

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

TUESDAY 8TH MARCH 2011

TOTAL STOCK: 799 HEAD

For market reports and entry forms on the internet, Click on "Sedgemoor Auction Centre".

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

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Spectacular Cow Trade to £1,069.20
Hogs to £96.50 & Killing Ewes to £115.00

www.gth.net

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

146 BARREN COWS, BULLS, OTM & UFM PRIME

WINTER START TIME 12 O'CLOCK from 19th October 2010

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) PLEASE PRIOR BOOK TO ASSIST BUYER RECRUITMENT

Auctioneer:

Robert Venner Office: 01278 410278 Mobile: 07889 006503

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.

PLEASE NOTE: From 2010 all slaughter cattle need to be sold with Food Chain Information. Please complete the declaration on our entry form.

Another spectacular trade with all buyers full steam ahead securing numbers. Generally speaking best meat suckler cows in the 125ppk-135ppk range, black and whites 115ppk-125ppk. Only really the plainer steakers under 100ppk and even the leanest sorts 80-90ppk with the boners 65-75ppk.

There doesn't seem a better time to fatten cows than at the moment whilst supply remains very tight and meat wholesalers look to source the cheaper option of cow beef for manufacturing rather than poorer prime stock grades which themselves have gone very dear – see Monday's market report!

Top price per head £1,069.20 (Limousin) from Messrs JE & M Mather & Son who also had £986.70 and £958.04 for Limousins. £1,023.39 (MRI) from Messrs PA & CE Edwards; £1,017.90 (HF) from Messrs CH & PC Corbett Ltd who also had £963.90 (HF); £984.68 (HF) Messrs J Cornish & Sons; £966.28 (HF) Messrs CR House & Sons; £955.50 (HF) Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd; £951.81 (Simmental) Messrs S & C Fry; £949.62 (HF) Messrs NR, VJ & IR Parker and £933.88 (Charolais) Messrs A Male & Son.

BARREN COWS (138)		Average		Top price per head	
Top Price		Beef Ave	103.83p/kg	Beef	£1,069.20
Beef	149.5p/kg	Dairy Ave	113.65p/kg	Dairy	£1,023.39
Dairy	133.0p/kg				

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	7	133.1	149.5	£900.63	£1,069.20
Grade 2	35	117.6	133.0	£822.27	£1,023.39
Grade 3	56	106.9	118.0	£692.63	£886.95
Grade 4	40	89.4	110.5	£526.19	£758.78

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs JE & M Mather & Son	LIMX	660	149.5
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Messrs JE & M Mather & Son	LIMX	792	135.0
Mr MJ Pidsley	CHX	512	130.0
Mr MJ Pidsley	LIMX	623	127.5
Messrs AB, RG & JL Darby	BRBX	706	127.0
Messrs Quick & Sons	AA	604	124.5
Barnston Farms (Dorset) Ltd	SIMX	683	124.5
Messrs A Male & Son	CHX	775	120.5
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	700	117.5

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs PW & MA Bell	HF	500	133.0
Messrs PA & CE Edwards	MRI	822	124.5
Messrs PA & CE Edwards	MRI	678	122.5
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	HF	780	122.5
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	HF	680	122.0
Messrs WJ Venn & Son	HF	666	121.0
Messrs RF & BA Larcombe	BF	722	120.0
Messrs J Cornish & Sons	HF	824	119.5
Messrs NR, VJ & IR Parker	HF	612	118.0
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	HF	722	118.0

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs JE & M Mather & Son	LIMX	792	£1,069.20
Messrs JE & M Mather & Son	LIMX	660	£986.70
Messrs JE & M Mather & Son	LIMX	663	£958.04
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	817	£951.81
Messrs A Male & Son	CHX	775	£933.88
Messrs AB, RG & JL Darby	BRBX	706	£896.62
Mrs JD Lock	CHX	752	£864.80
Barnston Farms (Dorset) Ltd	SIMX	683	£850.34
Mr DH Sayer	AA	725	£844.63
Messrs S & C Fry	SIMX	700	£822.50

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs PA & CE Edwards	MRI	822	£1,023.39
Messrs J Cornish & Sons	HF	824	£984.68
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	HF	780	£955.50
Messrs NR, VJ & IR Parker	HF	833	£949.62
Messrs FE Hill & Son	HF	782	£895.39
Messrs TA & AJ Reed	HF	810	£886.95
Messrs CJ Radford & Son	HF	757	£885.69
Messrs PA & CE Edwards	MRI	765	£875.93
Messrs D & P Mead & Co	HF	810	£874.80
Messrs RF Larcombe	BF	722	£866.40

BULLS (1)	Average	Top price per head
Top price	Bull Ave 115.0p/kg	Bull £1,035.00
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Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr BW Fisher	LIMX	900	115.0

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Mr BW Fisher	LIMX	900	£1,035.00

STEERS & HEIFERS (7)	Average	Top price per head
Top price Strs p/kg Hfrs 131.5p/kg	Strs Ave p/kg Hfrs Ave 124.8p/kg	Strs £ Hfrs £1,040.85

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs CH & PC Corbett Ltd	Hfr	HF	733	131.5
Messrs CH & PC Corbett Ltd	Hfr	HF	783	130.0
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	Hfr	HF	534	129.5
Messrs A Holloway & Partners	Hfr	DEVX	524	127.5
Messrs CR House & Sons	Hfr	HF	833	116.0

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Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	Hfr	HF	534	£1,040.85
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Messrs CR House & Sons	Hfr	HF	833	£966.28
Messrs CH & PC Corbett Ltd	Hfr	HF	733	£963.90
Messrs FG Jeanes & Sons Ltd	Hfr	HF	534	£691.53

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 JE & M Mather & Son

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

456 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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(11) LAMBS

Top price £90.00
 Top price 209.3p/kg
 SQQ Average 209.3p/kg

(445) HOGGS

Top price £96.50
 Top price 224.0 p/kg
 SQQ Average 201.89p/kg

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE	NO. SOLD HOGGS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	-	-	117	201.21
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	11	209.3	140	202.39
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	-	-	172	187.04
Others (Over 52kg)	-	-	16	165.36

Fewer forward sold to a very strong flying trade for all on offer and even with an overall lack of quality the hogs still averaged over 200ppk for the handy weights. The best sold to 224ppk from Mr SA Rousell. Others 213ppk, 210ppk and 203ppk (x2) from Mrs J Saunders; 213ppk and 202ppk from Messrs Habberfield & Priscott; 209ppk and 203ppk from Mr JE Quick; 208ppk from Rushmore Estate; 205ppk from Mr AR Wear; 203ppk from Mr B Lester and Mr WT Hodges and 202ppk from Mr WB Lishman. Heavier hogs sold to £96.50 from Mr SA Rousell; £95.00 (x3), £95, £93.50 and £93 from Messrs R & S Parry Jones; £95 from Messrs JC & DC Board and Messrs KJ & SM Brewer; £95 and £94.50 from Mr NR Huxter; £92.50 from Mrs J Saunders and £92 from Mr JE Quick. Overall average £84.71. Lambs sold to 209.3ppk and £90/head from Mr GJ Cottrell.

WEIGHT	£	VENDOR
LAMBS		
43.0	£90.00	Mr GJ Cottrell
HOGGS		
34.0	£70.80	Rushmore Estate
39.0	£79.20	Mr WT Hodges
39.0	£79.20	Mrs J Saunders
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40.0	£89.50	Mr SA Rousell
40.0	£81.20	Mr B Lester
41.0	£87.50	Mrs J Saunders
41.0	£84.00	Mr AR Wear
41.0	£83.00	Mr WB Lishman
41.0	£82.50	Mr SF Evans
43.0	£91.50	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
43.0	£87.20	Mr JE Quick
43.0	£87.00	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
44.0	£92.50	Mrs J Saunders
44.0	£92.00	Mr JE Quick
45.0	£90.00	Messrs A & SA Edwards
45.0	£89.00	Mr NA Norman
46.0	£90.20	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
46.0	£90.00	Mrs J Saunders
46.0	£90.00	Mr NR Huxter
47.0	£90.20	Messrs A & SA Edwards
48.0	£94.50	Mr NR Huxter
48.0	£91.00	Messrs Habberfield & Priscott
50.0	£95.00	Mr NR Huxter
50.0	£95.00	Messrs KJ & SM Brewer
50.0	£93.50	Messrs R & S Parry Jones
51.0	£96.50	Mr SA Rousell
51.0	£95.50	Messrs R & S Parry Jones
51.0	£95.00	Messrs JC & DC Board
54.0	£95.00	Messrs R & S Parry Jones

197 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 9.30am
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£105.00	£115.00	£110.00	£118.00
MEDIUM	£85.00	£95.00	£84.00	£93.00
SMALL	£62.00	£70.00	£50.00	£70.00

A larger entry but overall lack of quality sold to an improved trade for all on offer with the best £105 plus to a top of £115 from Messrs A & SA Edwards. Others £111 from Mr EJ Gwyn; £110 from Messrs GE & EJ Nicholls, Mr CJ Sage and Mr C Peach; £106 from Culmvalle Services and £105 from Mr NA Norman. Overall average £82.89. Rams sold to £118 from Mr J Headon & Son and £101 from Mr NR Huxter.

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk Cross	Messrs A & SA Edwards	£115.00
Texel Cross	Mr EJ Gwyn	£111.00
Charollais Cross	Mr C Peach	£110.00
Polled Dorset	Mr CJ Sage	£102.00
North Country Mule	Messrs R & S Parry Jones	£95.00
Charollais Rams	Messrs J Headon & Son	£118.00
Suffolk Rams	Mr NR Huxter	£101.00

COLLECTIVE FODDER AUCTIONS
 The following date has been scheduled:-
 Saturday 19th March
 Entries kindly invited for the February Auction
 All enquiries to Tom Mellor on 01278 410250 or 07929 649195

March

- Thursday 10th – Devon Cattle Breeders Society Spring Show & Sale **Judging at 10am. Sale 11.30am**
- Saturday 12th – First of Two Sales to Disperse the Milking Herd being the Autumn/Winter Calving portion of **80 MRI's at 12.30pm approx following the weekly dairy section**
- Saturday 12th - Special Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows
- Saturday 12th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11.15am**
- Saturday 19th – Special Catalogued Sale of Suckler Cows **1pm Ring 1**
- Saturday 19th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle **10am Ring 2**
- Saturday 19th – Collective Fodder Auction **Approx 1pm to follow Stirks Ring 3**
- Tuesday 22nd – The Annual Spring Fever Sale of Freshly Calved Cows & Heifers, Youngstock & Bulls
- Thursday 24th – Collective Catalogued Horse & Pony Sale **3pm**
- Saturday 26th – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle **10am Ring 2**
- Saturday 26th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11.15am**

TB RESTRICTED CATTLE COLLECTION CENTRE

Stock pre sold on deadweight basis to highest nationally tendered price. Stock weighed and graded at market to act as a check on killing out percentages and prices received.

Stock to be pre-booked with ear numbers and description by no later than one week ahead of collection. TB24B licence required from DEFRA SVS.

Contact Robert Venner on 07889 006503 or Adam Hayes 07771 908252. Office 01278 410278.

**Greenslade Taylor Hunt, Sedgemoor Auction Centre
Livestock Pennage Security Policy**

To prevent the escape of livestock from the pennage area, please ensure:-

Outer loading bay gates are securely chained to vehicle tailboard gates when unloading or loading stock. **It will be deemed**

negligence if this is not done.

Second set of loading bay gates to be secured with chain (cattle) and sliding fastener (sheep) after unloading.

Gates are always to be left in closed position when vacating loading bays.

In the event of an escape raise alarm and ensure entrance and exit gates are closed. Once entrance and exit gates are closed, then proceed to recapture stock.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

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.

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Professional Services

Greenslade Taylor Hunt is a multi-disciplined business which enables us to have numerous specialists to provide tailored advice on all aspects and issues arising for agricultural businesses. A brief breakdown of some of our professional services is listed below:

▪ Valuations

- Probate
- Secured Lending
- Matrimonial
- Tax & Pension Planning
- Business Restructuring

▪ Landlord and Tenant Matters

- Estate Management
- Farm Business Tenancies
- Agricultural Holding Act Tenancies
- Rent Reviews
- Rent Collections
- Grazing Licences

▪ Compensation & Compulsory Purchase

- Water, Gas and Electricity Pipelines and Cables
- Environment Agency Works & Flood Defences
- Telecommunications
- Road Schemes

Plus any of these:

- Land and Property Sales
- Live & Deadstock Sales
- Single Payment and Agri-environment Schemes
- Rural Planning and Agricultural
- Dwelling House Appraisals
- Grass, Straw and Maize Sales
- Farm Management Advice
- Shooting, Fishing and Sporting Advice
- Diversification
- Digital Mapping
- Expert Witness and Litigation
- Forestry

The above list is far from exhaustive and there are many other matters not mentioned, please contact us for further advice.

Agricultural Departments:

Sedgemoor Auction Centre 01278 410250 • **Burnham on Sea** 01278 782326

Chard 01460 238383 • **Honiton** 01404 46222 • **Langport** 01458 250000

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