

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

TUESDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2009

TOTAL STOCK: 1360 HEAD

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

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

Flying Cull Ewe trade to £79.00
Sharper Barren Cow Trade to £982.08
Strong Lamb Trade to £74.00

132 BARREN COWS, BULLS, OTM & UFM PRIME

Commence at 12.30pm

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)

Auctioneer:

Robert Venner Office: 01278 410278 Mobile: 07889 006503

BARREN COWS (120)

Top price

Beef 127.0p/kg

Dairy 120.0p/kg

Beef Ave 104.9p/kg

Dairy Ave 78.2p/kg

Top price per head

Beef £982.08

Dairy £820.00

A reduced entry met a slightly sharper trade, as with tighter numbers and more meat on offer slaughterers were encouraged to bid up. No absolute best sucklers to match some of last week's outstanding types, however a smart young Aberdeen Angus cow from Mr RM Dod topped at 127ppk. A good Blue cross, also from Mr RM Dod, achieved 120.5ppk, with another Angus from the same farm at 119.5ppk. The best of a good run from Messrs J & R Stanbury peaked at 122.5ppk for a Simmental. Better fleshed sucklers generally 112.5ppk plus. Sucklers sold to £982.08 for a grand 815kg British Blue from Mr RM Dod, with another Blue from the same farm at £908.52. Another over £900 was a strong South Devon from Mr CR Wyatt, which sold well at £941.46. More meat on the Black and White front encouraged the trade to a top of 120ppk for a proper British Friesian from Miss MK Pring. Younger cows rose to 115.5ppk from Messrs WE Turner & Son; 102.5ppk from Mr N Herrod; 101.5ppk Messrs AJ & JA Lock and 100.5ppk Messrs Coombe Farming. Better cows generally 90ppk to 98ppk. Good meat cows around 85ppk, steakers 75ppk and grade 4's 65ppk. Very plain cows at lower levels. Black and white cows sold to £820 for a grand 800kg younger cow from Mr N Herrod. Other older cows over £800 from Messrs IJ & SA Bell & Son at £819; Messrs WJ & P Puddy at £810.23 and Messrs JK Farms at £808.40. A price of note was 110ppk for a Limousin stock bull from Messrs MJ Tarr & Son. Joint top price of the day was also achieved by Messrs NJ & HM Baker, at 127ppk for a Hereford OTM Heifer.

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Mr RM Dod	AA	614	127.00
Messrs J & R Stanbury	SIM x	615	122.50
Mr RM Dod	BRB x	815	120.50
Mr RM Dod	AA	721	119.50
Mr JF Walker	AA	510	117.00
Messrs J & R Stanbury	DEV x	631	113.50
Mr RM Dod	BRB x	804	113.00
Messrs MJG & DE Richards	LIM x	545	112.50
Mr JF Walker	AA	480	112.50
Mr CR Wyatt	S/DEV	852	110.50

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Miss MK Pring	B/F	582	120.00
Messrs WE Turner & Son	B/F	680	115.50
Mr N Herrod	H/F	800	102.50
Messrs AJ & JA Lock	H/F	614	101.50
Messrs Coombe Farming	H/F	520	100.50
Mr N Herrod	H/F	743	99.50
Messrs Coombe Farming	H/F	796	98.00
Messrs IJ & SA Bell & Son	H/F	840	97.50
Messrs WJ & P Puddy	H/F	831	97.50
Mr N Herrod	H/F	752	97.00

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr RM Dod	BRB x	815	£982.08
Mr CR Wyatt	S/DEV	852	£941.46
Mr RM Dod	BRB x	804	£908.52
Messrs Baker & Baker	BRB x	850	£896.75
Mr RM Dod	AA	721	£861.60
Mr RM Dod	AA	614	£779.78
Messrs TH & PM Bolt	DEV x	717	£785.12
Messrs Baker & Baker	SIM x	733	£780.65
Messrs Baker & Baker	SIM x	725	£772.13
Messrs J & R Stanbury	SIM x	615	£753.38

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Mr N Herrod	H/F	800	£820.00
Messrs IJ & SA Bell & Son	H/F	840	£819.00
Messrs WJ & P Puddy	H/F	831	£810.23
Messrs JK Farms	H/F	860	£808.40
Messrs WE Turner & Son	B/F	680	£785.40
Messrs Coombe Farming	H/F	796	£780.08
Mr N Herrod	H/F	743	£739.29
Messrs JK Farms	H/F	770	£731.50
Mr N Herrod	H/F	752	£729.44

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	23	106.6	127.0	£777.36	£982.08
Grade 2	36	91.8	120.0	£617.21	£820.00
Grade 3	26	81.2	100.5	£478.94	£639.79
Grade 4	20	62.2	103.5	£362.76	£703.80

BULLS (4) Top price 110.0p/kg	Ave 87.7p/kg	Top price per head £929.50
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Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs MJ Tarr & Son	LIM x	845	110.00
Messrs Baker & Baker	AA	927	86.50
Messrs Coombe Farming	B/F	907	82.50

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Messrs MJ Tarr & Son	LIM x	845	£929.50
Messrs Baker & Baker	AA	927	£801.86
Messrs Coombe Farming	B/F	907	£748.28

OVERAGE STEERS & HEIFERS (8) Top price Heifers 127.0p/kg	Heifers Ave 110.6p/kg	Top price per head Hfrs £715.00
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Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs NJ & HM Baker	HFR	HFD	570	127.00
Messrs BG & RM Coombes	HFR	H/F	707	114.50
Messrs SJ & EH Coles	HFR	H/F	656	113.50
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	HFR	H/F	777	111.50

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Messrs MA & NR Bowditch	HFR	H/F	777	£866.36
Messrs BG & RM Coombes	HFR	H/F	707	£809.52
Messrs SJ & EH Coles	HFR	H/F	656	£744.56
Messrs NJ & HM Baker	HFR	HFD	570	£723.90

1228 FINISHED SHEEP Commencing at 11.00am
Auctioneer:
Charles Clark
Tel: Office 01460 238383, Mobile 07850 691561
Paul Ashton
Tel: Office 01278 410278, Mobile 07866 673857

638 PRIME LAMBS Commence at 11.00am

	LAMBS (638)
Top price p/head	£74.00
Top price p/kg	155.00p/kg
SQQ Average	142.26p/kg

Fewer forward sold to a very strong trade for all on offer, however a higher proportion of very plain/ unfinished lambs pegged the overall average slightly. The best were 145ppk plus to a top of 155ppk, 150ppk and 147ppk from Messrs WHG Warmington; 151ppk and 149ppk from Mr AG Evans; 151ppk from Mr M Mann; 150ppk and 149ppk from Mr RJ Winzer; 148ppk from Messrs Vigar & Son and 146ppk from Mr AR Nicholls. The best quality heavier lambs were a flying trade to a top of £74 from Messrs RS & KJ Page Bros; £73 from Mr AL Brown; £72.50, £72, £67.20 and £67 from Mr A Henson and £71 from Mr A O'Brien.

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	138	146.46
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	338	141.04
Heavy (45.6-52.0kg)	144	135.71
Others (Over 52kg)	18	131.10

WEIGHT	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
LAMBS		
34.0	£50.00	Mr WHG Warmington
35.0	£54.20	Mr WHG Warmington
35.0	£53.00	Mr AG Evans
38.0	£57.00	Mr WHG Warmington
39.0	£59.00	Mr M Mann

40.0	£59.00	Messrs Vigar & Son
41.0	£59.80	Mr AR Nicholls
42.0	£61.00	Mr M Mann
43.0	£64.50	Mr RJ Winzer
43.0	£64.20	Mr RJ Winzer
46.0	£65.00	Mr A Henson
47.0	£67.00	Mr A Henson
50.0	£72.50	Mr A Henson
51.0	£71.00	Mr A O'Brien
52.0	£73.00	Mr AL Brown
54.0	£74.00	Messrs RS & KJ Page Bros
54.0	£72.00	Mr A Henson

590 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 9.30am

	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£70	£79	-	-
MEDIUM	£55	£65	£55	£55
SMALL	£42	£50	-	-

A good number entry sold to another fast trade for all on offer, with the very best remaining £70 plus to a top of £79 and £75 from Mr A O'Brien; £75.50 and £72.50 from Mr J Pearse; £75 from Mr J Champion; £74, £73.50 and £73 from Messrs HTH Govier & Son and £71 from Mr KA Kingcott. Overall average £51.81

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk x	Mr A O'Brien	£79.00
Dorset Down	Mr J Champion	£75.00
Border Leicester	Messrs HTH Govier & Son	£74.00
Texel x	Messrs HTH Govier & Son	£73.50
Polled Dorset	Messrs FJ Heal & Son	£69.50
Jacob	Mr J Champion	£63.50
North Country Mule	Mr A O'Brien	£59.50
Devon Closewool	Messrs RP Elston & Son	£62.50
Beulah	Mr DM Ruell	£51.50
Charollais Ram	Mr T Scarrott	£55.00

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 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 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.