

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

MONDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

MONDAY 16TH MAY 2011

TOTAL STOCK: 2050 HEAD

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Brighter finished cattle trade, particularly for second quality.

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF STOCK

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

187 PRIME CATTLE

PLEASE NOTE NEW SPRING START TIME

Commencing at 1.00pm

Auctioneers:

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First 40 cattle penned are out of the draw. All Vendors are invited into the rostrum at the time of sale of their cattle. Lowest commission rate in the South of England. 3 Day Payment: Cheques available for collection on Thursday or posted First Class that day. PLEASE ENSURE ALL CATTLE EAR TAGS HAVE THE FRONT AND BACK OF EACH TAG AS NECESSARY. TRADING STANDARDS WILL SEND HOME CATTLE MISSING AN EAR TAG OR WITH 1½ EAR TAGS. FABBL 01908 249973. CMI 01993 885610. PAI 08452265401.

(149) UTM & (38) OTM Prime Cattle

Auctioneers Comments:

A slightly reduced entry of 187 prime cattle met a much brighter trade, at least 5ppk if not more up on the week for the second quality. Top of the day was 181.5ppk for a very shapely, lightweight, lean, red Saler heifer from Messrs JR & EA Roberts, who also sold other heifers, white Charolais at 175ppk a smart red Blonde at 174ppk, a shapely Charolais at 172ppk and a shapely Blue at 171.5ppk. Other better type heifers over 170ppk at 176.5ppk, 175.5ppk and 173.5ppk for barley Blues from Mr SER Hunt and 172.5ppk for a well fleshed Gelbvieh from Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son. Good heifers generally low 160's. Straighter sided heifers mid 150's.

Steers topped at 178ppk for a very shapely Limousin from Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son again, who also sold other better type steers at 173.5ppk (Gelbvieh) and 172ppk (Limousin). A well fleshed black Limousin from Messrs FG Payne & Sons achieved 177ppk. A good run from Messrs FR & MJ Morrish peaked at 174ppk for a shapely Limousin, who also sold another at 170ppk. Another over 170ppk was a lean Blue from Mr TE Harris at 171.5ppk. Good steers high 150's. Straighter sided types generally 150ppk plus. All buyers very keen to secure cattle.

Overage clean cattle also dearer, showing the most improvement on average, yet there were some smart overage on show. Top was 156.5ppk for a lightweight feeding Limousin heifer from Mr R Binning.

Steers sold to 156ppk twice for a Blonde and a Limousin from Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP.

Steers sold to £1,235.48 for an overage Blonde from Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP, who sold others at £1,230.84 and £1,226.16. UTM steers sold to £1,217.30 for a smart Blue from Mrs FG Payne & Sons. Another steer over £1200 was an MRI from Messrs G Vauden & Sons. 47 heavyweight steers averaged £1,026.84.

Heifers sold to £1,197.35 for a shapely, well fleshed overage Blue from Mr R Smart, who sold other overage Blue heifers at £983.25 and £964.10. Several UTM heifers over £1000 including £1,090.38, £1,049.49, £1,004.64 and £1,001.70, all Limousins from Messrs CE & BD Bailey.

Many more could have been sold to advantage.

PLEASE NOTE: From 2010 all slaughter cattle will need to be entered with a Food Chain Information Form, which will be part of our entry form.

STEERS (85)		
Top Price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 178.0p/kg	UTM 156.5p/kg	UTM £1,217.30
OTM 156.0p/kg	OTM 145.3p/kg	OTM £1,235.48

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs J & S Vinnicombe	LIMX	643	178.0
Messrs FG Payne & Sons	LIMX	656	177.0
Messrs FR & MJ Morrish	LIMX	595	174.0
Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son	GELX	635	173.5
Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son	LIMX	666	172.0
Mr TE Harris	BRBX	562	171.5
Messrs FR & MJ Morrish	LIMX	652	170.0
Messrs ME Sparks	LIMX	540	169.5
Mr P Ogborne	BRBX	671	169.0
Messrs FR & MJ Morrish	LIMX	687	168.5
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	LIMX	672	168.5

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	BAX	855	£1,235.48
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	LIMX	789	£1,230.84
Messrs Church Farm Publow LLP	BAX	786	£1,226.16
Messrs FG Payne & Sons	BRBX	740	£1,217.30
Messrs G Vauden & Sons	MRI	765	£1,204.88
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	HF	880	£1,183.60
Messrs FG Payne & Sons	LIMX	656	£1,116.12
Messrs FR & MJ Morrish	LIMX	687	£1,157.60
Messrs RS & KJ Page Bros	LIMX	752	£1,146.80
Mr R Smart	BRBX	764	£1,146.00

HEIFERS (102)		
Top price	Average	Top price per head
UTM 181.5p/kg	UTM 157.5p/kg	UTM £1,090.38
OTM 156.5p/kg	OTM 143.4p/kg	OTM £1,197.35

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	SAL	532	181.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	530	176.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	504	175.5
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	CHX	557	175.0
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	BAX	573	174.0
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	522	173.5
Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son	GELX	591	172.5
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	CHX	567	172.0
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	BRBX	614	171.5
Mr SER Hunt	BRBX	524	170.5

Top 10 Vendors	Breed	Kg	£/Head
Mr R Smart	BRBX	770	£1,197.35
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	LIMX	671	£1,090.38
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	BRBX	614	£1,053.01
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	LIMX	702	£1,049.49
Mr HJ Alford	SIMX	662	£1,036.03
Messrs RJS Winslade & Son	CHX	632	£1,030.16
Messrs J & S Vinnicombe & Son	GELX	591	£1,019.48
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	LIMX	624	£1,004.64
Messrs CE & BD Bailey	LIMX	630	£1,001.70
Messrs JR & EA Roberts	BAX	573	£997.02

BREED	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	NO	AVE	TOP	NO	AVE	TOP
Limousin	16	167.0	178.0	15	160.5	170.0
B/Blue	9	163.0	171.5	7	172.5	176.5
Charolais	-	-	-	18	158.5	175.0
Simmental	4	157.5	159.5	11	152.5	158.5
Blonde	-	-	-	3	166.0	174.0
A/Angus	5	150.0	156.0	8	154.0	163.5
Hereford	5	155.0	159.5	9	148.0	153.5
Devon	5	152.5	158.5	3	148.0	149.5
S/Devon	5	161.0	168.0	4	147.5	149.0
MRI	3	155.5	157.5	1	164.5	164.5
Gelbvieh	2	162.0	173.5	1	172.5	172.5
H/Friesian	7	140.5	146.5	-	-	-
B/Friesian	6	146.0	148.5	-	-	-

EUROGRID LIVEWEIGHT COMPARISON						
UTM R4L Average of ppk @ 53% kop = 307.5ppkdw equivalent						
Grade	STEERS			HEIFERS		
	No	Ave	Max	No	Ave	Max
U+3	1	178.0	178.0	1	181.5	181.5
U-2	2	164.5	169.0	-	-	-
U-3	-	-	-	5	172.5	175.0
U-4L	6	171.5	177.0	4	171.5	176.5
R1	1	154.5	154.5	-	-	-
R2	5	160.0	171.5	1	169.5	169.5
R3	5	165.5	170.0	6	160.0	170.0
R4L	2	158.5	159.5	20	163.5	175.5
O+2	4	164.5	169.5	-	-	-
O+3	15	156.5	168.5	7	151.5	155.5
O+4L	14	152.0	158.5	19	153.5	164.5
O+4H	3	154.0	159.0	6	150.0	156.5
O+5L	1	144.5	144.5	2	148.0	148.0
O-2	2	142.5	146.0	1	152.0	152.0
O-3	1	146.5	146.5	1	149.5	149.5
O-4L	4	139.5	144.5	3	150.0	152.0
O-4H	-	-	-	3	145.5	146.5
O-5L	-	-	-	3	146.5	147.0
P+2	1	140.5	140.5	-	-	-

WEEKLY £25 PRIME CATTLE BRIARWOOD AWARD
Briarwood Products Ltd have very generously agreed to award £25 each week to the Vendor of the highest priced per kilo prime steer, heifer or bull.
This week's winner: Messrs JR & EA Roberts, Westonzoyland
Briarwood Products Ltd
First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.
01934 641446

1802 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS
PLEASE NOTE NEW WINTER START TIME
Commencing at 11.15am
Auctioneer: Paul Ashton
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Adam Hayes Office 01278 410278 Mobile 07889 064309

	(1624) LAMBS	(178) HOGGS
Top price p/head	£117.00	£126.00
Top price p/kg	283.0p/pk	246.0p/kg
SQQ Average	254.35p/pk	240.31p/kg

WEIGHT	No. Sold Lambs	Ave	No. Sold Hogs	Ave
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	596	252.78	-	-
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	979	255.50	18	240.31
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	49	249.49	143	229.60
Others (Over 52kg)	-	-	17	223.16

Another very large entry of 1624 lambs sold as expected to an easier trade for all on offer, as numbers flood out nationally and buyers complain of slow sales particularly on the home market. The best were however 270ppk plus and sold to 283ppk, 278ppk and 275ppk from Mr DA Wookey. Others 280ppk from Messrs PA & SA Bishop; 278ppk from Messrs RH & JA Heal; 273ppk from Mr J Dando and Messrs BM Heal & Son and 270ppk from Mr CA Churchill and Mr J Baker. Heavier lambs sold to £117 from Mr C Chilcott and Mr JO Reason. Others £116 from Mr B Scriven and Mrs S Webber; £115.50 from Mr PA Wookey; £115 from Messrs PM & SA Bishop; £114 and £113 from Messrs NH Hasell & Son and £113 from Mr MJ Britton and Mr D Barnes. Overall average £101.30. A smaller entry of 178 hogs but better quality on offer sold to a very strong trade when the best sold to 246ppk from Mrs K Marshall. Others 244ppk from Mr RB Cox; 237ppk and 234ppk from Messrs MB & KN Crabb and 236ppk from Messrs RF Lee & Son. Heavier hogs sold to £126 from Charget Estate Ltd. Others £124 from Messrs MP & DM Hine, £120.50 and £119.50 from Messrs RF Lee & Son and £119.20 and £118.80 (x2) from Messrs MB & KN Crabb. Overall average £111.55.

PLEASE NOTE: All finished lambs will need to be entered with a Food Chain Information form, which will be part of our entry form.

WEIGHT	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
LAMBS		
35.0	£93.20	Mr PR Nicholls
36.0	£98.20	Mr J Dando
38.0	£105.50	Mr DA Wookey
39.0	£110.50	Mr DA Wookey
39.0	£103.80	Messrs DP & MM Hill
39.0	£103.50	Mr KJ Seymour
40.0	£111.00	Messrs RH & JA Heal
40.0	£109.00	Messrs RM Heal & Son
40.0	£108.00	Mr CA Churchill
40.0	£108.00	Mr J Baker
40.0	£107.00	Messrs RH Groves & Sons
40.0	£106.80	Mr D Barnes
41.0	£115.00	Messrs PM & SA Bishop
41.0	£109.00	Mr C Chilcott
41.0	£109.00	Mr M Wall
42.0	£115.50	Mr DA Wookey
42.0	£113.00	Messrs NH Hasell & Son
42.0	£113.00	Mr MJ Britton
42.0	£111.50	Messrs JR & RH Williams
43.0	£114.00	Messrs NH Hasell & Son
43.0	£113.00	Mr D Barnes

46.0	£116.00	Mr B Scriven
47.0	£117.00	Mr C Chilcott
51.0	£117.00	Mr JO Reason
55.0	£116.00	Mrs S Webber
HOGGS		
41.0	£101.00	Mrs K Marshall
42.0	£102.50	Mr RB Cox
47.0	£111.50	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
48.0	£112.50	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
50.0	£116.50	Mr A Grossey
51.0	£120.50	Messrs RF Lee & Son
51.0	£118.80	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
52.0	£119.50	Messrs RF Lee & Son
52.0	£119.20	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
53.0	£118.80	Messrs MB & KN Crabb
55.0	£124.00	Messrs MP & DM Hine
58.0	£126.00	Messrs Charget Estate

61 CALVES Commencing at 10.45am

Auctioneer: Jeremy Bell:

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Overall Average £168.28

32 Bulls av £172.06

29 Heifers av £164.10

Auctioneers Comments:

A fantastic trade for the calves to a top price of £340 for a BBx bull from Messrs LH, JE & SJ Lyons and £325 for a BBx heifer from Mr MT Smith. £330 for a Limx bull from Mr DR Clapp and £292 for a Limx heifer from Messrs PG & JE Baker. British Friesian bulls to £202 from Holt Farms Ltd.

Would vendors please make every effort to fully complete the new calf entry form RE: Veterinary Treatment.

Breed	Type	No.	Ave £	Top Price £	Vendor
Blue x	Bulls	3	£306.67	£340.00	Messrs LH, JE & SJ Lyons
	Hfrs	3	£265.00	£325.00	Mr MT Smith
Lim	Bulls	4	£315.75	£330.00	Mr DR Clapp
	Hfrs	3	£276.33	£292.00	Messrs PG & JE Baker
Sim x	Bulls	1	£278.00	£278.00	Messrs RF Lee & Son
	Hfrs	2	£113.50	£152.00	Holt Farms Ltd
BA x	Hfr	1	£220.00	£220.00	Messrs W & EA Tratt
Her x	Bulls	7	£215.57	£280.00	Holt Farms Ltd
	Hfrs	8	£176.63	£206.00	Holt Farms Ltd
AA x	Bulls	8	£80.00	£199.00	Mr RW Harraway
	Hfrs	12	£106.25	£203.00	Mr DR Clapp
B.Fr	Bulls	6	£122.50	£202.00	Messrs Holt Farms Ltd
H.Fr	Bulls	2	£65.50	£70.00	Mr LG Simmons
Other x	Bulls	1	£30.00	£30.00	Mr MRG Taylor

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.

Forthcoming Sales 2011

May

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 and 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 and Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 25th – Collective Catalogued Sale of Purebred Poultry

July

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 2nd – Monthly Catalogued Sale of MV Accredited Rams & Ewes & Non MV Rams

Saturday 2nd – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs

Saturday 2nd – Special Catalogued Sale of Rare, Native & Traditional Pedigree & Pure Bred Cattle, Sheep, Pigs & Alpacas

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 RM 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

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SPECIAL CATALOGUED EARLY SALE OF BREEDING EWES

SATURDAY 11th JUNE 2011

Closing date for cataloguing: Saturday 28th May

*If you have any queries or would like
either an entry form or catalogue
please do not hesitate to contact
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