

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

SATURDAY STORE STOCK MARKET

6 Day Standstill in Operation

SATURDAY 26TH MARCH 2011

TOTAL STORE STOCK: 5792 HEAD

For market reports, entry forms and lists of pre entered stock on the internet go to www.gth.net.

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT

A very busy spring market, close to 6000 head.
All sections firing with trade strong throughout.

www.gth.net

Please telephone the market office to advise of your intention to consign stock. Those stock will then be advertised on www.gth.net, under our pre-entered stock lists.

118 DAIRY CATTLE Commencing 11am Prompt

Auctioneer: **Derek Biss** *Please Note New Start Time*

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

Note: The Dairy Sales in Ring 1 will commence at 11am in future.

Another very large spring entry of both milkers and youngstock saw the best trade for several weeks with calved pedigree heifers to £2010 for Mr P Searle. Non pedigree heifers to £1800 for Messrs AA Witcombe & Son. Others £1760, £1700, £1690 and £1680 all from John & Heather Snook. Non pedigree 2nd calvers to £1810 for Norman Taylor and £1520 Mr NG Osborne, Towcester. Cross bred incalf cows from Messrs JG Quicke & Partners to £1090 and £1040. British Friesian summer calving heifers to £1000 for Messrs JE & RA Davys. Yearling or older heifers from Mark Futchter to £680 who also had calves to £500 x4.

TYPE	Min	Max	Ave
1 st Quality Heifers	£1600	£2010	£1720
2 nd Quality Heifers	£1020	£1560	£1410
1 st Quality Cows	£1520	£1800	£1655
2 nd Quality Cows	£1000	£1450	£1250

Please note entries for our Dairy section are available on the Greenslade Taylor Hunt website (www.gth.net) Friday afternoon

1635 STORE CATTLE, STIRKS, SUCKLER & GRAZING COWS

1093 STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS

Commencing 10.00am

DEDICATED RING FOR FEEDING CATTLE OVER 400KG

Auctioneers:

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Robert Venner Tel: Office 01278 410278 Mobile 07889 006503

First 120 Store Cattle penned will be out of the draw

PLEASE ARRIVE AT MARKET AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE

PLEASE PRE BOOK YOUR STOCK TO HELP US RECRUIT BUYERS

PLEASE NOTE: FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION DECLARATION

Vendors of cattle which could be slaughtered for human consumption within a medical withdrawal period are required to complete the Food Chain Information Declaration (f) on our new entry forms (Edition 6 January 2010).

FARM ASSURANCE. We strongly recommend Vendors selling stores over 26 months to ensure they are farm assured. Please sell non assured stores before 26 months of age. Please note dairy assurance does not qualify. For Saturday 2nd April 2011:- 60 day PMT date: 1st February 2011 (count day after injection as 1 and day of sale as 60).

The largest entry of the year to date met probably the strongest trade of the year. Grass buyers present to compete with feeders. Top was £1102 for a 23m Limousin steer from Messrs RH & GA Morrish Ltd, Torrington, who have achieved the top price for four weeks running and who sold another (23m) at £1100. Well framed Limousins (23m/25m) from Mr PD Derryman, Stockland, achieved £1090, with others (25m) from the same farm at £1045. 26m Limousin steers from Mr HR Hutton, Easter Compton, sold well at £1080. 24m Charolais from Mr KLH Sweet rose to £1050. Other steers over £1000 were a Blue (25m) from Mr RJ Willcox, Kenn; £1020 (25m) Simmental, Messrs Stevens Bros, Upottery; £1010 (25m) Simmental, Messrs ML & KA Ousley, Tatworth; £1005 twice for a 25m Simmental and a 27m Charoalis, both from Messrs EJ Collins & Son, Chard and £1000 (17/23m) red Limousins from Mr J Porter, Mark. Native steers, part of the monthly special Angus and Hereford sale rose to £945 for a Hereford (22m) from Messrs Baker & Adlam, Westhay, when shapely Angus (23m) from Mr BC Knapp, Pilling achieved £935.

Messrs RH & GA Morrish Ltd also topped the heifers for the second consecutive week at £950 with 20m/23m Charolais and sold others (20m/23m) at £895, £22m/23m) at £870, (19m/23m) £862 and (22m/23m) £855. £890 was bid for a 28m Simmental from Messrs EJ Collins & Son, Chard, who sold Blues (25m) at £875. An average Simmental from Messrs RE Fewings, Littleton, achieved £880. Messrs Stevens Bros also featured with their Simmental heifers (25m/27m) at £870. £855 was also achieved by Messrs ML & KA Ousley, Tatworth for a 26m Blue. Native heifers peaked at £835 for a Devon (28m) from Messrs RM Sparks & Son, Wellington.

Young stores rose to £850 for very smart 11m/12m Blues from Mr R Langley, Spreyton. A smart run of Charolais from Mr S Payne, Washfield peaked at £795 (13m) with heifer (13m) at £778. Good Charolais steers (13m) from Messrs TJ Samways & Son, Crewkerne achieved £755. £750 was bid for an 11m Angus steer from Netherhay Farms, who sold a Limousin heifer (13m) at £690.

Many thanks to all vendors and hauliers for their continued support and patience when unloading on what was a very busy and successful day.

Steers	Max £1102	Ave £650
Heifers	Max £950	Ave £619

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£1050	£1005	£950	£895
Limousin	£1102	£1100	£835	£815
Simmental	£1020	£1010	£890	£880
B/Blue	£1022	£980	£875	£855
Hereford	£975	£945	£750	£740
Angus	£935	£870	£755	£738
S/Devon	£860	£850	£530	-
Devon	£730	£665	£835	£610
Blonde	£900	£738	£795	£730
Friesian	£785	£752	£700	£535

SUCKLER COWS, CALVES & STOCK BULLS

Auctioneer: **Derek Biss**

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

542 STIRKS & BUSK CALVES Commencing 11.00am

DEDICATED RING FOR REARING CATTLE UP TO 400KG

Auctioneers:

Will Handel Tel: Office 01404 46222, Mobile: 07894 616167

Martyn Venner Tel: 01823 277121 Mobile: 07813 697012

Pre movement test required for Saturday 2nd April 2011 if born on or before the 19th February 2011.

A record entry with every pen, passage and loading bay full to capacity. Trade remains strong, with particular interest in good conformation young suckler bred stirks. Some plainer types a shade easier due to the large entry.

Top price of £865 for an excellent pair of 10/11m Limousin steers from Messrs Maynard & Smith, who also sold another at £850. Other Limousins from Messrs CA & B Jarvis to £668 (9/10m) and £600 (9/10m); £645 from Mr B Cross and £605 from Messrs S & N Farming.

A strong entry of Simmentals from Mr MW Causey saw them rise to £655 (8/9m) with others from the same farm at £555. Other Charolais from Messrs GA Sully & Sons Ltd at £595 and £592; £565 from Messrs MEJ Branfield & Sons; £565 from Mr C George; £560 from Messrs W Hilborne & Son; £550 from Mr SR Pollett and £540 from Messrs DW & JE Blackmore. Herefords to £585 from Messrs FA Kingcott & Son, with others from the same farm at £520. British Blues to £560 from Ms PR Greenslade (10m).

The heifer section was again topped by Messrs LE Sweetland & Son with a Limousin (8m) which sold for £640. Others from the same farm at £585 (10m). Other Limousins at £598 (8m) from Messrs CA & B Jarvis, with others at £510 (9/12m) from Mr RA Cross and £510 from Mr JE Reason (11m). Strong Simmentals from Mr MR Causey to £578 (9m) and £560 (9/11m). Charolais to £570 (12m) from Messrs W Hilborne & Son, with others at £548 from Mr HJL Cooper (10m); £495 (11m) from Ms P Greenslade and £495 from Messrs GA Sully & Sons Ltd (11m). Herefords to £542 from Messrs FA Kingcott & Son.

Many thanks to all purchasers, vendors and hauliers on what was a very busy day.

Steers	Max £865	Ave £429
Heifers	Max £640	Ave £385

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£645	£565	£570	£548
Limousin	£865	£850	£640	£598
Simmental	£655	£652	£578	£560
British Blue	£560	£515	£520	£455
Hereford	£585	£520	£542	£345
Angus	£505	£500	£428	£392
Devon	£352	£305	-	-
Blonde	£508	£480	£338	£300
Friesian	£425	£380	-	-
Shorthorn	£570	£355	£400	£285
Galloway	£292	-	£300	-
Stabiliser	£480	£478	£378	-

Ringworm

Please note, cattle with ringworm are not allowed to be accepted at market. Any former ringworm must be healed over i.e. not scaly or flaky and with hair growing back.

352 CALVES Commencing 10.00am

Auctioneers:

Charles Clark Tel: Office 01460 238383

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Andy Clements Tel: Office 01278 410250 Mobile: 07769 904704

For Saturday 2nd April 2011
Calves born on or before 19th February 2011 will
require a pre-movement test.

All calves from 1 and 2 yearly routine TB testing herds (all South West), which are 42 days old and over (not counting date of birth) must be TB pre-movement tested. Entry forms for all calves must be completed, with the TB declaration signed.

(260) Beef Breeds

A larger entry met a very bright trade with many more buyers in attendance, including new faces from Carmarthen, Pembrokeshire and Lincolnshire. Top Continental bulls to £346 for British Blues from Mr NF George. Others to £332, £330, £329, £320 (x2) and £318. Simmentals also to £318 and £312 and Limousins to £305. Most good younger Continental bulls at £240-£280, with mediums £180-£240 and smaller bulls £120 plus. An improved heifer trade saw the best back over £250 to a top of £298 from Mr RD Willcox for Limousins. Others to £285 with Blues to £284, £276, £265 and an outstanding Simmental from Messrs RF & BA Larcombe to £265. Others £254, £250 (x2), £235 (x4). Plenty of good heifers, particularly Blues over £200, with mediums £160-£200. Smaller Continental heifers £120-£160. More Herefords and Angus on show with best Hereford bulls, young, to £215 Jacomilly Farm. Also £215 Dallyns Dairy. Others £180, £162 and £160. Heifers quite lively to £140 Mr MT Prettejohn. Others £130, £130 and £120. Angus bulls to £280 Mr N George and £260 Mr P Nemitz. Younger sorts £218, £204 and £202. Heifers to £150 Foxcombe Farm Ltd. More calves could have sold to advantage as Spring looms on the horizon.

Breed	Type	No	Max Price (£)	Vendor	Ave. (£)
Blue	Bull	39	£340	Mr NF George	£262
	Hfr	39	£284	Mr NF George	£209
Charolais	Bull	3	£288	Messrs DT & GM Patch	£253
	Hfr	4	£208	Mr JW Snook	£148
Limousin	Bull	23	£305	Mr H Tucker	£191
	Hfr	18	£298	Mr RD Willcox	£166
Simmental	Bull	16	£318	Mr NF George	£235
	Hfr	12	£265	Messrs RF & BA Larcombe	£188
Bazadais	Hfr	1	£184	Mr & Mrs GN Loder	-
Hereford	Bull	24	£215	Jacomilly Farming	£136
	Hfr	14	£140	Mr MT Prettejohn	£101
Mont	Bull	13	£170	Mr & Mrs GN Loder	£42
Angus	Bull	21	£280	Mr NF George	£156
	Hfr	16	£150	Foxcombe Farm	£81
Devon	Bull	4	£300	Mr FWJ Parris	£185
	Hfr	1	£64	Mr NC Taylor	-

(92) Friesians

A much livelier trade with several new buyers looking for black and white bulls to rear. The best young Friesians generally £80-£100 with £98 from Messrs Gibbs Farms; £95 Messrs DW Rowe & Son; £92 Messrs FC & C Tucker; £88 Messrs DW Rowe & Son and £85 Messrs W Warren & Son. Plenty of good calves £50-£80 with interest in medium rearers at £30-£50. Plainer sorts £10-£30. Older Holstein Friesians (10 weeks) to £245, £168, £165 Mr RJ Stitch; £145 Dallyns Dairy and £140 Messrs J & D Tilbee.

CALVES MUST BE 7 DAYS OLD TO COME TO MARKET. IF DESCRIBING CALVES AS BF OR FR ON ENTRY FORM, PLEASE ENSURE PASSPORTS ALSO DETAIL BF OR FR ACCORDINGLY.

Please ensure, if you bring in slaughter calves, that you have completed a Food Chain Information Form, as incorporated into the entry forms. Thank you.

3373 SHEEP Commencing 10:30am

Auctioneers:

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Paul Ashton

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PLEASE NOTE: All sheep are required to be entered with a Food Chain Information Declaration, which will be part of our entry form. This applies equally to store lambs, breeding and grazing ewes and couples. A copy is available on www.gth.net or from the market office.

Store Lambs (1406)

A slightly smaller entry sold to an even stronger trade which broke the £100 barrier twice, with a top of £104 from Mr CA Churchill, closely followed by £100.50 from Mr RW Hickman. Others to £99 from Mr RJ Smith; £97.50 from Mr G Legg and Mr CJ Burrough; £96.50 from Mr CV Vinning; £96 from Mr R Hooper and Mr IC Churchill; £95.50 from Messrs RH & GA Morrish Ltd, Mr AC Holland and Mr MB Wollacott; £95 from Mr VEA Sparshott; £94 from Mr RW Hickman; £93.50 from Messrs R & J Cook; £93 from Mr K Hoyner, Mr CV Vinning and Mr WF Pincombe; £92.50 from Mr I Howe; £92 from Mr RB Macklin and £91.50 from Mr T Treschel and Mr THJ Denbee. Mediums £70-£85 and small lambs generally £35 plus. Overall average up to £79.72.

Couples (359 Ewes & 587 Lambs)

More forward sold to a stronger trade for all on offer. The best doubles sold to £205 (£68.33/life) from Messrs DJ & J Burrough & Son. Others £200 (£66.67/life) from Messrs BG, DE & SJ Howell and Mr CJ Love; £198 (£66/life) and £194 (£64.67/life) from Mr RJ Wall; £192 (£64/life) from Mr DJ Cheacker and £191 and £190 (£63.67 and £63.33/life) from Mr S Habberfield. 5 ewes with 9 lambs sold at £200 (£71.43/life) from Mr T Sprague. Singles sold to £158 (£79/life) from Mr I Collard. Others £155 (£77.50/life) from Mr RJ Brendon; £154 (£77/life) from Mr CJ Love; £153 (£76.50/life) from Mr J Harding and £150 (£75/life) from Mr T Andrews, Mr DJ Cheacker and Messrs BG, DE & SJ Howell. Overall average £56.05/life.

Grazing Ewes (986)

Another large entry sold to another very strong trade. The best were £115 plus and sold to £149.50, £146 and £121.50 from Mr RH Chave & Son; £130 from Mr G Osborne; £129 from Mr F Kidner; £125 from Mr CL Popham; £123.50 from Messrs R & F Barrow & Son; £120.50 from Mr HJ Fisher and Mr B Bright and £120 from Mr DL Cole and Mr RL Tidy. Mediums £80-£95. Plain £60-£75. Boners nearly all £30 plus. Overall average £88.38.

Orphan Lambs (35)

Fewer forward and a similar trade with top prices £29 and £27 from Mr AM Bastable. Overall average £17.60.

Vendors are advised to ensure their 2011 born lambs, sold at foot, as orphans or as store lambs, have at least a single electronic flock tag. This will enable Purchasers to upgrade ewe lambs if required and facilitate subsequent on movements for all, thereby ensuring maximum buyer support. Any ewe lambs sold for breeding will require double tags, one being Electronic with both displaying flock and full individual number.

314 PIGS Commencing 11.00am

Auctioneer: Paul Trolley Tel: Office 01278 410250
*****PIGS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED*****

Store Pigs (140)

Better entry but quality still in short supply. Best attracted good interest with smart Gloucester Old Spots from Messrs CL & LJ Schultze selling to £39. 8 w/o Whites to £30. Good sorts from Mr T Salvidge, Mr J Watts and Mr E Lockyer.

Breeding Pigs (7+17)

More forward selective interest. Sow +11 from Messrs M & K Ousley to £240. In pig Sow to £95 from Messrs R & G Jarrett.

Fat Pigs (115)

Good entry and fast trade for the best. Lights to £89, mediums to £106 and heavies to £116. Best sorts from Mr C Chilcott, Messrs LE Miller & Son, Bicton College, Messrs WJ Acreman & Son and Penleigh Farm Fresh Ltd.

Cull Sows (31)

Larger entry and another very firm trade. Best to £248 (x2) Gray Galloway Partnership who also sold £238 (x2). £245 from Mr A Hawkins, £208 (x2) Mr EMC Bax and Mr J Parry.

Boars (3)

Sold to £173 Mr M Wakefield.

****Next Pig Auction Saturday 9th April****

POULTRY

Auctioneers:

Tom Mellor Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07929 649195
Andy Clements Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07769 904704

****Next Poultry Auction Saturday 2nd April****
12 Noon (New Time)

FODDER

Auctioneer:

Tom Mellor Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07929 649195

Private Treaty

Pedigree Limousin Bull 7 Years
Very Good & Quiet - Going back on daughters
Ref: E28

2011 Forthcoming Sales

April

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock
Saturday 2nd – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry
12 Noon
Thursday 7th – Spring South West Multi Breed Beef Show & Sale
Thursday 7th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows
Saturday 9th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Monday 11th – Easter Show & Sale of Suck Lambs
Thursday 14th – Walford Cross Collective Machinery Sale (3000 lots)
Saturday 16th – Special Sale of Continental Store Stock
Thursday 21st – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale
Saturday 23rd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle
Saturday 23rd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Saturday 30th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry
Saturday 30th – Honiton YFC Show & Sale

May

Saturday 7th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock
Saturday 7th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Saturday 7th – Yarcombe YFC Show & Sale of Ewe and Lamb Couples
Saturday 14th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows
Saturday 14th – Special Catalogued Sale of Ewe Hogg Couples
Thursday 19th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale
Saturday 21st – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Tuesday 24th – The Annual May Collective Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls
Saturday 28th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle
Saturday 28th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

June

Saturday 4th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock
Saturday 4th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Saturday 11th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows
Saturday 11th – Special Catalogued Early Sale of Breeding Ewes
Saturday 18th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
Saturday 25th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle
Saturday 25th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

Thursday 7th April 2011

Spring South West Multi Breed Show & Sale of
142
Pedigree Beef Cattle
Ring 2 - 1pm

along with the Special Catalogued Monthly Sale of
150
Commercial Suckler Cows
Ring 3 - 10.30am

Pedigree entries to date include **British Charolais** 9 Bulls & 7 Females, **British Limousin** 6 Bulls & 14 Females, **British Simmental** 2 Bulls & 5 Females, **British Blonde** 14 Bulls & 12 Females, **British Blue** 1 Bull, **Salers** 3 Bulls & 2 Females, **Aberdeen Angus** 6 Bulls & 4 Females, **Devon** 2 Bulls & 37 Females, **Hereford** 2 Bulls & 1 Female, **Highland** 1 Bull, **Dexter** 12 Females & **Beef Shorthorn** 2 Females

To discuss any prospective entries or request a catalogue please contact either Robert Venner on 07889 006503 or Rebecca Hurd on 01278 410278

Livestock Sales

TUESDAY 5TH APRIL 2011 AT 11:30AM

Dispersal of the Homebred 8,700kgs NMR Dairy Herd being

243 head

Comp: 151 Cows & Heifers Inmilk &/or Incalf; 39 Incalf Heifers (due April – Sept); 13 Served Heifers & 40 Bulling & Yearling Heifers

- ☆ NMR Av: 8724kgs. 4.04%BF 3.28%P SCC=197
- ☆ YOUNG HERD: 103 1st- 3rd Lactation
- ☆ CALVING: Jan-April (45); May-Aug (66); Sep-Dec (69)
- ☆ AI SIRE INC: Burt; Garrison; Jordan; Lorak; Gabe etc. Services: Cows AI Holstein Sires; Heifers to Hereford

For **L S Pow & Sons Ltd** (ceasing milk production)

(Removed from Inglesbatch Farm, Bath, Somerset, BA2 9DZ) for convenience of sale)

16TH APRIL 2011 SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE Dispersal of the '**Pickwick**' herd of 71 Holsteins for **MB & A Jordan**, Berkeley. (Ceasing Milk Production due to ill health). Comp: 37 Calved Cows and Heifers, 3 Served Heifers, 21 Bulling and younger heifers and 8+ Calves

For catalogues contact 01278 410250, e-mail: livestock@gth.net, website www.gth.net

Forthcoming Deadstock Sales

THURSDAY 14TH APRIL 2011 WALFORD CROSS, TAUNTON, SOMERSET. 57th Walford Cross Grand Implement Sale. Expected entries - 75 Tractors/Vehicles, 600 lots of Farm Machinery, 2800 Miscellaneous lots

Private Treaty (Yeovil Office)

Evercreech, Shepton Mallet

An excellent range of versatile farmbuildings and pasture land in two blocks, in total extending to 50 acres or thereabouts.

For Sale by Private Treaty

Guide Price £400,000

Yeovil Office: 01935 415300 (Ref: JHL)

North Perrott, Crewkerne, Somerset

An excellent opportunity to expand an existing nursery business or develop a versatile smallholding. A handsome and modern farmhouse (subject to AOC) in a secluded location with attractive gardens, grounds, outbuildings, paddocks, nurseries and vineyard. In total extending to 6.91 acres or thereabouts.

For Sale by Private Treaty

Guide Price £645,000

Yeovil Office: 01935 415300 (Ref: JHL)

Ham Hill, Stoke Sub Hamdon, Somerset

Pasture land and equine field shelter occupying a pleasant position within the Ham Hill Country Park, extending to approximately 3.34 acres (1.35 ha) or thereabouts

Guide Price £45,000

East Lydford, Somerton, Somerset

An attractive and versatile block of permanent pasture set within an easily accessible village location in the heart of Somerset, extending to 40.13 acres (16.24 Ha) or thereabouts

For Sale by Private Treaty

Guide Price £250,000

Yeovil Office: 01935 415300 (Ref: JHL)

Contact Yeovil 01935 415300