

# WEDNESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2018

**TOTAL HEAD SOLD: 1,331**

**PRIME CATTLE Av. 182.48p/kg**

**BARREN COW Av. 123.32p/kg**

**PRIME HOGGET Av. 244.36p/kg**

**DAIRY HEIFERS TO £1,700**

**CALVES TO £352**

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## BEEF CATTLE (105)

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TOP PRICE STEER	206.50p/kg for a Angus from J & W Collins, Codford			
TOP PRICE HEIFER	204.50p/kg for a Blue from JD & JS Padfiled, Radstock			
UTM FAT TOTALS:	NO.	AV P/KG	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
STEERS	63	183.96		
Light 100-550kg	13	164.95	121.50	204.50
Medium 551-650kg	33	190.56	159.50	205.00
Heavy 650kg+	17	182.00	133.50	206.50
HEIFERS	23	184.84		
Light 100-500kg	5	173.78	111.50	193.50
Medium 501-590kg	13	185.91	129.50	204.50
Heavy 590kg+	5	190.54	185.50	198.50

### UTM STEERS (63) Max. 206.5 p/kg & £1,446 (Av. 183.96p/kg)

Angus met another excellent trade to 206.5p/kg from J W Collin's. RE & AM Hicks had another excellent entry topping at 205p/kg and £1446 for a smart British Blue steer. Blondes to 199.5p/kg also from RE & AM Hicks. Simmentals 196p/kg NJ Emery & Sons. Charolais 196.5p/kg also from RE & AM Hicks. Fleckveih to 188.5p/kg from HJ Moody & Son. Hereford's also sold well to 202.5p/kg from C & HM Hooper & Son. Friesians to 167.5p/kg from K & W Crang and very much wanted.

UTM STEERS					
BREED	AV P/KG	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Angus	189.39	206.50	J & W Collins, Codford	1371	J & W Collins, Codford
Blue	194.78	205.00	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol	1446	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol
Hereford	189.33	202.50	C & HM Hooper, Warminster	1295	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton
Blonde	196.00	199.50	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol	1139	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol
Charolais	196.50	196.50	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol	1200	RE & AM Hicks, Bristol
Simmental	187.64	196.00	N J Emery & Sons, Eastleigh	1368	N J Emery & Sons, Eastleigh
Fleckveih	188.50	188.50	H J Moody & Son, Henstridge	1134	H J Moody & Son, Henstridge
Limousin	188.00	188.00	Waddon Farm, Shepton Mallet	1129	Waddon Farm, Shepton Mallet
Devon	181.50	181.50	J & W Collins, Codford	1225	J & W Collins, Codford
Freisian	150.50	167.50	K & N Crang, Yeovil	1095	F J Lessey & Son, Wincanton

## UTM HEIFERS (23) Max. 204.5p/kg & £1,286 (Av. 184.84p/kg)

Best grade heifers were again in strong demand at 204.5p/kg from JD & J Padfield with Charolais 198.5p/kg from Russell Bros & co. Limousin's to 203p/kg from CM Baber and Simmental's to 193.5p/kg from S & J Symes. Angus sold to 193p/kg from JD & JS Padfield with Herefords to 189.5p/kg from K&N Crang.

UTM HEIFERS					
BREED	AV P/KG	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Blue	204.50	204.50	JD & JS Padfield, Bath	1177	JD & JS Padfield, Bath
Limousin	193.67	203.00	C M Baber, Frome	1198	HP & J Flux, Isle of Wight
Charolais	189.58	198.50	Russell Bros, Isle of Wight	1286	Russell Bros, Isle of Wight
Simmental	186.75	193.50	S & J Symes Ltd, Bridport	1035	Waddon Farm, Shepton Mallet
Angus	172.44	193.00	JD & JS Padfield, Bath	1187	N J Emery & Sons, Eastleigh
Devon	187.50	187.50	Church Farm Publow, Pensford	1003	Church Farm Publow, Pensford
Hereford	189.50	189.50	K & N Crang, Yeovil	943	K & N Crang, Yeovil

## OTM FAT CATTLE (19) Max. 184.5p/kg & £1,304

A mixed entry of under and over 36 month cattle forward with R Adams Hereford steer top of the day at 184.5p/kg. Angus steers to 170p/kg from M R Vines, Charolais steers to 168.5p/kg from S & J Symes, Swedish Reds to 159.5p/kg also from S & J Symes & Friesian steers to 164.5p/kg from F J Lessey. Simmental heifers to 183.5p/kg, Blue heifers to 177.5p/kg both from S & J Symes. Angus heifers to 178.5p/kg from Cartwright-Hignett Ptnrs. Hereford heifers to 175.5p/kg from West Farms and Friesian heifers to 139.5p/kg from M R Vines.

## BARREN COWS (114)

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A good entry of over 100 cows met a wonderful trade with all grades wanted and dear to average 123.67p/kg. Demand continues to outstrip the current supply so please keep your cows coming to make the most of the trade.



### FARM ASSURANCE IS VITALLY IMPORTANT:

A number of abattoirs are now only accepting farm assured cattle and as such we strongly advise vendors to register with an approved body. This will give your cattle the greatest chance of achieving the best possible price.



## BEEF COWS (32) Max. 167.5p/kg & £1,284

Beef cows also sold to a flyer with Rolf Park Farm's Angus topping the day at 167.5p/kg. Devon's to 153.5p/kg from R C Swann, Longhorns to 148.5p/kg from R J Norman, Herefords to 140.5p/kg from Church Farm Publow LLP. Blue's to 154.5p/kg from GJ & SE Welch & Sons. Charolais to 132.5p/kg from Russell Bros & Co. Young feeding cows wanted.

## DAIRY COWS (82) Max. 156.5p/kg & £1,280

Best Friesian meat dear and wanted to 156.5p/kg from BJ & EM Yandle and £1284 from AK & AD Parker with a further 9 selling in advance of 140p/kg and 15 over 130p/kg. Manufacturing cows also dear with plainer types at late rates and only the boners selling below 80p/kg. Young Friesian cows to 159.5p/kg from Padfield & Dyke. The Voizey's 7 Fleckveih cows averaged at £1163 and 156.94p/kg .... well done!! Many thanks for your continuing support.

### BARREN COWS

BREED	AV P/KG	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Angus	143.88	167.50	Rolf Park Farm, Bealieu	1036	RC Swann, Corsham
Fleckveih	156.93	163.50	R T J Voizey, Hardington	1280	R T J Voizey, Hardington
Friesian	112.32	156.50	BJ & EM Yandle, Yeovil	1150	Snook Ltd, Yeovil
Blue	148.75	154.50	GJ & SE Welch, Frome	1205	GJ & SE Welch, Frome
Devon	140.75	153.50	RC Swann, Corsham	1074	Cartright-Hignett, Iford
Longhorn	148.50	148.50	R J Norman, Yeovil	883	R J Norman, Yeovil
Hereford	110.65	145.50	AK & AD Parker Ltd, Todber	1284	AK & AD Parker Ltd, Todber
Simmental	135.50	138.50	S & J Symes Ltd, Bridport	876	S & J Symes Ltd, Bridport
Limousin	136.00	138.50	RC Swann, Corsham	877	RC Swann, Corsham

## SHEEP (768)

AUCTIONEER: ANDREW DOBLE 07825 812 982

### PRIME HOGGETS (337) Max. 263p/kg & £132 (SQQ 244.36p/kg)

Another very strong trade for all weights and grades with averages just 2p/kg down on last week's flyer. The best well fleshed hogget's met a marvellous trade and regularly 250p/kg+ and topping at 263p/kg from TP & GM Phelps, 261p/kg and 257p/kg from R A Barton. Some excellent runs of heavy and overweight hogget's forward which sold to a slightly easier trade but still plenty of competition and some excellent prices achieved. The best yellow line thicker hogget's sold to £132 for five pens from Richard Coward, £131 and £130 from K Romain, £130 from Alan Dagger, £130 from D Groves. More hogget's wanted weekly please!

NO.	WEIGHT (KG)	AV P/KG	MAX (P/KG)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
2	32.1-39	228.57	229.00	C Dagger, Bristol	80.00	C Dagger, Bristol
32	39.1-45.5	245.16	249.00	M J Blakeney, Mere	113.00	R H Groves & Sons, Bristol
132	45.6-52	246.06	263.00	TP & GM Phelps, Bath	129.00	R H Groves & Sons, Bristol
150	52+	219.43	242.00	R J Coward & Son, Warminster	132.00	R J Coward & Son, Warminster

### NEW SEASON LAMBS (94) Max. 286p/kg & £129 (SQQ 266.36p/kg)

An increased entry sold to a slightly easier trade. The best continental and Suffolk x sappy lambs were very keenly contested and look well sold and generally 270p/kg+. The very best Suffolk x's topped the day at 286p/kg, 284p/kg and 277p/kg from Michael Knowles and Sally Withers. Well fleshed heavy Poll Dorsets sold to £129 and £128 from R Taylor and £128 from Tom Wheeler. Please keep the lambs coming.

NO.	WEIGHT (KG)	AV P/KG	MAX (P/KG)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
23	32.1-39	252.37	279.00	P H Creed & Son, Glastonbury	106.00	P H Creed & Son, Glastonbury
34	39.1-45.5	274.90	286.00	M J Knowles, Bath	120.00	M J Knowles, Bath
51	45.6-52	264.06	274.00	R Taylor, Isle of Wight	129.00	R Taylor, Isle of Wight

### STORE SHEEP (236) Max. £103 (Av. £83.93)

A larger entry sold to a very fast trade throughout. Strong Suffolk x hogget's topped the day at £103 and £100 from JT Baylis, other good types at £94.50 from CJ Yorke and strong Dorset Downs at 394 from Golden Valley Farm. Medium framed hogget's met a firm demand at £70+ and only the small longer term sorts trading around the £50 mark. Just a few pens of store lambs on offer with the best selling to £88.50 from Ruth Armishaw.

### COUPLES (10 Ewes 15 Lambs)

A small entry of full and broken mouth ewes with lambs at foot met plenty of interest with the best types selling to £121 for Welsh ewes with young Texel lambs at foot from Stuart Hystop, other good types to £161 for 3 ewes with 5 lambs (£60.38/life) from Mr B Simpson. Lesser quality types £30-£40/life. More couple expected weekly!

### CULL EWES & RAMS (76) Max. £123 (Av. £74.04)

A much stronger trade throughout and many more would of sold to advantage. Best Suffolk x ewes topped at £123 from Sue Bishop and Continental x ewes to £115 from B Simpson, best mules sold to £86 from Beeswax Dyson Farming. Medium framed types sold from £70+ and smaller lean ewes almost all £50+

## PIGS (138)

AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453 482

A good run of pigs forward sold to another good trade with plenty of buyers in attendance.

### FAT PIGS TO £120

Another cracking entry of fat pigs forward with the best heavies to £120 and £108 for Steve Horn. A good run from Steve McCracken to £113, £108 and £100. Other best fat pigs from P & T Reakes to £108 and £104 for J Sprake. Lighter weights to £87 for R&R Collis and £78 from BJ & J Pocock.

### STORE PIGS TO £46

The best stores to £46 for S Cary. 10/12 week old White stores to £41 and £37 for Ed Godwin. Weaners to £16 for J Ware and £15 for SNJ Contracting.

### CULLS SOWS & BOARS TO £100

A better entry of sows with the best to £100 for P&T Reakes and £74 for E Godwin. Cull Boars to £76.

## NEXT PIG SALE:

**WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2018 @ 10.15AM**

*Please contact the Auctioneer Will Wallis 07833 453 482 with your entries in advance*

## DAIRY CATTLE (71)

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401

### CALVED HEIFERS TO £1,700

An excellent dairy entry this week and for our special sale of bulling heifers and young stock. Trade was very lively in all categories and although the shortage of straw is a common talking point buyers were plentiful and prepared to have their purchases. One or two more best calved heifers could have sold well. Top spot went to Robert Vines from Marlborough at £1700. Closely followed by A F Leighton twice at £1600. More average sorts £1250-£1400 on a regular basis. Plainer lean June due in calf heifers to £950. Jersey x in calf heifers due May produced competitive bidding to £800. Good consignments of bulling and younger heifers from ST Giles Farms Ltd and Wareham Ptnrs sold well. St Giles Farms were regularly over £750-£790 with younger types to £650. Wareham Ptnrs easily sold 16-17 months £700-£740 while 14 months £635-£670

## CALVES NON EXPORT (278)

AUCTIONEERS: TIM HECTOR 07818 056 049

ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985 737

A tremendous entry with a packed ring which ensured a flying trade from start to finish.

### CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £352

A shapely British Blue calf from PH Creed & Son fetched £352 with others to £333 from B Dawe-Lane. A cracking run of Limousin bull calves from J Sprake & Ptnrs Ltd enjoyed spirited bidding with the best selling to £332 with others to £330 x2, £300, and £298. Older Simmental bulls to £320 x3 from L Sealey & Son Ltd. A smart shapely Charolais bull calf from B A Russell & Son eventually sold to £328.

### CONTINENTAL HEIFERS TO £290

Another smart shapely British Blue topped at £290 from Wilverley Farm, who also had others at £280 and £245. A strong Charolais heifer calf achieved £278 from F W Pike. R W Young had a lovely fresh Simmental heifer calf which eventually sold to £278, with another fresh calf from W F Fisher & Son reaching £275. Limousin heifers enjoyed a good following today with RTE Dauncey & Sons gaining top price at £248. A nice run from J Sprake & Ptnrs which topped at £245 x2, £242 and £230 x2.

### NATIVE BULLS TO £308

A cracking entry of Native bull calves today which enjoyed a good following. The top Angus bull calf sold at £308 from KAM Farming Ltd, with others to £300 from R J Goss & Son. A lovely run of Hereford bulls from Mitchell Bros which topped at £300 and £298.

### NATIVE HEIFERS TO £285

A lovely pair of Angus heifer calves to £285 from KAM Farming Ltd who also had others from £212. A nice fresh Hereford calf to £200 from N H Ludlow, others to £198 from J W Saxton and F W Pike.

### FRIESIANS TO £172

Dairy bulls received a good following with many being sold to farmers for rearing. A nice pair of Holstein bull calves from C G Capon eventually sold at £172. Other Holstein calves to £120 from D&J Mapstone. A smart traditional shapely British Friesian calf from PF & J Osborne eventually sold at £138, with another fresh calf at £136 from R W Young.

BREED	BULLS			HEIFERS		
	AV (£)	MAX	VENDOR	AV (£)	MAX	VENDOR
Blue	256.50	352.00	P H Creed & Son, Somerton	222.86	290.00	Wilverley Farm, Lyndhurst
Limousin	284.11	332.00	J Sprake & Ptnrs Ltd, Sherborne	225.00	248.00	R T E Dauncey, Shepton Mallet
Simmental	213.50	330.00	L Sealey & Son, Shepton Mallet	169.53	278.00	R W Young, Bristol
Charolais	297.67	328.00	B A Russell & Son, Honingsham	244.33	290.00	F W Pike, Cullompton
Angus	140.34	308.00	KAM Farming Ltd, Dorchester		285.00	KAM Farming Ltd, Dorchester
Hereford	166.30	300.00	Mitchell Bros, Merriott	108.65	200.00	NH Ludlow, Melksham
Montbeliarde	133.75	228.00	GJ & C Tayler, Chippenham			
Fleckveih	108.33	212.00	LJ & SF Gould, Sherborne		170.00	LJ & SF Gould, Sherborne
Friesian		172.00	C G Capon, Yarmouth			