

GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT

SEDGEMOOR AUCTION CENTRE

TUESDAY MARKET REPORT

6 Day Standstill in Operation

TUESDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2009

TOTAL STOCK: 1681 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.

Larger Barrener entry meets stand on trade

181 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 (169)

Top price

Beef 113.5p/kg

Dairy 115.0p/kg

Beef Ave 94.8p/kg

Dairy Ave 72.4p/kg

Top price per

head

Beef £893.24

Dairy £772.07

A larger entry met a similar trade, although no real quality types to set the ring alight. Sucklers sold to 113.5ppk for a well fleshed Simmental from Messrs AB & NT Thorne. Better cows 105ppk plus. Sucklers sold to £893.24 for a tremendous Aberdeen Angus from Messrs EA & MC Jones. Dairy breeds rose to 120ppk for a Holstein heifer from Messrs P & K Grandfield. Young calved heifers peaked at 115ppk from Messrs RB Bowditch & Son. Older cows topped at 114ppk for an MRI from Messrs Satchell Bros. Better cows sold in the 90ppk to 95ppk bracket. Meat cows were up and down of 85ppk. Steakers around 75ppk and plain cows lower. Black and whites sold to £772.07 for a cow from Messrs P & K Grandfield. Better cows generally over £700. A very smart British Blue bull from Mr EFB Hill & Son sold well at 105.5ppk and returned at £981.15.

Top Suckler Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs AB & NT Thorne	SIM x	623	113.50
Mr JF Walker	AA	595	110.50
Mr JF Walker	LIM x	646	109.00
Mr RV Naish	LHO	640	108.00
Mr JF Walker	LIM x	637	108.00
Mr SM Godfrey	AA	672	106.50
Mr JF Walker	LIM x	635	106.00
Mr G Osborne	BRB x	655	101.50
Mr JF Walker	HER	656	101.50

Top Dairy Vendors (PPK)	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs RB Bowditch & Son	H/F	663	115.00
Messrs Satchell Bros	MRI	666	114.00
Messrs P & K Grandfield	H/F	656	100.50
Higher Burrow Organic Farm	H/F	554	99.50
Messrs RB Bowditch & Son	H/F	704	99.50
Messrs BR & IJ Spiller & Sons	H/F	638	99.00
Higher Burrow Organic Farm	H/F	536	97.50

Suckler Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs EA & MC Jones	AA	987	£893.24
Mr AS Cowling	CH x	823	£785.97
Mr D Fry	SIM x	815	£762.03
Mr SM Godfrey	AA	672	£715.68
Messrs AB & NT Thorne	SIM x	623	£707.11
Mr JF Walker	LIM x	646	£704.14

Dairy Vendors (£/head)	Breed	Kg	Value (£)
Messrs P & K Grandfield	H/F	903	£772.07
Messrs RB Bowditch & Son	H/F	663	£762.45
Messrs Satchell Bros	MRI	666	£759.24
Messrs JW & NJ Harris - Jarvis	H/F	783	£732.11
Messrs MM & EH Lucas	H/F	862	£728.39
Higher Burrow Organic Farm	H/F	790	£722.85
Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son	H/F	757	£707.80
Messrs RB Bowditch & Son	H/F	704	£700.48

Cows Only	No.	Ave (ppk)	Top (ppk)	Ave (£)	Top (£)
Grade 1	28	95.5	115.0	687.84	893.24
Grade 2	51	87.3	110.5	588.09	762.03
Grade 3	38	73.2	89.5	455.59	554.90
Grade 4	52	53.5	88.5	313.00	652.07

BULLS (5) Top price 105.5p/kg	Ave 89.4p/kg	Top price per head £981.15
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Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs EFB Hill & Son	BRB x	930	105.50
Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son	CH x	900	95.50
Mr K Prettejohn	B/F	625	87.00

Vendor	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Messrs EFB Hill & Son	BRB x	930	£981.15
Messrs CG & WL Rich & Son	CH x	900	£859.50
Messrs CS & JM Petheram	B/F	840	£600.60

OVERAGE STEERS & HEIFERS (7) Top price Steers 92.5p/kg Heifers 120.5p/kg	Steers Ave 92.5p/kg Heifers Ave 104.3p/kg	Top price per head Strs £851.00 Hfrs £761.91
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Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pence
Messrs P & K Grandfield	HFR	H/F	600	120.50
Messrs MB & CA Buckland	HFR	H/F	654	116.50
Messrs MB & CA Buckland	HFR	H/F	596	115.50

Vendor	Sex	Breed	Kg	Pounds
Messrs HW & BM Durston	STR	SIM x	920	£851.00
Messrs MB & CA Buckland	HFR	H/F	654	£761.91
Mr NR Huxter	HFR	H/F	800	£724.00
Messrs P & K Grandfield	HFR	H/F	600	£723.00

1500 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

923 PRIME LAMBS Commence at 11.00am
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LAMBS (923)

Top price p/head £70.80
Top price p/kg 155.0p/kg
SQQ Average 138.35p/kg

A similar entry met a stronger trade than Monday for middleweight export and feeding lambs though fewer yellow lambs at the heavy end affected the overall averages. More buyers in evidence and strong competition. Top price per kg 155ppk for 44kg lambs from Mr EE Baker at £68.00 with good 42kg at £60 from both Messrs HG Bishop & Sons and Mr JPT Scott.

Generally more lambs over £62 with heavy blue graded lambs in the 135-142 pence bracket.

Plenty of interest at the higher end saw 32kg from Messrs RH & DV Dymond at £47 (142ppk). Top price of the day £70.80 for 56kg from Mr DP Leaney, similar weight from Messrs RW Sheldon & Sons and Messrs JPC & AC Reed to £70.50.

WEIGHT	NO. SOLD LAMBS	AVE
Standard (32.1-39.0kg)	134	134.20
Medium (39.1-45.5kg)	530	139.66
Heavy (45.6-52.0kg)	229	135.00
Others (Over 52kg)	10	121.36

WEIGHT	£ PER HEAD	VENDOR
LAMBS		
32.0	£44.00	Messrs RH & DV Dymond
33.0	£47.00	Messrs RH & DV Dymond
36.0	£49.80	Mr JR Payne
37.0	£49.80	Messrs MWJ, ME & L Greenslade
38.0	£54.20	Messrs J & R White
40.0	£58.50	Mr GR Williams
41.0	£58.00	Messrs Escott Bros
42.0	£60.00	Messrs HG Bishop & Sons
42.0	£60.00	Mr JPT Scott
43.0	£60.20	Messrs Escott Bros
44.0	£68.00	Mr EE Baker
44.0	£62.50	Messrs JC & TG Merchant
45.0	£64.20	Mr RC Lewis
46.0	£64.80	Mr KJ Sellick
48.0	£66.80	Mr RC Lewis
49.0	£69.00	Mr MG Trevelyan
50.0	£69.00	Messrs TR & SE Knox
50.0	£66.00	Messrs Milborne Wick Farms
56.0	£70.80	Mr DP Leaney
56.0	£70.50	Messrs JPC & AC Reed
57.0	£70.50	Messrs RW Sheldon & Sons

577 CULL EWES & RAMS Commence at 9.30am
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Another good mid season entry met a similar trade though prices generally have weakened at other centres. A lot of medium and grazing type ewes forward brought the average down to just under £50 but these sort of ewes sold strongly. Some resistance at the top end with fewer ewes over £70 but a good top price of £75 for ewes from Messrs Heywood & Sons with others from Messrs Chilson Dairy Farms at £73.50 and Mr John Merchant at £73. Excellent Texels from Mr NCW Tavernor to £66.50 and over 20% of the entry over £60.00. Rams to £74.50 Messrs JR & RH Williams.

	EWES		RAMS	
	Ave	Top	Ave	Top
BEST	£64.00	£75.00	-	£74.50
MEDIUM	£53.50	£58.00	£45.00	£47.00
SMALL	£41.00	£47.00	£40.00	£41.00

BREED	VENDOR	£/HEAD
Suffolk	Mr J Merchant	£73.00
Suffolk x	Messrs Heywood & Sons	£75.00
Suffolk Mule	Messrs Chilson Dairy Farms	£73.50
Texel	Mr NCW Tavernor	£66.50
Texel x	Mr A Derryman	£54.00
Mule	Mr KJ Sellick	£55.50
Llyen	Messrs AC Willy & Sons	£62.00
North Country Mule	Mr J Hawthorne	£50.00
Hampshire Down	Messrs EB Holloway & Son	£47.50
Scottish Blackface	Mr DW Hobbs	£34.50

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.