

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

SATURDAY STORE STOCK MARKET

6 Day Standstill in Operation

SATURDAY 13th NOVEMBER 2010

TOTAL STORE STOCK: 4780 HEAD

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

Greenslade Taylor Hunt Report
Busy Autumn market with sharper trades all round.
Store Cattle to £950 & Store Lambs to £72

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.

84 DAIRY CATTLE Commencing 11.15am Prompt

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

A massive entry of 84 dairy cows and followers, double the entry of 12 months ago, saw another good trade for the best. The market still remains selective. A well bred Shottle granddaughter heifer from Messrs DH Creed Ltd topped the sale at £1900. A marvellous run of 14 heifers from John Snook sold to £1840, £1800, £1740 and £1720. Others to £1660 from Mr AA Whitcombe; £1640 from Leweston Farm LLP; £1600 from Peter Snell and Messrs M & K Churchill. No first quality cows forward and cows sold to £1200 Mr RH Webb, with others to £1000 Caines Farm Partnership. In calf heifers to £1160 and £1040 from Compton Farms. Calves to £290 (x3) Messrs JH Billen & Sons.

TYPE	Min	Max	Ave
1 st Quality Heifers	£1500	£1900	£1680
2 nd Quality Heifers	£1000	£1480	£1260
2 nd Quality Cows	£1000	£1200	£1100

Saturday 20th November

15 Homebred Shorthorn heifers
 In calf 6 months to Beef Shorthorn Bull
 Ref: DRB

1122 STORE CATTLE, STIRKS, SUCKLER & GRAZING COWS

698 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

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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. Please note dairy assurance does not qualify.

For Saturday 20th November 2010:- 60 day PMT date: 21st September 2010 (count day after injection as 1 and day of sale as 60)

A good entry, albeit tighter numbers than last year, as a result of heavier marketing in quarter three. Trade again dearer reflecting the reduced numbers for the time of year and the hardening in the finished trade. Top of the day was £950 for a strong 26m Blue steer from Mr RH Neale, Taunton, who sold others 21/22m at £930, 23m at £920 and 21m at £890. Limousin steers also rose to £890 for a stylish red, 26m, from Messrs PA Strawbridge, Offwell, who also sold a timbered Montbeliarde, 20m, at £805. Other quality Limousin steers rose to £850, 24m and clipped for market from Mr BC Knapp, Pilning. The same price was achieved by Mr AA Cross, Huntsham for similar Limousin steers 24/25m. Charolais steers (22/27m) from Mr AA Cross again achieved £880. Well grown 17/20m Charolais from Messrs C & A Williams, Bampton sold well at £875, with another from the same farm at £845. Better continental steers regularly over £800.

Native steers sold to £800 for a 19m Angus from Messrs BR & BM Higgs, Sutton Mallet. Others to £760, 17m, from Mr PJ Betty.

A good show of over 200 black and white steers rose to £760 for forward types, 29m, from Messrs RR & PJ Lowman, Hemyock. Others to £675, 26m, from Messrs NW & SE Legg, South Perrott. Black and whites definitely dearer than a month ago.

Heifers peaked at £850 for a shapely, well fleshed Blue, 25m from Mr RH Neale again, who sold others, 22m, at £800. Particularly well covered Simmentals from Mr NJ Paulley & Son, Axminster, 28m, rose to £762, with others from the same farm £755 (28m) and £720 (27m). Other Blue heifers £755, 26m fleshed and shapely from Mr NC Witcombe, Merriott and £750, 22/25m, Messrs NW & SE Legg again. Limousin heifers rose to £745 for a good shape type (21m) from Mr JB Clist, Hemyock. Others at £710, 18/19m from Mr PJ Betty again, who also sold Charolais heifers 19/22m at £730. Charolais heifers topped at £760 for good types from Messrs C & A Williams again. Native heifers topped at £720 for a quality Angus, 18m from the same farm. Others £712 for a well fleshed type, 28m, from Mr DW Hewlett, Queen Camel, and £700, 23m from Messrs Arscott Partners, Upton. Better fleshed heifers generally £700 plus.

Young stores to £770 for 16m Simmental steers from Mr JF Biffen, who sold Charolais, 15/16m at £730. Good 16m Blue steer at £740 from Messrs GG & CJ Bicknell, Wells. Smart 16m Blue steers from Mr A Lockyer achieved £735. Smart 17m Limousin heifers from Messrs LC & AD Hoare sold well at £700. Nice 17m South Devons from Mr AJ Evans sold particularly well at £655.

Many more could have been sold to advantage. Our grateful thanks once again to all vendors and hauliers alike.

Steers	Max £950	Ave £590
Heifers	Max £850	Ave £567

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£880	£875	£760	£730
Limousin	£890	£880	£745	£710
Simmental	£795	£770	£762	£755
B/Blue	£950	£930	£850	£800
Hereford	£710	£695	£470	£385
Angus	£760	£728	£720	£712
S/Devon	-	-	£655	-
Devon	£745	£645	£350	-
Blonde	£770	£675	£540	£470
Friesian	£760	£675	£520	£490

73 SUCKLER COWS, CALVES & STOCK BULLS

Auctioneer: Derek Biss

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07850 932555

A good entry of almost 100 suckler cows, calves and bulls for the second catalogued sale of this month, saw a cracking trade reflecting the better quality entry. Numerous outfits over £1000 to £1420 for a British Blue cow (05) with a Limousin bull calf (08/10) from David Crosier. Other Blue cows to £1010, to include a June born Simmental heifer calf from Chris Churchill. A super run of Limousin cows born 1998-2002 with spring born Limousin calves at foot to £1320, £1220 and £1140 for Mr MW Edwards, Congresbury. Charolais cows (02) with spring born calves to £1060 for Mr HR Hutton. Hereford cows (00) with September British Blue heifer calf to £1000 Mr NW Payne. Pedigree Devon cows with young October calves to £650 (x2) from Mr JL Rowsell. Limousin stock bull to £1250 for Messrs MM Gollop & Son. Aberdeen Angus to £800 Caines Farm Partnership, Petersfield. In calf Charolais heifers to £750 (x2) and Herefords to £700 from Messrs DG & DA Bloyce.

350 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 20th November 2010 if born on or before the 9th October 2010.

A slightly reduced entry met a packed ring with new buyers in attendance, which resulted in a firmer trade. Top price of £655 for a 9m Limousin steer from Mr BJ Guppy, who sold others at £618 and £520 (7/8m). Other Limousins from Messrs EFB Hill & Son sold to £542 (7m) and £502 from Mr S Tundley. Simmentals to £592 (9m) from Messrs LE Sweetland & Son, with others from the same farm at £590 (8m) and £580 (8m). Other Simmentals to £550 (11/12m) from Messrs M & K Churchill & Son and £505 from Mr M Jones. British Blues to £540 (7m) from Mr BJ Guppy, with others at £500 (7m) from Messrs LE Sweetland & Son. Hereford bulls to £550 (10m) and £505 (10m) from Mr CT Crossman. Heifers topped at £550 (9m) for a Limousin and British Blue from Messrs LE Sweetland & Son. Other Limousin to £428 from Messrs RJ & PG Potter (5/7m) and £420 from Mr BJ Guppy. Simmentals from Mr BJ Guppy to £525 (13m) with others from Mr R Barrow to £425 (9m). Blondes to £500 (9/11m) from Mr JP David. Charolais to £450 (6m) from Mr T Hawkins with others from Mr P Attwell to £445 and £430 (6m).

Many thanks to all Vendors and Purchasers alike for their continued support.

Steers	Max £655	Ave £410
Heifers	Max £550	Ave £305

Breed	Steers	Others	Heifers	Others
Charolais	£500	£478	£450	£445
Limousin	£655	£618	£550	£428
Simmental	£592	£590	£525	£425
B/Blue	£540	£500	£550	£300
Hereford	£550 (B)	£505 (B)	£370	£348
Friesian	£435	£258	£140	-
Angus	£465 (B)	£425	£355	£325
Saler	£430	-	£405	£270

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 grown back.

437 CALVES Commencing 10.00am

Auctioneers:

Charles Clark Tel: Office 01460 238383

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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.

For Saturday 20th November 2010 Calves born on or before 9th October 2010 will require a pre-movement test.

(291) Beef Breeds

A much larger entry and another strong trade, though fewer top quality calves on show. Strong Charolais from Mr FWJ Parris to £340 and Simmentals to £320 but Blues led the way with young Blues to £334 from Messrs EG & CS Rowe; £328 J Congdon; £320 Mr R Angell; £316 Mr CJN Ayre. Also £315, £312, £306 and £304. Limousins to £298 Mr WE Norman; £290 Messrs Short Bros & Son and a grand young Simmental calf to £288 Ireosa Ltd. Some excellent bull calves £240-£280, mediums £180-£230, smaller bulls to around £150. Not quite the sharpness in the heifer trade but a run of 8-12 week Blue heifers up from Cornwall sold very readily £240-£269. Limousins to £240 and Simmentals to £238 from Thornhill Farm (Dorset) Ltd. Other grand Simmental heifers from Phillip Stevens to £225 (x2) and £220. Most good heifers £170-£200, smaller sorts £100-£150. Good interest in native breeds though quality mixed. Strong Angus Bulls to £238 and £235 J Congdon. Younger sorts £228 Mr CJ Mear; £225 Messrs PH Creed & Son and £214 Mr J Snook. Hereford Bulls to £236 Messrs DW Rowe & Son. Others to £210 Foxcombe Farm and £200 Messrs SR & L Hutchings. Angus heifers to £140 Messrs PH Creed & Son. Others to £100 Mr J Snook and £90 Mr BG Coombes. Hereford heifers £130 Mr DW Rowe. Others £125 Messrs SC & ML Thomas and £120 Mr AD Lee.

Thanks to all Vendors for another good entry of calves which are attracting buyers from across the region.

Breed	Type	No	Max Price (£)	Vendor	Ave. (£)
Blue	Bull	50	£334	Messrs EG & CR Rowe & Son	£231
	Heifer	58	£269	J Congdon	£187
Charolais	Bull	5	£340	Mr FWJ Parris	£202
	Heifer	3	£238	Thornhill Farm Ltd	£182
Limousin	Bull	20	£298	Mr WE Norman	£196
	Heifer	15	£240	Mr WE Norman	£136
Simmental	Bull	22	£320	Mr FWJ Parris	£224
	Heifer	23	£238	Thornhill Farm Ltd	£155
Hereford	Bull	15	£236	Messrs DW Rowe & Son	£127
	Heifer	18	£130	Messrs DW Rowe & Son	£84
Angus	Bull	26	£238	J Congdon	£148
	Heifer	23	£140	Messrs PH Creed & Son	£68
Devon	Heifer	2	£70	Messrs RS, NJ & MP Glanville	£45

(146) Friesians

More Friesians about and a much improved trade with more buyers looking for rearing opportunities. Top price £112 Messrs FG & C Tucker. Others £98 Messrs PJ & AJ Heal; £90 J Congdon; £84 Messrs J & IJ Broadway; £80 Mr DN Herrod. Most decent rearers £50-£80, plainer rearing calves £25-£45 and not so many calves, other than the very plainest under £20. Older Friesians (8-12 weeks) £50-£90. Swedish Reds to £60 for Mr PC Maltby.

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.

CALF SHOW & SALE

As part of the South West Winter Fair 2010

Monday 6th December

6 Classes with £20 prize money for 1st, £15 for 2nd and £10 for 3rd. Champion £50 and Reserve Champion £25. Calves must be under 42 days old.

REQUEST FROM DAIRY FARMERS TO CONSIGN CALVES AND SUPPORT THE SHOW. NO PRIOR ENTRY REQUIRED, TURN UP ON THE DAY, NO LATER THAN 9:30AM.

EXTRA BUYERS ANTICIPATED ON THE DAY.

Telephone Enquiries to Jeremy Bell 07860 319379

3138 SHEEP Commencing 10:30am

Auctioneers:

Richard Webber

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Paul Ashton

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07866 673857

Tom Mellor - Rams

Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07929 649195

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 or from the market office.

Store Lambs (2113)

A few less but generally better quality on offer. Trade remains very strong for all forward, with the best £65 plus to a max of £72 from Mr R Holland. Others to £70 and £66.50 from Messrs DR Howe & Son; £69.50 from Mr EJS Kennen; £69 from Mr WF Pincombe; £68.50 from Messrs AA, RH & EJ White and Mr GG Gribble; £68, £66.50, £66 and £65.50 from Mr JE Reason; £68 from Mr MC Pollard; £67.50 from Messrs JEF & KF Stephens; £67 from Messrs RH & FJ Ellicott; £66 from Mr JF Norman and £65.50 from Mr AS Cowling and Mr BS Garrett. Mediums ranged £55-£65, small lambs nearly all £30 plus. Overall average £57.65.

Grazing Ewes (671)

A much larger entry sold to a generally easier trade with the exception of the best ewes, which remained a flying trade and sold to £92.50 and £85.50 from Messrs M & R Vellacott. Others to £91 and £88 from Messrs FJ & G Heywood & Son; £82 from Mr NR Huxter; £80.50 from Messrs VJ & MJ Headon; £75 from Messrs SG & ME Stacey and £73.50 from Messrs A & N Pearce. Mediums ranged £50-£65, plain £40-£50, boners nearly all £20 plus. Overall average £53.68.

Breeding Ewes (327)

A larger entry and trade remains strong for the best quality ewes. Beltex x 2T/4T topped the section at £126 from Mr BD Reed. Mixed age Texels sold at £121 and £90 from Mr D Sayer. 6T and FM Suffolk x Scotch Half Breds sold at £100 and £90.50 from Messrs M & R Vellacott and 6T Exmoor Mules sold at £97 from Mr RE Dudden. In the special Ewe Lamb section there was a general lack of size on offer but stronger lambs sold to £77.50, £76, £70 and £68.50 for Suffolk x from Messrs Govier & Son, with other Suffolk x to £71 from Mr S Middleton. Blue Faced Leicesters sold to £76 from Messrs HW & HM Braddick and Poll Dorset x sold to £66 from Messrs JKJ & SM Brewer. Overall average £72.42.

Stock Rams (27)

Despite being at the tail end of the season trade was a little brighter. Top of the day was achieved by Mr A England, whose 2T Suffolk sold at £335, who also sold a Texel 2T at £200 and a Beltex 2T at £150. Messrs MK & LM Gillbard sold his FM Charollais well at £140 (thrice). An impressive 74% clearance rate achieved.

Please note, due to increased store lamb and grazing ewe numbers, a MV section will only be held at the monthly special sales.

Vendors are advised, wherever possible to ensure their 2010 born lambs, sold at foot, as orphans or as store lambs, have 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.

PIGS Commencing 11.00am

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

POULTRY

Auctioneers:

Tom Mellor Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile 07929 649195

Andy Clements Tel: Office 01278 410250, Mobile: 07769 904704

Next Sale Saturday 27th November

Please return your entries as soon as possible as this sale is quickly filling up.

**Please note that entries received after the closing date will be charged an additional late entry fee on each lot.
Please enter your birds on time.**

WANTED

TB Restricted Finished Cattle and Barren Cows or Bulls
Please Call Adam Hayes on 07771 908252

Forthcoming Sales

November

Thursday 18th – Collective Horse & Pony Sale **3pm**

Saturday 20th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle **10am**

Saturday 20th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs **11am**

Saturday 27th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle **10am**

Saturday 27th – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry **1pm**

Monday 29th – Yarcombe YFC Show & Sale

December

Saturday 4th – Monthly Sale of Organic Store Stock

Saturday 4th – Christmas Cracker Show & Sale of Fresh Calvers, Youngstock & Bulls

Monday 6th – South West Winter Fair

Saturday 11th – Special Monthly Sale of Suckler Cows

Saturday 11th – Special Sale of In Lamb Ewes & Ewe Lambs

Saturday 18th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus & Hereford Store Cattle

Saturday 18th – Special Sale of Clean Plucked Christmas Poultry

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.

COLLECTIVE FODDER AUCTIONS

The following dates have been scheduled:-

Saturday 18th December

Saturday 15th January

Saturday 19th February

Saturday 19th March

Entries kindly invited for the November Auction

All enquiries to Tom Mellor on 01278 410250 or 07929 649195

South West Winter Fair Presentation Dinner & Dance

at

Sedgemoor Auction Centre

on Thursday 9th December

10 Carving Stations to eliminate waiting

3 course meal with a main of "Baron of Beef"
(sirloin with fillet rolled in)

&

coffee & mints

Tickets £30 per person

Dancing to Eye to Eye

For Tickets Contact Louise Boyer 01278 410278

SOUTH WEST WINTER FAIR

on

MONDAY 6TH DECEMBER 2010

at

Sedgemoor Auction Centre, North Petherton

**All welcome. Please come and
support one of the Country's
largest Primestock Christmas
Shows**

**Numerous Trade Stands, 58 Haltered Cattle, 55 Unhaltered Cattle, 89 Prime Lambs,
28 Pigs, Calf Classes & The South West Sausage Competition**

FREE ENTRY

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