

# GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

## SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

### TUESDAY MARKET REPORT 6 Day Standstill in Operation TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2011 TOTAL STOCK: 1454 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 TREMENDOUS BARREN COW TRADE, WHEN DAIRY TYPES SOLD TO 132PPK, WITH MANY 125PPK PLUS

##### PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

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

#### 186 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) PLEASE PRIOR BOOK TO ASSIST BUYER RECRUITMENT

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 much larger entry and a shade stronger trade again. Sucklers peaked at 142.5ppk twice for a lean, shapely Blonde from Messrs GH & MG Barber and a quality red Limousin from Mr SJS Loveless. Other absolute best cows over 140ppk from Mr & Mrs R&F Barrow & Son at 141.5ppk and 140.5ppk, being a Limousin cross and a Blue cross. Best type cows 130ppk plus, when 15 achieved 130ppk and above, as listed below. Better sucklers 120ppk and above. Smaller meat sucklers 115ppk plus. Plain types below.

Sucklers sold to £1211.39 for a tremendous 973kg Simmental from Messrs CJ & JC Durston. A grand 935kg Angus from Mr TRS Venner achieved £1206.15. Another close by was a Charolais from Mr AC Tanner at £1184.82. Best sucklers £1000 plus and many £900 and over.

Black and white dairy barreners again very keenly contested over 130ppk to 132ppk (HF) from Messrs S & AJ Cork. Best black and whites 125ppk and above, when 15 featured, again as listed below. Good dairy types 120ppk plus. Meat 115ppk plus. Steakers 110ppk plus. Plain cows down to 100ppk and only very plain below, again rewarding vendors for the excellent quality on offer.

Black and whites sold to £1051.88 for a top sort from Messrs FE Hill & Son, who sold a young cow at £1038.24. Another over £1000 at £1015.92 (HF) was from Messrs CE & BD Bailey. Many good meat cows £900 plus.

Good black and white heifers from Messrs E Gay & Sons rose to 122.5ppk and returned up to £1069.43.

Old stock bulls continue to sell well to 124.5ppk for a lean Charolais from Mr N Flower and £1297.53 for an Angus from Mr SA Lloyd.

Overage clean to 140.5ppk for a smart red Limousin heifer from Miss P Curry. Steers to 135.5ppk for a HF from Mr MJ Merry.

As demand is currently so strong we highly recommend Vendors clear barreners whilst trade is favourable.

<b>BARREN COWS (176)</b>		Top price per head
Top Price	Average	Beef £1,211.39
Beef 142.5p/kg	Beef Ave 119.7p/kg	Dairy £1,051.88
Dairy 132.0p/kg	Dairy Ave 111.9p/kg	

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	14	136.4	142.5	£988.01	£1,206.15
Grade 2	66	123.4	132.0	£849.57	£1,051.88
Grade 3	48	113.3	120.5	£748.19	£973.25
Grade 4	47	96.9	124.5	£608.88	£1,211.39

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs GH & MG Barber	BAX	656	142.5
Mr SJS Loveless	LIMX	620	142.5
Mr R & F Barrow & Son	LIMX	562	141.5
Mr R & F Barrow & Son	BRBX	736	140.5
Messrs GH & MG Barber	BAX	693	139.0
Mr AC Tanner	AA	700	138.5
Miss P Curry	LIMX	683	137.5
Mr R & F Barrow & Son	BRBX	693	136.5
Mr AC Tanner	CHX	868	136.5
Mr RL Collier	HE	752	133.0
Mr R & F Barrow & Son	BRBX	751	133.0
Messrs RG & J Andrews	SMX	742	131.5
Messrs S & C Fry	SMX	766	130.5
Messrs MR & SK Westcott	AA	687	130.5
Messrs CJ & JC Durston	LMX	770	130.0

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs S & AJ Cork	HF	750	132.0
Messrs JR Dill & Son	HF	715	128.5
Messrs EJ & ACM Lockyer	MRI	783	128.5
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	HF	767	128.0
Messrs GE Whitting & Son	BF	730	128.0
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	825	127.5
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	HF	700	126.5
Messrs CR House & Sons	HF	730	126.5
Messrs WL Persey & Sons	HF	773	126.5
Denhay Farms Ltd	HF	777	126.0
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	824	126.0
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	824	126.0
Messrs JR Wescott & Son	HF	674	125.5
Messrs WL Persey & Sons	HF	795	125.0

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs CJ & JC Durston	SIM	973	£1,211.39
Mr TRS Venner	AA	935	£1,206.15
Mr AC Tanner	CHX	868	£1,184.82
Mr R & F Barrow & Sons	BRBX	736	£1,034.08
Messrs EJ & ACM Lockyer	MRI	783	£1,006.16
Messrs CJ & JC Durston	LIMX	770	£1,001.00
Mr RL Collier	HE	752	£1,000.16
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	766	£999.63
Mr R & F Barrow & Sons	BBX	751	£998.83

Messrs MR & P Cooke	CHX	768	£990.72
Messrs RG & J Andrews	SIMX	742	£975.73
Mr AC Tanner	AA	700	£969.50
Messrs Hill & Johnstone	SD	770	£966.35
Messrs GH & MG Barber	BAX	693	£963.27

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	825	£1,051.88
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	824	£1,038.24
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	HF	816	£1,015.92
Messrs EJ & ACM Lockyer	MRI	783	£1,006.16
Messrs DC Dennis & Son	HF	806	£995.41
Messrs WL Persey & Sons	HF	795	£993.75
Messrs S & AJ Cork	HF	750	£990.00
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	HF	767	£981.76
Denhay Farms Ltd	HF	777	£979.02
Messrs WL Persey & Sons	HF	773	£977.85
Messrs GE Whitting & Son	BF	818	£977.51
Mr RJ Rowe	HF	850	£973.25
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	763	£961.38
Messrs GH Cavill & Sons	HF	806	£959.14
Mr RJ Rowe	HF	808	£953.44

<b>BULLS (5)</b>		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
<b>Bull 126.0p/kg</b>	<b>Bull Ave 116.9p/kg</b>	<b>Bull £1,297.53</b>

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs AJ Jennings	HE	804	126.0
Mr N Flower	CHX	985	124.5
Mr SA Lloyd	AA	1109	117.0
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	BRBX	770	114.5
Mr MJ Merry	HF	644	95.0

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Mr SA Lloyd	AA	1109	£1,297.53
Mr N Flower	CHX	985	£1,226.33
Messrs AJ Jennings	HE	804	£1,013.04
Messrs JWO Marsh & Partners	BRBX	770	£881.65
Mr MJ Merry	HF	644	£611.80

<b>STEERS &amp; HEIFERS (5)</b>		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
<b>135.5p/kg Strs</b>	<b>135.5p/kg Hfrs</b>	<b>£817.07 Strs</b>
<b>140.5p/kg Hfrs</b>	<b>122.3p/kg Hfrs</b>	<b>£1,069.43 Hfrs</b>

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Miss P Curry	Hfr	LIMX	595	140.5
Mr MJ Merry	Str	HF	603	135.5
Messrs E Gay & Sons	Hfr	HF	873	122.5
Messrs E Gay & Sons	Hfr	HF	733	118.0
Messrs J Read & Co	Hfr	HF	604	109.5

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Messrs E Gay & Sons	Hfr	HF	873	£1,069.43
Messrs E Gay & Sons	Hfr	HF	733	£864.94
Miss P Curry	Hfr	LIMX	595	£835.98
Mr MJ Merry	Hfr	HF	603	£817.07
Messrs J Read & Co	Hfr	HF	604	£661.38

**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 CJ & JC Durston, Highbridge  
**Briarwood Products Ltd – 01934 641446**  
 First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.

**1068 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS** Commence at 11.00am  
**Auctioneer: Paul Ashton** Tel: Office 01278 410278,  
 Mobile 07866 673857  
**Charles Clark** Tel: Office 01460 238383  
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<b>(1055) LAMBS</b>		<b>(13) HOGGS</b>	
Top price	<b>£106.50</b>	Top price	<b>£88.00</b>
Top price	<b>232.0p/kg</b>	Top price	<b>183.0p/kg</b>
SQQ Average	<b>219.57p/kg</b>	SQQ Average	<b>166.67p/kg</b>

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE	NO. SOLD HOGGS	AVE
<b>Standard (32.1-39.0kg)</b>	251	218.13	-	-
<b>Medium (39.1-45.5kg)</b>	781	220.00	-	-
<b>Heavy (45.6-52kg)</b>	23	219.62	3	166.67
<b>Others (Over 52kg)</b>	-	-	10	143.97

A good entry of 1055 lambs sold to a slightly easier trade than Monday's flyer but still well ahead of last week's prices. The best sold to 232ppk and 229ppk from Messrs D Tucker & Son. Others 231ppk from Messrs AC & DM Dyer; 230ppk from Mr BJ Phelps and Mrs PM & Miss SA Bishop; 228ppk from Mr TJ Hooper, Mr D Barnes, Mr AP Beaver and Messrs GL & LJ Heywood and 227ppk from Mr C Jones and Mr RC Lane. Heavier lambs sold to £106.50 from Mr RC Lane. Others £106, £103.20 and £100 from Messrs KJ & PA Sellick; £101 from Mr RJ Phelps and Messrs AJ & WJ Reed and £100 from Mr C Jones and Messrs KJ & SM Brewer. Overall average £89.81. A small entry of 13 hogs sold to 183ppk from Mrs CD Byrne and £88/head from Messrs AJ Scott & Son.

WEIGHT	£	VENDOR
<b>LAMBS</b>		
38.0	£88.00	Messrs D Tucker & Son
39.0	£89.00	Mr TJ Hooper
39.0	£88.80	Mr AP Beaver
40.0	£92.00	Mrs PM & Miss SA Bishop
40.0	£91.50	Messrs D Tucker & Son
40.0	£91.00	Mr D Barnes
41.0	£92.80	Messrs A Irish & Sons
41.0	£92.80	Mr BJ Phelps
41.0	£92.80	Messrs Wakely & Brunt
41.0	£92.80	Mr AP Beaver
42.0	£94.20	Messrs Wakely & Brunt
43.0	£98.00	Messrs GL & LJ Heywood
43.0	£97.20	Messrs Wakely & Brunt
43.0	£97.00	Mr ME Kidner
44.0	£101.00	Mr BJ Phelps
44.0	£100.00	Mr C Jones
45.0	£101.00	Messrs AJ & WJ Reed
45.0	£100.00	Messrs KJ & PA Sellick
45.0	£100.00	Messrs KJ & SM Brewer
46.0	£103.20	Messrs KJ & PA Sellick
47.0	£106.50	Mr RC Lane
48.0	£106.00	Messrs KJ & PA Sellick
<b>HOGGS</b>		
41.0	£75.00	Mrs CD Byrne
48.0	£80.00	Messrs MJG & DE Richards
51.0	£85.00	Messrs MJG & DE Richards
58.0	£88.00	Messrs AJ Scott & Son

**200 CULL EWES & RAMS** Commence at 9.30am  
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
<b>BEST</b>	£100.00	£110.50	£101.00	£103.00
<b>MEDIUM</b>	£85.00	£90.00	£84.00	£84.00
<b>SMALL</b>	£65.00	£80.00	£58.50	£58.50

A slightly larger entry of 200 ewes and rams but a lack of best quality and a higher proportion of plainer ewes forward. Trade very strong for all on offer with stronger ewes to £110.50, £105.50 and £101.50 from Messrs SJ & DM Cowling. Others £106.50 from Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons; £105 from Messrs AC & DM Dyer; £104.50 from Mrs IJ Williams; £103 from Messrs AJ Scott & Son and £100 from Mr BJ Phelps. Overall average £84.12. Rams sold to £103 from Mr DW Toogood. Others £100.50 from Messrs D Tucker & Son and £100 from Messrs MJG & DE Richards to average £87.61.

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Scotch Half Bred	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling	£110.50
Suffolk Cross	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling	£105.50
Texel Cross	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling	£101.50
North Country Mule	Messrs Wakely & Brunt	£90.00
Shetland	Mr WH Salter	£54.50
Soay	Mr J Glaisher	£30.00
Texel Rams	Mr DW Toogood	£103.00
Suffolk Rams	Messrs D Tucker & Son	£100.50
Charollais Rams	Messrs MJG & DE Richards	£100.00

#### **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 15<sup>th</sup> 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 15<sup>th</sup> 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:to request permission.

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

## **STANDING STRAW AUCTIONS 2011**

West of Taunton Area  
**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm**  
 The Beambridge, Sampford Arundel, Wellington

Approx 1,461 Acres Entered

East of Taunton Area  
**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 7.30pm**  
 The Nags Head Tavern, Thornfalcon, Taunton

Approx 1,490 Acres Entered

This season we have new vendors entering straw in new areas.  
 Attendance at these auctions is strong recommended.  
 Contact Tom Mellor on 01278 410250 or 07929 649195

### **2011 Forthcoming Sales**

#### **June**

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows  
 Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> – Special Catalogued Early Sale of Breeding Ewes  
 Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs  
 Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle  
 Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

#### **July**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock  
 Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams  
 Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs  
 Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Special Catalogued Sale of Rare, Native & Traditional Pedigree & Pure Bred Cattle, Sheep, Pigs & Alpacas  
 Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> – Annual Catalogued Sale of Breeding Ewes & Rams  
 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows  
 Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> – Collective Machinery Sale  
 Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs  
 Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> – The Annual Top 10% & Seasonality Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls  
 Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale  
 Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry  
 Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle  
 Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

#### **August**

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Dispersal sale of Pedigree Holstein cows and followers  
 Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Cattle  
 Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams  
 Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> – Dispersal sale of the Stroudmead herd - 250 Pedigree Holsteins for RM Winslom Ltd  
 Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows  
 Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> – Special Catalogued Sale of Continental Cross Breeding Ewes  
 Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs  
 Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> – Special Catalogued Sale of Suffolk Cross Breeding Ewes  
 Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry  
 Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> – Special Catalogued Sale of Haltered and Unhaltered Potential Show Cattle  
 Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle  
 Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

