

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

TUESDAY 9th NOVEMBER 2010

TOTAL STOCK: 838 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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A Shortage of Prime Lambs.

Insufficient Numbers to Satisfy Buyer Demand.

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.

167 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.

A slightly increased entry met a similar trade to last week's, yet with many black and whites beginning to show the effects of the colder weather, having lost fleshed and a greater proportion of grade 3 steakers and grade 4 boners forward, the averages indicated a slight improvement. No absolute best sucklers forward to get close to last week's high of 146.5ppk, yet half meat cows rose to 107ppk for a shapely Limousin from Mr HJ Delbridge. Other meat cows 100pk plus. Sucklers sold to £859.05 for a good, well fleshed Angus from Mr TJ Thomas. Others over £800 from Messrs MD & GJ Curtis, being a Simmental at £820.76 and a Charolais from Mr AJ Down at £814.50. Black and white cows also to £800 at £800.13 from Messrs RW, JA & AW Barton. Others at £777, Messrs AJ, S & CJ Franks; £748.22, Messrs AJ & RL Poole; £743.47, Messrs Quick & Sons; £733.90, Messrs FE Hill & Son; £729.30, Messrs MA & NR Bowditch and £723.93 from Messrs RKM House & Son. A shortage of real meat black and whites on offer, when the better cows were 90ppk plus to 94.5ppk from Messrs EB Holloway & Son. Meat with belly 85ppk. Steakers around 80ppk, again similar with grade 4 boners a shade dearer to average 63.5ppk. The plainest types 50 to 60ppk with very few below. Top price of the day was 144.5ppk for a young Limousin steer from Messrs LJ Waygood & Son. Younger heifers to 104.5ppk for a black and white from Messrs M & K Churchill & Son. Bulls rose to 109.5ppk for a younger Angus from Messrs MRG Taylor. As the weather has now broken and the sheds are full again, it is thought numbers will now start to ease. This will only bring further improvement in the trade.

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BARREN COWS (159)

Top Price
Beef 107.0p/kg
Dairy 94.5p/kg

Average
Beef Ave 87.7p/kg
Dairy Ave 76.5p/kg

Top price per head
Beef £859.05
Dairy £800.13

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	4	103.0	103.5	£839.91	£859.05
Grade 2	49	90.4	107.0	£658.86	£814.50
Grade 3	49	80.8	103.5	£520.63	£678.02
Grade 4	57	63.5	91.0	£372.02	£667.89

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr HJ Delbridge	LIM x	610	107.0
Messrs MD & GJ Curtis	SIM x	793	103.5
Messrs NM & CL Norris	LIM x	600	103.5
Mr ER Rosewell	LIM x	575	103.5
Mr TJ Thomas	AA	830	103.5
Mr ES Triggol	AA	657	102.5
Messrs NM & CL Norris	CH x	704	101.5
Messrs SR Curtis & Partners	AA	683	100.5
Messrs S & S Fraser	AA	676	100.0
Messrs J & JE Henson	CH x	577	99.5

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs EB Holloway & Son	H/F	717	94.5
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	H/F	780	93.5
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	H/F	742	93.5
Messrs RW, JA & AW Barton	H/F	865	92.5
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	H/F	748	92.5
Messrs AJ, S & CJ Franks	B/F	840	92.5
Messrs EB Holloway & Son	H/F	754	92.5
Messrs D & M Legg & Sons	H/F	644	91.0
Messrs Quick & Sons	B/F	817	91.0
Mr WG Down	H/F	742	89.5

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr TJ Thomas	AA	830	£859.05
Messrs MD & GJ Curtis	SIM x	793	£820.76
Mr AJ Down	CH x	900	£814.50
Messrs MD & GJ Curtis	CH x	835	£772.38
Messrs NM & CL Norris	CH x	704	£714.56
Messrs S & S Fraser	BRB x	733	£700.02
Messrs SR Curtis & Partners	AA	683	£686.42
Messrs S & S Fraser	AA	676	£676.00
Mr ES Triggol	AA	657	£673.43
Mr AJ Down	AA	738	£667.89

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs RW, JA & AR Barton	H/F	865	£800.13
Messrs AJ, S & CJ Franks	B/F	840	£777.00
Messrs AJ & RL Poole	H/F	836	£748.22
Messrs Quick & Sons	B/F	817	£743.47
Messrs FE Hill & Son	H/F	820	£733.90
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	H/F	780	£729.30
Messrs RKM House & Son	H/F	818	£723.93
Messrs EB Holloway & Son	H/F	754	£697.45
Messrs PT Bale & Sons	H/F	742	£693.77
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	H/F	748	£691.90

BULLS (3)	Average	Top price per head
Top price Bull 109.5p/kg	Bull Ave 94.1p/kg	Bull £800.85

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs MRG Taylor	AA	607	109.5
Messrs EB Holloway & Son	SUS x	843	95.0

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Messrs EB Holloway & Son	SUS x	843	£800.85
Messrs MRG Taylor	AA	607	£664.67

STEERS/HEIFERS (5)		
Top price Strs 144.5p/kg Hfrs 104.5p/kg	Average Strs Ave 118.0p/kg Hfrs Ave 93.6p/kg	Top price per head Strs £900.24 Hfrs £649.99

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs LJ Waygood & Son	STR	LIM x	623	144.5
Messrs M & K Churchill & Son	HFR	H/F	622	104.5
Messrs M & K Churchill & Son	HFR	H/F	666	91.5
Messrs W Warren & Son	STR	H/F	601	90.5

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Messrs M & K Churchill & Son	HFR	H/F	622	£649.99
Messrs M & K Churchill & Son	HFR	H/F	666	£609.39

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: Mr TJ Thomas, Thomas Farm
Briarwood Products Ltd
 First choice for fibre cement sheets and accessories.
 01934 641446

311 PRIME LAMBS Commence at 11.00am
Auctioneer: Paul Ashton Tel: Office 01278 410278, Mobile 07866 673857
Charles Clark Tel: Office 01460 238383 Mobile 07850 691561
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Top price p/head	£77.00
Top price p/kg	161.0p/kg
SQQ Average	155.67p/kg

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	17	157.46
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	173	155.52
Heavy (45.6-52kg)	108	149.97
Others (Over 52kg)	13	140.86

A weather affected small entry sold to another strong trade, similar to Monday but without the overall quality on offer, which pegged the averages slightly. The best handy weight lambs were 158ppk plus and sold to 161 and 158ppk from Messrs BJ Ware & Son. Others to 161ppk from Messrs L & F Maddock & Son and Messrs G Stacey & Sons; 160ppk (x2) from Mr DW Sobey and 158ppk from Messrs Vigar & Son (x2), Mr KJ Sellick and Mr DJ Newton. Heavier lambs sold to £77, £76 and £75.50 from Messrs SJ & DM Cowling. Others to £76 from Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons; £75.50 from Mr RD Cox; £75 from Mr HJ Delbridge and Messrs BJ Ware & Son; £74.50 from Messrs L & F Maddock & Son and £74 from Messrs GB & MA Holloway. Overall average £68.20.

PLEASE NOTE: From 2010 all finished lambs need to be sold with Food Chain Information. Please complete the declaration on the front of our entry form.

WEIGHT LAMBS	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
38.0	£59.50	Messrs G Stacey & Sons
39.0	£62.80	Messrs L & F Maddock & Son
40.0	£64.50	Messrs G Stacey & Sons
40.0	£64.00	Mr DW Sobey
40.0	£63.20	Mr DJ Newton

41.0	£66.00	Messrs BJ Ware & Son
41.0	£64.80	Messrs Vigar & Son
42.0	£66.50	Messrs BJ Ware & Son
42.0	£66.00	Messrs BJ Ware & Son
42.0	£65.80	Mr SJ Govier
42.0	£65.20	Messrs PH & GO Govier
45.0	£69.00	Mr KJ Sellick
46.0	£72.50	Mr KJ Sellick
46.0	£70.50	Mr BB Norton
47.0	£72.00	Mr PJ Holloway
48.0	£75.50	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling
48.0	£73.00	Messrs L & F Maddock & Son
48.0	£73.00	Mr KJ Sellick
50.0	£74.50	Messrs L & F Maddock & Son
51.0	£76.00	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling
51.0	£74.00	Messrs GB & MA Holloway
52.0	£75.00	Mr HJ Delbridge
53.0	£76.00	Messrs AF & RD Tucker & Sons
53.0	£75.50	Mr RD Cox
54.0	£75.00	Messrs BJ Ware & Son
63.0	£77.00	Messrs SJ & DM Cowling

360 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 9.30am
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	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£75.00	£80.00	-	-
MEDIUM	£58.00	£65.00	£62.00	£64.00
SMALL	£40.00	£50.00	£35.00	£54.00

More ewes forward but a lack of the very best and more plainer sorts forward. Trade remains strong for all but the very plainest with stronger types to £80 from Mr D Meyers. Others to £78.50 from Gamblins Farm Ltd; £78 from Mr ER Baber; £77 from Mr KJ Sellick and Mr JW Grabham; £76.50 from Mr CDT Sobey; £74.50 from Mr NP Tabrett and £72.50 from Messrs R Jones & Son. Overall average £53.09. Rams sold to £64 from Gamblins Farm Ltd.

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BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk Cross	Mr ER Baber	£78.00
Texel Cross	Mr CDT Sobey	£76.50
Poll Dorset	Mr D Meyers	£80.00
Masham	Messrs R Jones & Son	£67.00
North Country Mule	Mr DJ Wensley	£58.50
Romney Marsh	Mr AR Derryman	£58.50

South West Winter Fair Presentation Dinner
 Thursday 9th December
 Sedgemoor Hall, Sedgemoor Auction Centre
 Three Course Meal with Main of
 Baron of Beef
 (Sirloin with fillet rolled in)
 Tea and Coffee
 15 Carving Stations, to serve
 2½ tables each, to eliminate delays.
 Dancing to Eye to Eye
 £30 per ticket
 For more information or tickets please contact
 Louise Boyer at the market office on 01278 410278

Thursday 18th – Collective Horse & Pony Sale
 Saturday 20th – Special Sale of Continental Store Cattle
 Saturday 20th – Fortnightly Sale of Pigs
 Saturday 27th – Special Sale of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Store Cattle
 Saturday 27th – Collective Sale of Purebred Poultry
December
 Saturday 4th – Monthly Sale of Organic Store Stock
 Monday 6th – South West Winter Fair
 Tuesday 7th – Christmas Cracker Show & Sale of Fresh Calvers, Youngstock & Bulls
 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

Private Treaty

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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.

Forthcoming Sales

November

Thursday 11th – Winter Collective Machinery Sale
 Saturday 13th – Special Monthly Sale of Suckler Cows Limited to 200 Head
 Saturday 13th – Special Sale of In Lamb Ewes & Ewe Lambs