

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT 6 Day Standstill in Operation TUESDAY 5TH JULY 2011 TOTAL STOCK: 915 HEAD

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2 Day Payment: Cheques available for collection on Thursday or posted first class that day.

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT A DEARER BARREN COW TRADE AGAIN TO 158.5PPK FOR SUCKLERS AND 142.0PPK FOR DAIRY

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

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

125 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.

Another tight entry and cows dearer again! A very mixed entry in terms of quality, with not as many good meat cows on offer by a long way, when compared with last week. Top sucklers much dearer, meat cows about 5ppk dearer. Plain cows as dear with some exceptionally well sold.

Sucklers topped at 158.5ppk for a smart red Limousin from Mr BC Knapp. Another suckler over 150ppk was a good Simmental from Messrs J & R Stanbury at 154ppk. Best sucklers 140ppk plus. Better meat sucklers 130ppk plus. Steaking sucklers around 120ppk. Very plain types 100ppk plus.

Sucklers sold to £1,098.88 for a 745kg pure Limousin from Messrs D & P Mead & Co. Others over £1000 were a Limousin from Mr BC Knapp at £1,052.44, a Simmental from Messrs S & C Fry at £1,047.60 and a Charolais from Messrs RP & SJ Chaplin at £1,021.72. Many £850 plus.

Black and whites again over 140ppk to 142ppk for a BF from GNB Farm Ltd. 11 best meat cows over 130ppk. Good meat types up and down of 125ppk. Steakers from 113ppk to 125ppk, when many were close to 120ppk. Plain cows 98ppk to 110ppk. Very plain cows 78ppk to 88ppk, which looked particularly well sold. Holding cows to feed at this time of year may not bear fruit, as in two or three months time, trade may well be very different.

Black and white cows sold to £1,116.35 for a HF from Messrs House & Son. Others over £1000 from Messrs SW Batten & Sons at £1,095.16 (BF) GNB Farm Ltd at £1,066.42 (BF) Messrs RH & C Marchent at £1,025.92 (HF) and Messrs ND & RA Pearce at £1,017.50 (BF). Again, many £850 plus.

Heifers to 153ppk for a Devon from Messrs J & R Stanbury, when another from Mr BD Elworthy achieved 146.5ppk. Black and white heifers to 140.5ppk from Messrs Dyer & Co.

Stock bulls to 124ppk and £1,213.96 for an Angus from GNB Farm Ltd.

The current trade is too good to miss. We strongly recommend Vendors sell cull stock now before any slippage.

BARREN COWS (117) Top Price Beef 158.5p/kg Dairy 142.0p/kg	Average Beef Ave 121.8p/kg Dairy Ave 112.4p/kg	Top price per head Beef £1,098.88 Dairy £1,116.35
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Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	4	150.5	158.5	£1,008.00	£1,098.88
Grade 2	36	131.4	147.0	£904.00	£1,116.35
Grade 3	33	119.6	132.0	£756.00	£979.44
Grade 4	44	87.5	112.0	£481.00	£719.40

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr BC Knapp	LIMX	664	158.5
Messrs J & R Stanbury	SIMX	557	154.0
Messrs D & P Mead & Co	LIMX	745	147.5
Messrs J & W Welland	HE	585	147.0
Messrs J & W Welland	HE	641	147.0
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	720	145.5
Messrs RP & SJ Chaplin	CHX	712	143.5
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	718	139.0
Messrs ND & RA Pearce	SIMX	607	136.5
Messrs CJ & DE Northam	AA	698	135.5

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
GNB Farm Ltd	BF	751	142.0
Messrs ND & RA Pearce	BF	740	137.5
Messrs Dyer & Co	BF	693	136.5
Messrs Bailey Bros	HF	697	135.5
Messrs House & Son	HF	830	134.5
Messrs Holt Farms Ltd	BF	687	133.5
Messrs BJ & CA Ellis & Son	HF	727	132.5
Messrs JR Dill & Son	HF	714	132.0
Messrs D & P Mead & Co	HF	655	132.0
Mr G Pople & Sons	HF	707	132.0
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	BF	836	131.0

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs D & P Mead & Co	LIMX	745	£1,098.88
Mr BC Knapp	LIMX	664	£1,052.44
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	720	£1,047.60
Messrs RP & SJ Chaplin	CHX	712	£1,021.72
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	718	£998.02
Messrs JF Walker	HE	742	£979.44
Messrs CJ & DE Northam	AA	698	£945.79
Messrs J & W Welland	HE	641	£942.27
Messrs RH & C Marchent	CHX	703	£924.45

Please note the age when OTM cattle have to be brain stem tested has been raised from 48m to 72m.

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs House & Son	HF	830	£1,116.35
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	BF	836	£1,095.16
GNB Farm Ltd	BF	751	£1,066.42
Messrs RH & C Marchent	HF	811	£1,025.92
Messrs ND & RA Pearce	BF	740	£1,017.50
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	BF	762	£982.98
Messrs RH & C Marchent	BF	762	£963.93
Messrs BJ & CA Ellis & Son	HF	727	£963.28
Messrs HM Patten & Son	BF	755	£955.08
Messrs JR Dill & Son	HF	714	£942.48
Mr G Pople & Sons	HF	707	£933.24
Messrs SW Batten & Sons	BF	720	£932.40
Messrs LJ & SF Gould	HF	755	£924.88

BULLS (1)		
Top price Bull 124.0p/kg	Average Bull Ave 124.0p/kg	Top price per head Bull £1,213.96

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
GNB Farm Ltd	AA	979	124.0

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GNB Farm Ltd	AA	979	£1,213.96

STEERS/HEIFERS (7)		
Top price 140.5p/kg Strs 153.0p/kg Hfrs	Average 140.5p/kg Strs 139.9p/kg Hfrs	Top price per head £906.23 Strs £1,045.80 Hfrs

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs J & R Stanbury	Hfr	DEVX	513	153.0
Mr BD Elworthy	Hfr	DEVX	700	146.5
Messrs BJ & CA Ellis	Hfr	BS	650	140.5
Miss JN Body	Str	SH	645	140.5
Messrs Dyer & Co	Hfr	BF	747	140.0

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Messrs Dyer & Co	Hfr	BF	747	£1,045.80
Mr BD Elworthy	Hfr	DEVX	700	£1,025.50

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 House & Son
Briarwood Products Ltd – 01934 641446
 First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.

652 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS Commence at 11.00am
Auctioneer: Paul Ashton Tel: Office 01278 410278,
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(643) LAMBS		(9) HOGGS	
Top price	£103.00	Top Price	£94.00
Top price	221.0p/kg	Top price	188.0p/kg
SQQ Average	197.47p/kg	SQQ Average	188.0p/kg

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE	NO. SOLD HOGGS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	122	190.41	-	-
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	476	199.08	-	-
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	42	188.42	1	188.00
Others (Over 52kg)	3	173.94	8	116.67

A smaller entry than expected following Monday's flyer sold to a much improved trade on the week, however a high proportion of very plain/stale lambs pegged the overall averages. The best handyweights sold to 221ppk from Mr G Dennis. 218ppk from Messrs RJ, HA & MR Popham; 218ppk and 208ppk from Messrs AC & DM Dyer; 213ppk and 208ppk from Messrs L Habberfield & Sons; 211ppk from Mr JP T Scott; 210ppk from Mr SC Eavis; 209ppk from Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons and 208ppk from Mr WS Stitch. Heavier lambs sold to £103.00 and £102.50 from Ms K Isgar; £98 from Messrs RJ, HA & MR Popham and Mr PJ Holloway; £97 from Mr C Willcox; £95 from Mr R Webber and £94 from Mr BB Norton, Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons and Mr P Norman. Overall average £81.97.

WEIGHT	£	VENDOR
LAMBS		
35.0	£72.80	Messrs AC & DM Dyer
37.0	£76.00	Mr JK Willcox
38.0	£83.00	Messrs AC & DM Dyer
38.0	£81.00	Messrs L Habberfield & Sons
38.0	£79.00	Messrs L Habberfield & Sons
38.0	£78.50	Mr SG Knight
39.0	£86.00	Mr G Dennis
40.0	£83.00	Mr WS Stitch
40.0	£82.00	Messrs JR Dill & Son
41.0	£85.00	Messrs RS & KJ Page Bros
42.0	£88.50	Mr JPT Scott
42.0	£88.00	Mr SC Eavis
42.0	£87.00	Messrs FH & DB Gibbons & Son
44.0	£90.00	Ms K Isgar
45.0	£98.00	Messrs RJ, HA & MR Popham
45.0	£94.00	Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons
46.0	£93.00	Mr MP Vile
48.0	£97.00	Mr C Willcox
49.0	£98.00	Mr PJ Holloway
52.0	£102.50	Ms K Isgar
57.0	£103.00	Ms K Isgar
HOGGS		
50.0	£94.00	Mr JK Willcox

138 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 9.30am
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£100.00	£115.00	£97.00	£100.00
MEDIUM	£90.00	£95.00	-	-
SMALL	£70.00	£80.00	-	-

A few more forward sold to an improved trade for all on offer. The best sold to £115 from Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons. Others £114.50 from Mr RL Potbury; £113.50 from Mr M King; £110 and £108.50 from Messrs RH Groves & Sons; £105 from Mr JPT Scott and £104 from Mr DJ Hutchings. Overall average £89.83. Rams sold to £100 from Mr NCW Tavernor and £95 from Mr C Willcox.

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk	Mr M King	£113.50
Suffolk Cross	Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons	£115.00
Texel Cross	Messrs NH Hasell & Son	£101.50
Blue Faced Leicester	Mr J Thorne	£97.50
Texel Rams	Mr NCW Tavernor	£100.00
Beltex Rams	Mr C Willcox	£95.00
Charollais Rams	Mr C Willcox	£95.00

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.

All cattle born on or after 15th April 1998 require two tags.

Somerset Trading Standards require any such cattle presented at market with less than two tags to be returned home under licence. Please ensure all cattle born on or after 15th April 1998 have a tag in each ear before leaving home. If a tag is lost in transit, please present tag to STS Animal Health representative for onward licence and sale.

If you are unable to replace a missing tag due to ill health or health and safety issues and would like to use market facilities, please write to Somerset Trading Standards Service, Animal Health and Welfare, Chelston, Wellington, Somerset, TA21 9HP, fax : 01823 664199 or email: ahw@somerset.gov.uk to request permission.

Copy of written confirmation of STSS's permission to accompany **stock to market with tags and taggers.**

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 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

Saturday 20th – Special Catalogued Sale of Suffolk Cross Breeding Ewes

Saturday 20th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

Saturday 20th - Special Catalogued Sale of Haltered and Unhalted Potential Show Cattle

Saturday 27th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 27th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

September

Thursday 1st – South West Multi Breed Pedigree Sheep Show and Sale

Thursday 1st – Autumn Catalogued Breeding Ewe Sale

Saturday 3rd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 3rd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams

Saturday 10th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Thursday 15th – South West Multi Breed Pedigree Native Beef Show & Sale

Thursday 15th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 17th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle

Saturday 17th – Official Show & Sale of Pedigree Shetland Sheep – Non MV Accredited

Thursday 22nd – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 24th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 24th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Thursday 29th – Collective Machinery Sale

October

Saturday 1st – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 1st – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams

Saturday 1st – Special Catalogued Sale of Mule & Mule Cross Breeding Ewes

Thursday 6th – South West Multi Breed Pedigree Continental Beef Show & Sale

Thursday 6th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 8th – Monthly Seasonal Catalogued Sale of In Lamb Ewes & Ewe Lambs

Saturday 8th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Thursday 13th – Devon Cattle Breeders Autumn Show & Sale

Thursday 13th – Collective Show & Sale of Pedigree Shetland & Spotted Ponies

Thursday 20th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 22nd – Special Sale of Pedigree Charollais Sheep on behalf of the British Charollais Sheep Society

Saturday 22nd – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle

Saturday 22nd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs