309

Top price p/head	(1126) LAMBS
Top price p/kg	£103.00
SQQ Average	232.0p/pk
	210.03p/pk

WEIGHT	No. Sold Lambs	Ave
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	219	213.81
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	818	209.14
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	83	200.99
Others (Over 52kg)	6	176.51

Fewer forward, as many farmers struggle to get the hay in before the predicted rain, sold to a flying, much improved trade for all on offer, driven by the home trade as numbers are short nationally. The best were 220ppk plus and sold to 232ppk and 226ppk from Messrs L & D Day. Others 224ppk from Mr HJ Fisher and Mr AJ Woodward; 222ppk and 221ppk from Mr RP Adams; 222ppk from Messrs JR & RH Williams; 221ppk from Mr MA Blake and Messrs G Stacey & Sons and 220ppk from Messrs DL & ME Gillard and Messrs AV & N Lee. Heavier lambs sold to £103, £96.50, £96.00 and £95.00 from Mr C Reasons; £103 from Mr AJ Woodward; £97.50 from Messrs L & D Day; £96.50 and £95.20 from Mr K Hill, (Bideford); £96.20 from Mr HJ Fisher; £95.50 from Messrs JR & RH Williams; £95.20 from Mr J White and £95 from Milborne Wick Farms Ltd and Mr MA Blake. Overall average £86.83.

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 LAMBS	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
37.0	£82.80	Mr AJ Woodward
38.0	£84.20	Mr RP Adams
38.0	£83.50	Messrs DL & ME Gillard
38.0	£83.00	Mr R Chaddock
38.0	£83.00	Miss AM Bastable
39.0	£88.00	Messrs L & D Day
39.0	£86.00	Mr RP Adams
39.0	£86.00	Messrs G Stacey & Sons
39.0	£85.00	Messrs JR & RH Williams
40.0	£88.00	Messrs AV & N Lee
40.0	£87.20	Messrs Vigar & Son
40.0	£87.00	Mr RJ Irwin
40.0	£86.80	Messrs DL & ME Gillard
41.0	£89.50	Mr HJ Fisher
42.0	£97.50	Messrs L & D Day
43.0	£96.20	Mr HJ Fisher
43.0	£95.50	Messrs JR & RH Williams
43.0	£95.00	Mr MA Blake
44.0	£94.50	Mr K Hill
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45.0	£95.00	Messrs Milborne Wick Farms Ltd
46.0	£95.20	Mr K Hill
47.0	£96.00	Mr C Reasons
47.0	£95.20	Mr J White
48.0	£96.50	Mr C Reasons
49.0	£96.50	Mr K Hill
50.0	£103.00	Mr AJ Woodward
56.0	£103.00	Mr C Reasons

46 CALVES Commencing at 10.45am
Auctioneer: Jeremy Bell:
 Tel: Office 01278 782326, Mobile 07860 319379

Overall Average £162.11
 32 Bulls av £153.31
 14 Heifers av £182.21

Auctioneers Comments:

Trade edging forward in line with the primestock prices which has encouraged rearers to start to batch particularly black and white bulls. Top price £336 for a BBx bull from Mr LG Simmons. Hereford bulls to £300 and heifers to £280 from Mr DAJ Slocombe.

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	Bulls	7	£286.00	£336.00	Mr LG Simmons
	Hfrs	4	£197.00	£245.00	Mr DW Sprackman
Lim x	Bulls	4	£103.00	£235.00	Messrs AH Hook & Sons
	Hfrs	5	£155.00	£190.00	Mr AE Allen
Sim x	Hfrs	2	£206.00	£206.00	Mr KP Silverthorne
He x	Bulls	4	£262.00	£300.00	Mr DAJ Slocombe
	Hfrs	3	£227.00	£280.00	Mr DAJ Slocombe
AA x	Bulls	3	£188.00	£205.00	Mr DJ Crabb
	Strs	1	£131.00	£131.00	Mr WHG Cornock
HF x	Bulls	12	£48.42	£78.00	Mr RW Shledon
BF x	Bulls	1	£90.00	£90.00	Messrs JR & RH Williams

Forthcoming Sales 2011

July

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 RM 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

DEDICATED SALE FOR Btb RESTRICTED CATTLE

THURSDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER
 SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

Store Cattle – 18 Months & Over
 Prime Cattle, Barren Cows
 Dairy Inmilk & Heifers

Vendors require TB166 Licence

Post Sale Isolation Unit Recommended

Entries close to enable licensing 31st August 2011

Please contact Robert Venner to discuss entries and arrange licensing
 Office: 01278 410278 Mobile: 07889 006503

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE, North Petherton,
Bridgwater, Somerset TA6 6DF

Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 9th July 2011

Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Thursday 21st July 2011

Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry

Saturday 23rd July 2011

*If you have any queries or would like either to
make an entry or to receive a catalogue please
do not hesitate to contact Rebecca Hurd at the
market office 01278 410278*