

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

SATURDAY STORE STOCK MARKET

6 Day Standstill in Operation

SATURDAY 15th MAY 2010

TOTAL STORE STOCK: 3004 HEAD

For market reports and entry forms on the internet go to www.gth.net.

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT REPORT

Dairy Cattle to £2150, Store Cattle to £955,

Stirk Heifers to £670

Calves very dear to £393

Store Lambs to £88.50, Couples to £256, Ewe Lambs to £101, Cull Ewes to £99.50 & Orphan Lambs to £43

65 DAIRY CATTLE Commencing 11.15am Prompt

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a similar sized entry of 65 which saw a marked improvement in the trade. The overall quality on offer was far superior to the previous week's, which always helps the trade. An outstanding pedigree heifer from Messrs FG Summerhayes & Son sold to £2150 with others from the same vendor to £1720 and £1670. Another pedigree heifer from Mr GCB Davis realised £1870. Also £1770 Messrs JL Trott & Partners. £1720 Messrs LG Bagg & Partners. Best cows at a premium to £1600 for Messrs Whetham & Son (2nd calver), others to £1400 Derek Tottle. An excellent Ayrshire 2nd calver to £1460 for Norman Taylor. Also Jersey 2nd calver to £820 Mr R Webb. A run of Jersey x in calf cows sold to £880, £820 and £800, all from Messrs MRG Taylor. Weaned calves to £355 Messrs JH Billen & Son. Younger calves to £320 Mr RAS Pattenden. Charolais non pedigree stock bull to £1190 for Messrs MJG & DE Richards.

TYPE	Min	Max	Ave
1 st Quality Heifers	£1720	£2150	£1846
2 nd Quality Heifers	£1100	£1680	£1446
1 st Quality Cows	£1600	£1600	£1600
2 nd Quality Cows	£1200	£1460	£1353

POSITION WANTED

Experienced Herdsman/Herd Manager seeks position in the SW. Previous experience includes day-to-day management of the dairy herd, foot trimming, AI, feeding, tractor driving, etc.

All enquiries to Tom Mellor 07929 649195

1027 STORE CATTLE, STIRKS & SUCKLERS

781 STORE CATTLE Commencing 10.00am

DEDICATED RING FOR FEEDING CATTLE OVER 400KG

Auctioneers:

Neil Biffen Tel: Office 01458 250000 Home 01823 664663

Robert Venner Tel: Office 01278 410278 Mobile 07889 006503

First 160 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 CHASE BUYERS

PLEASE NOTE: FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION DECLARATION

Vendors of cattle which could be slaughtered for human consumption within 3 months of the date of sale are required to complete the Food Chain Information Declaration (f) on our new entry forms (Edition 6 January 2010). We request vendors of forward stores DESTROY all former entry forms and only use the latest forms which contain the FCI declaration.

For Saturday 22nd May 2010:- 60 day PMT date: 24th March 2010 (count day after injection as 1 and day of sale as 60)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a good entry for mid May of generally very mixed quality, which met a steady trade when few best cattle were presented to set the ring alight. However new Welsh buyers were present to swell the attendance. Top of the day was £955 for strong 24/25m Blonde and Charolais steers from Messrs FG, NK & AJ Gammon, Lydeard St Lawrence, who also sold forward Blue steers at £950, another Blonde (26m) at £940 and a grand Bazadais at £910. The best from Messrs J & J Meaker & Son, Pitney rose to £915 for a 25m Blue steer. 23/27m Limousin and Simmental steers from the same farm achieved £890 (twice) and £880. A good run of smart continental steers from Mr PJ Betty, Othey rose to £910 for 24/26m Charolais. Others £888 from the same farm for 22/24m Limousin and Charolais steers. Native steers sold to £850 for a grand overage Friesian from Messrs RE Fewings & Son, Littleton. £830 was bid for a 20m South Devon from Messrs Dart Bros, Cullompton. Heifers topped at £905, for the "beast of the day", being a 21m, very shapely Limousin from Mr G Barnes, Whitchurch Canoncorum. Other shapely heifers to £880 for a 24m Blue from Mr BC Knapp, Pilning. A well fleshed Simmental (26m) from Mr JF Tidbold sold well at £835. A bunch of fleshed 22/25m Simmentals from Mr PJ Betty again achieved £825. Similar Charolais (21/27m) sold well at £800 from the same farm. Other heifers at and over £800 at £810, being an overage Blue from Messrs NW & SE Legg & Sons, South Perrott and £800 for a 25m Charolais from Messrs FG, NK & AJ Gammon again. A lot of overage, badly bred and cattle small for their age forward, which generally steadied the trade and found homes at lower levels. Good demand for young stores, which peaked at £758 for quality 13m Simmental steers from Messrs S & C Fry, Wareham. 13/15m Simmental heifers from the same farm at £670. Well bred 9/12m Saller steers from Mr M Light, Okehampton, sold well at £748, £705 and £680. A well grown 13m Simmental steer from Mr JF Tidbold, Minehead, rose to £735. The same price was achieved by Mr RC Loveridge, Axminster, with 12m Simmental steers. A smart 13m Limousin bull from Mr J Dorse, Cullompton, sold well at £730.

Many thanks to all vendors, particularly those who pre-booked their entries. With an improvement in the weather, further graziers are anticipated and hopefully an improvement in trade.

Steers	Max £955	Ave £600
Heifers	Max £905	Ave £585

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£955	£910	£800	£788
Limousin	£890	£888	£905	£880
Simmental	£890	£880	£835	£825
B/Blue	£950	£795	£810	£780
Hereford	£785	£730	£640	£560
Friesian	£850	£750	£680	-
Angus	£720	£700	£760	£630
Devon	£830	£770	-	-
Blonde	£955	£940	£760	-

SUCKLERS, CALVES & BULLS

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a small entry of sucklers after last week's special monthly sale, which topped at £900 for an 05 Charolais with 2m Simmental heifer calf from Mr AC Loxton.

236 STIRKS & BUSK CALVES Commencing 11.00am
DEDICATED RING FOR REARING CATTLE UP TO 400KG

Auctioneers:

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

Toby Bateman Tel: Office 01278 410250 Mobile: 07738 800048

Pre movement test required for Saturday 22nd May 2010 if born on or before the 11th April 2010.

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a smaller entry of mixed quality stirks sold to a solid trade again with good confirmation cattle being keenly contested. The section was topped by a 6m British Blue heifer from Messrs EJ & JD Cope which sold for £670. Other heifers from the same farm (8m) to £530. Limousin steers were bid to £612 (12m) from Messrs WH & ML Baker. Other Limousins to £600 (11m) from Mrs LA Read; £592 (12m) and £588 (12m) from Messrs WH & ML Baker again. A level bunch of 6 10/11m steers from Messrs MM Gollop & Son met a final call of £555. Charolais steers to £600 (12/13m) from Messrs DJ & J Burrough. Others to £575 (9m) from Messrs DJ & SE Bristol. British Blues to £600 (12m) from Messrs MM Gollop & Son; £550 (9m) from Mr SJ Sibley and £520 (6m) from Messrs EJ & JD Cope. Simmentals to £550 from Mr SJ Sibley (9/13m). Blondes from Mr RM Prouse (12m) to £560 and £510 (12m). £505 (12m) from Mr JCA Goodland. Angus to £525 (9m) from Messrs Dyer & Co. Other heifers to £540 for a 9m Limousin from Mr SRJ Quick, with other Limousin at £510 (12m) and £500 (12m) from Messrs WH & ML Baker; £485 (11m) and £478 (10m) from Mrs LA Read. Blondes to £515 (13m) from Mr JCA Goodland. South Devons (13m) from Messrs Hill & Johnstone to £500. Charolais to £475 (8m) from Messrs DJ & SE Bristol, with 10/13m heifers from Mr CT Rawle to £450.

Steers	Max £612	Ave £373
Heifers	Max £670	Ave £375

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£600	£575	£475	£450
Limousin	£612	£600	£540	£510
Simmental	£550	£485	£350	£345
B/Blue	£600	£550	£670	£530
Hereford	£502	£492	£390	£320
Friesian	£440	£315	-	-
Angus	£525	£510	£410	£380
S/Devon	-	-	£500	-
Blonde	£560	£518	£515	£425
British White	£480	-	-	-

Ringworm

Please note, cattle with ringworm are not allowed to be accepted at market. Over recent weeks Somerset Trading Standards have had to send home stirks with ring worm. Please do not bring cattle with ringworm to market. This Spring has been particularly bad for ringworm. Please do not land yourself in trouble by bringing cattle with ring worm to market. Any former ringworm must be healed over i.e. not scaly or flaky and with hair grown back.

386 CALVES Commencing 10.00am

Auctioneers:

Charles Clark Tel: Office 01460 238383

Mobile: 07850 691561

Martyn Venner Tel: 01823 277121 Mobile: 07813 697012

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. Calves born on or before 13th March 2010 (not counting the day of birth) will require a pre-movement test.

(269) Beef Breeds

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report the lilac is out and calf trade is very lively, with best continental bulls and all heifers in extremely keen demand and some calves of excellent quality ensuring some firm prices. Top bulls to £393 for a Blue bull from Messrs FG & C Tucker of Mudgley. Others to £378 Messrs D & B Croton; £375 Messrs P & M Eccles; £362 Messrs IS Gibbons; £360 Messrs HJ & AE Huxter; £360 Messrs AS & AE Perrett; £358 Messrs FJ Powell & Son. Limousins to £375 Mr NF George and £355 Messrs RF & JK Cox & Son and £347 part of a superb consignment from Messrs M & P Watts & Son, Glastonbury. Simmentals to £332 Messrs Reed, Buckland St Mary and Messrs SF Grabham & Sons. Others £324 Thornhill Farm (Dorset) Ltd.

Charolais in short supply to £320 Messrs CG, GR & MS Spiller. Around 50 bull calves at £300 or above today. Medium bulls £250-£300. Tremendous demand for heifers saw Blues to £330 Mr RA Reed. Also £310 and £290 Messrs D & B Croton, with class Limousins to £314 from both Messrs B & P Horsey & Son and Messrs AP & REA Retter. A lot of heifers £250 plus, a considerable advance on recent weeks but quality well up.

Medium heifers to £230, smaller sorts £150-£200. Not so many native breeds on show but strong Angus to £280 Messrs KW & JM Hulbert Ltd. Younger calves to £250 Messrs GH Cavill & Sons. Also £248 Messrs WE Turner & Sons and £245 Messrs DT & CP Hubbart. Heifers to £200 Mr J Terry. Hereford bulls to £258 Winfrith Field Farms LLP and £252, £248 with heifers to £222. Good Devon bulls to £230 Messrs LJ & SF Gould. Others £205 with heifers to £160, another good consignment of bright young calves.

Breed	Type	No	Max Price (£)	Vendor	Ave. (£)
B/Blue	Bull	44	£393	Messrs FG & C Tucker	£294
	Heifer	28	£330	Mr RA Reed	£259
Charolais	Bull	8	£320	Messrs CG, GR & MS Spiller	£284
	Heifer	10	£348	Mr CE Veysey	£274
Limousin	Bull	36	£375	Mr NF George	£280
	Heifer	21	£314	Messrs B & P Horsey & Son	£229
Simmental	Bull	18	£332	Messrs MT & JA Reed & Son	£246
	Heifer	19	£312	Messrs B & P Horsey & Son	£221
Blonde	Bull	1	£180	Messrs CJ Radford & Son	£180
	Heifer	1	£110	Messrs CJ Radford & Son	£110
Hereford	Bull	7	£258	Winfrith Field Farms LLP	£202
	Heifer	2	£222	Winfrith Field Farms LLP	£215
Montbeliarde	Bull	1	£155	Messrs Irish Bros	£155
Angus	Bull	26	£280	Messrs KW & JM Hulbert Ltd	£199
	Heifer	18	£200	Mr J terry	£109
Devon	Bull	4	£230	Messrs LJ & SF Gould	£198
	Heifer	8	£160	Messrs LJ & SF Gould	£114

(117) Friesians

A good entry met another very solid trade with best young Friesians to £130 Messrs MJ Frampton & Sons. Others to £128 Messrs MW Nash & Partners; £120 Ireosa Ltd; £120 Mr GG Dyer; £110 Messrs DS Jenkins & Sons. Many good calves £80-£110 and medium rearers £50-£70, plainer sorts £30-£50 but not much under £30. Older Friesians to £190 Mr SR Peach. Others to £170 Messrs RF & JK Cox & Son, £150 Mr J Baily.

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.

1526 SHEEP Commencing 10:30am

April Store Lambs will Start at 10.30am

Auctioneers:

Richard Webber

Tel: Office 01404 46222 Mob 07740 881180

Paul Ashton

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07866 673857

PLEASE NOTE: From 2010 all sheep will be 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 (343)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a smaller end of season entry of mixed quality which sold to a steadier trade with the best to £88.50 from Mr I Kealey. Others £80 from Mr N Reed and Messrs JRB & HL Odgens; £77.50 from Mr AG Brinson; £77 from Messrs DM & DM Ginger and £76 from Mr PK Nduthu and Mr G Busk. Overall average £65.06.

Couples (246 Ewes & 322 Lambs)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report fewer couples forward which sold to a strong trade for the best sorts, especially the younger ewes with stronger lambs. Top price went to Mr R Forgan for doubles at £256 (£85.33/life). Other doubles to £182 (£60.67/life) from Mr M Williams; £179 (£59.67/life) from Mr AJ Nichol; £176 (£58.67/life) from Mr D Retter and Mr D Croker and £172 (£57.33/life) from Mr B Oram. An entry of 3 ewes and 5 lambs from Messrs JL Trott & Partners sold at £208 (£78/life), with a pen of 5 ewes and 9 lambs at £184 (£65.71/life) from the same vendor. Best singles to £190 (£95/life) from Mr D Rashley with others to £170 (£85/life) from Mr R Laramy, Mr M Williams and Milborne Wick Farms.

Breeding Ewes (32)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a smart pen of Mule x ewe lambs from Mr D Toogood sold at £101 with others to £90 (twice) from the same vendor.

Grazing Ewes (570)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a very large Saturday entry, sold to an easier trade with buyers reluctant to break the £100 barrier. Top price £99.50 (twice) from Messrs WA Rapson & Sons and Mr RJ Laramy. Others to £99 from Mr AG Brinson and Messrs JL Trott & Partners; £98.50 from Mr G Warren and Mr G Legg; £98 from Messrs SJ Kelland & Son; Messrs RJ & JM Churchill and Mr W Weston; £97 from Mr J Simons and Messrs SJ Kelland & Son; £95.50 from Mr AD Cowling and £95 from Messrs WA Rapson & Sons. Overall average down £72.32.

Orphan Lambs (13)

Greenslade Taylor Hunt report a smaller entry with best lambs to £43 from Mr AJ Nichol; with others to £41 and £37 from Messrs JS & KG Lock. Others to £30 with the overall average at £33.62.

Vendors are advised, wherever possible, to ensure their 2010 born lambs, sold at foot or as orphans, have electronic tags to enable Purchasers to upgrade to double tags if required and ensure maximum buyer support.

PIGS Commencing 11.00am

Auctioneer: Paul Trolley Tel: Office 01278 410250

www.pigboards.co.uk

POULTRY

Auctioneers:

Toby Bateman Tel: Office 01278 410250

Tom Mellor Tel: Office 01278 410250

Purchasers are coming from far and wide to the catalogued sales at Sedgemoor Auction Centre and Vendors are urged to submit an entry for the next poultry auction scheduled for **Saturday 26th June 2010**.

Please contact Becky Hurd on 01278 410278 for an entry form. Closing date for cataloguing 12th June 2010.

Forthcoming Sales

May

Saturday 22nd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11am**

Thursday 27th – Collective Horse & Pony Sale **3pm**

Saturday 29th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle **10am**

June

Saturday 5th – Monthly Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 5th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 12th – Special Monthly Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 12th – Early Breeding Ewe Sale

Saturday 19th – Special Sale of Rare, Native & Traditional Pedigree & Pure Bred Cattle, Sheep, Pigs & Alpacas

Saturday 19th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 26th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 26th – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry

July

Saturday 3rd – Monthly Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 3rd – Special Monthly Ram Sale

Saturday 3rd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Thursday 8th – Annual Breeding Ewe & Ram Sale

Saturday 10th – Special Monthly Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 17th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Thursday 22nd – Collective Horse & Pony Sale

Saturday 31st – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 31st – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

August

Saturday 7th – Monthly Sale of Organic Store Cattle

Saturday 7th – Special Monthly Ram Sale

Saturday 14th – Special Monthly Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 14th – Special Sale of Continental Cross Breeding Ewes

Saturday 14th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 21st – Special Sale of Suffolk Cross Breeding Ewes

Saturday 21st – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry

Saturday 28th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 28th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Email Database

Should you wish to receive a copy of Greenslade Taylor Hunt's electronic Newsletter, "In The Field", please email market@gth.net to register your interest and please indicate if your interest lies with dairy, beef, sheep or arable.

Part Time Admin/ Office Person Required

30 hours per week in an expanding business

Must have good communication skills, be capable of using own initiative and working in a busy office and conferencing environment.

You must be computer literate with an excellent telephone and personnel manner. Wages related to experience.

Please forward your CV with references to:

Paul Wilson
Junction 24 Ltd
Sedgemoor Auction Centre
Market Way
North Petherton
Somerset
TA6 6DF

June

Saturday 12th – Early Breeding Ewe Sale
Entries now being taken

Saturday 19th – Special Sale of Rare, Native & Traditional Pedigree & Pure Bred Cattle, Sheep, Pigs & Alpacas
Entries now being taken

July

Thursday 8th – Annual Breeding Ewe & Ram Sale
Entries now being taken

Contact Market Office on 01278 410278

Forthcoming Live & Deadstock Sales

**SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE
NORTH PETHERTON, SOMERSET, TA6 6DF**

TUESDAY 25th MAY 2010 at 11.30am

**The May Collective Sale of
215
Freshly Calved Cows and Heifers,
Incalf Heifers, Youngstock and Bulls**

**To incorporate the Dispersal of the Milking Portion
of the 9687 kgs. 'Stockey' Herd (102 head) for WE & AWD & PE Parr**

This is a herd of very productive well bred Holstein Friesians personally milked and well managed by the family. Calving all the year around, half of the herd are in their 1st-3rd lactation. Prefixes include Culverhayes, Osco and Blacksands. Sires include Gibbon, Eddie, Duce and Shaker. Service sires include Samuelo. They are cubicle housed and milked through a herringbone parlour.

- ❖ **44 Freshly Calved Cows and Heifers** from Bettiscombe, Dorset, Keevil, Lilylane, Marcroft, Meadmoor, Moorshard, Swallowdale, Westel
- ❖ **57 Incalf heifers** from 'Poundhill' and to include consignment of 51 Incalf Heifers due Jul/Aug for J & A Redman
- ❖ **10 Bulls** from Culverhayes, Davlea, Dorset, Lilylane, Marcroft & Winkleigh
- ❖ **2 Heifer Calves** from Inspiration and Maundrils

**HEWISH MILL FARM
HEWISH, CREWKERNE, SOMERSET, TA18 8QX
(Off B3165 Crewkerne to Lyme Regis Road)
FRIDAY 28th MAY 2010 at 1.00 pm prompt**

**Dispersal Sale
of
3 TRACTORS, FARM MACHINERY,
LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT, MEMORABILIA,
MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS, HAY & STRAW**

for The Executors of the late J Stoodley

A 10% Buyers Premium will be charged on non agricultural machinery items

Further entries accepted

For catalogues please contact 01278 410250 or download from www.gth.net