

# WEDNESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

**TOTAL HEAD SOLD: 1,063**

**PRIME CATTLE Av. 175.67p/kg**

**BARREN COW Av. 102.85p/kg**

**PRIME LAMB Av. 168.08p/kg**

**DAIRY HEIFERS TO £1,720**

**CALVES TO £408**

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## BEEF CATTLE (59)

**Starts 11.30am**

**AUCTIONEER: MARK NORTHCOTT 07798 645 274**

More Beef forward met a good trade with the best again at a premium and more cattle could have been sold to advantage. Overage – The small entry sold to a strong demand.

|                         |  |                |                 |                 |
|-------------------------|--|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>TOP PRICE STEER</b>  | <b>205p/kg for a Limousin from PM &amp; SA Bishop, Bristol</b> |                |                 |                 |
| <b>TOP PRICE HEIFER</b> | <b>219.50p/kg for a Limousin from WA Waterman, Dorchester</b>  |                |                 |                 |
| <b>UTM FAT TOTALS:</b>  | <b>NO.</b>   | <b>AV P/KG</b> | <b>MIN P/KG</b> | <b>MAX P/KG</b> |
| <b>STEERS</b>           |  | <b>180.73</b>  |                 |                 |
| Light 100-550kg         | 10   | 171.16         | 154.50          | 205.00          |
| Medium 551-650kg        | 9  | 184.04         | 168.50          | 205.00          |
| Heavy 650kg+            | 9  | 185.86         | 174.00          | 194.50          |
| <b>HEIFERS</b>          |  | <b>177.06</b>  |                 |                 |
| Light 100-500kg         | 5  | 158.31         | 127.50          | 173.50          |
| Medium 501-590kg        | 12   | 181.84         | 158.50          | 219.50          |
| Heavy 590kg+            | 6  | 180.17         | 154.50          | 196.00          |

## UTM STEERS (28) Max. 205p/kg & £1,375 (Av. 180.73p/kg)

A mixed quality entry with Sue Bishop's Limousin x steer topping the Continentals at 205p/kg and £1,375. Charolais to 191.50p/kg from RE & AM Hicks and Blues to 189.50p/kg from R & J Gregory. Angus were again in strong demand topping at 205p/kg and £1078 from IJ Harris. Herefords to 184.50p/kg from Norridge Farms, Devons to 188.50p/kg from JD Jenkins and Welsh Black to 168.50p/kg from Barrett & Thompson.

| UTM STEERS  |         |            |                                |         |                                |
|-------------|---------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|
| BREED       | AV P/KG | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR                         | MAX (£) | VENDOR                         |
| Limousin    | 190.50  | 205.00     | PM & SA Bishop, Bristol        | 1375    | PM & SA Bishop, Bristol        |
| Angus       | 173.50  | 205.00     | IJ Harris, Radstock            | 1078    | IJ Harris, Radstock            |
| Charolais   | 184.50  | 191.50     | RE & AM Hicks, Bristol         | 1353    | RE & AM Hicks, Bristol         |
| Blue        | 187.83  | 189.50     | R & J Gregory, Winchester      | 1294    | RE & AM Hicks, Bristol         |
| Devon       | 176.13  | 188.50     | JD Jenkins & Son, Romsey       | 1008    | JD Jenkins & Son, Romsey       |
| Hereford    | 182.50  | 184.50     | Norridge Farms, Warminster     | 1193    | Norridge Farms, Warminster     |
| Simmental   | 169.50  | 169.50     | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster | 840     | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster |
| Welsh Black | 165.00  | 168.50     | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster | 1002    | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster |

## UTM HEIFERS (23) Max. 219.50p/kg & £1,266 (Av. 177.06p/kg)

The Waterman family's smart Limousin heifer topped at 219.50p/kg with their other selling at 213.50p/kg. Charolais to 197.50p/kg from RE & AM Hicks, Angus were a good trade to 196p/kg from IJ Harris with Herefords to 190.50p/kg from SG Flower. Devons to 167.50p/kg from JD Jenkins & Son and Welsh Black 177.50p/kg from Barrett & Thompson.

| UTM HEIFERS |         |            |                                |         |                                |
|-------------|---------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|
| BREED       | AV P/KG | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR                         | MAX (£) | VENDOR                         |
| Limousin    | 207.17  | 219.50     | WA Waterman, Dorchester        | 1266    | WA Waterman, Dorchester        |
| Charolais   | 183.75  | 197.50     | RE & AM Hicks, Bristol         | 1038    | RE & AM Hicks, Bristol         |
| Angus       | 172.75  | 196.00     | IJ Harris, Radstock            | 1187    | IJ Harris, Radstock            |
| Hereford    | 169.44  | 190.50     | SG Flower, Bristol             | 1230    | SG Flower, Bristol             |
| Simmental   | 174.50  | 178.50     | W & C Lasbury, Bristol         | 1058    | W & C Lasbury, Bristol         |
| Welsh Black | 173.25  | 177.50     | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster | 978     | Barrett & Thompson, Warminster |
| Devon       | 162.00  | 167.50     | JD Jenkins & Son, Romsey       | 895     | JD Jenkins & Son, Romsey       |

## OTM PRIME CATTLE (8) Max. 184.50p/kg & £1,033

A small entry with Blue x steers to 164.50p/kg from W & C Lasbury, Hereford heifers to 184.50p/kg from SG Flower and Simmental heifers to 151p/kg from W & C Lasbury. More cattle could have been sold to satisfy the continuing strong demand.

## BARREN COWS (108)

Starts 11.30am

AUCTIONEER: MARK NORTHCOTT 07798 645 274

Another excellent entry of over 100 cows sold to a good trade to average 102.85p/kg with all grades wanted.

## BEEF COWS (19) Max. 158.50p/kg & £1,391

The best cows sold to 158.50p/kg and £1391 for an excellent heavy Charolais from TW Wrixon with their others at 152.50p/kg and £1291. Devons to 129p/kg from Coombe Lodge Estate, Hereford to 129.50p/kg from N Spiller, Simmentals to 127.50p/kg and £1194 from Norridge Farms. Angus to 131.50p/kg from MR House, Blue x to 134p/kg from MR House and Welsh Black 119.50p/kg from Barrett & Thompson.

## DAIRY COWS (81) Max. 133.50p/kg & £1,196

Best quality Friesian meat cows were again in demand topping at 133.50p/kg from DO Webb and £1196 from KJ & CP Dunn, with RGE Durston's £1135 and a further 4 selling in advance of £1000 and 19 over 120p/kg. Manufacturing cows again sold to a brisk trade but the non-assured are discounted. Plainer types at late rates with the boners selling from 44p/kg and Jersey's to 73.50p/kg. Many thanks for your continuing support and please keep your cows coming!

| BARREN COWS |         |            |                               |         |                                 |
|-------------|---------|------------|-------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|
| BREED       | AV P/KG | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR                        | MAX (£) | VENDOR                          |
| Charolais   | 142.00  | 158.50     | TW Wrixon & Sons, Yeovil      | 1391    | TW Wrixon & Sons, Yeovil        |
| Blue        | 115.80  | 134.00     | MR House, Maiden Newton       | 881     | MR House, Maiden Newton         |
| Friesian    | 107.93  | 133.50     | DO Webb, Radstock             | 1196    | KJ & CP Dunn, Wells             |
| Angus       | 124.88  | 131.50     | MR House, Maiden Newton       | 990     | MR House, Maiden Newton         |
| Hereford    | 129.50  | 129.50     | N Spiller, Langport           | 1004    | N Spiller, Langport             |
| Devon       | 116.13  | 129.00     | Coombe Lodge Estates, Bristol | 878     | Peckons Hill Farms, Shaftesbury |
| Simmental   | 110.60  | 127.50     | Norridge Farms, Warminster    | 1194    | Norridge Farms, Warminster      |



### 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.



## **SHEEP (502)**

**Starts 10.30am**

**AUCTIONEER: ANDREW DOBLE 07825 812 982**

### **PRIME LAMBS (282) Max. 187p/kg & £100 (SQQ 168.08p/kg)**

A very mixed quality entry sold to a slightly firmer trade. The best well finished lambs traded at 174p/kg+ and topping at 187p/kg, 182p/kg 179p/kg and 178p/kg from Michael Knowles & Sally Withers, 180p/kg from BA & CM Godwin & Sons. A lack of heavy lambs forward but those on offer met a strong trade and £100 from R James, £90 from MTJ & MR Isgar and plenty £85+.

| NO. | WEIGHT (KG) | AV P/KG | MAX (P/KG) | VENDOR                  | MAX (£) | VENDOR                      |
|-----|-------------|---------|------------|-------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| 8   | 32.1-39     | 166.94  | 169.00     | P Wellacott, Warminster | 65.00   | JS Game Ltd, Bruton         |
| 189 | 39.1-45.5   | 169.27  | 182.00     | MJ Knowles, Claverham   | 80.00   | MJ Knowles, Claverham       |
| 63  | 45.6-52     | 172.26  | 187.00     | MJ Knowles, Claverham   | 88.00   | BA & CM Godwin & Sons, Bath |
| 18  | 52+         | 149.57  | 167.00     | R James                 | 100.00  | R James                     |

### **STORE SHEEP (95) Max. £63.50 (Av. £42)**

A strong trade for a lesser quality entry of mainly small longer term lambs and ram lambs. The stronger lambs sold well and to £63.50 from Ruth Armishaw and £60 from JS Game Ltd. Medium framed types wanted and £50 - £55 and the small lambs look very well sold and £40 - £49.

### **CULL EWES & RAMS (125) Max. £70 (Av. £30)**

A good sized entry of mainly medium and plain ewes sold to an easier trade throughout. The few strong ewes sold to £70 from S Godwin, £68.50 from AH & SM Mitchell and £67.50 from PK Knight. Medium ewes traded from £45 - £55 and plainer ewes selling at lower levels and either side of £30.

## **PIGS (115)**

**Starts 10.15am**

**AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453 482**

Another good entry of pigs sold to a much better trade than expected with more pigs wanted.

### **FAT PIGS (49)**

Again a very good entry of fat pigs in terms of quality and numbers forward. The best heavies to £121 twice for Steve Horn with other good pigs from the same farm to £106. A good run from JC & MJ Mayo sold well to £110, with lighter porkers to £99 and £96. Others to £107 and £104 from Durnell & Son and £100 from Kristian Lye. Saddleback fat pigs to £96 from I Carter from Chippenham.

### **STORE PIGS (58)**

A large entry of store pigs sold to a very good trade for the best, smart 8w/o white stores from PB Weeks sold to £39 twice. Other young white stores to £40 and £37 from PA Scott. Coloured stores to £32 from D Yates and young black stores to £18 from Martin Snell.

### **CULL SOWS & BOARS (8)**

Trade strong with no very heavy sows forward, the best to £112 from P & TA Reakes, £105 from S Mckarken and £100 from Durnell & Son.

### **FOR SALE - BREEDING BOAR**

**1 Pure Welsh Breeding Boar**

**Good Blood Lines 9mo**

**For more details please contact Will Wallis**

### **NEXT PIG SALE:**

**WEDNESDAY 10th OCTOBER 2018 @ 10.15AM**

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

## **DAIRY CATTLE (57)**

**Starts 11.am**

**AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401**

### **CALVED HEIFERS TO £1,720 CALVED COWS TO £860**

Certainly a sale of two halves this week. Demand for the calved heifers and cows was very firm and more quality types would have been well received and sold. Another super consignment from the Drake family produced lively bidding with their calved Friesian Holstein heifers twice to £1720 closely followed by Garratt & Mannerings "South wind" heifers at £1,620, well done to Susanna for the making the long drive from Dover! Laying off (Feb - April) in calf Friesian, Friesian x Norwegian Red, Fleckvieh heifers and bulling heifers all seeing trade difficult. This due to the lack of fodder and extra costs associated with wintering. Buyers were hesitant for these types but trade settled to be in line with other centres. More "out of calving pattern" cows scheduled for mid-October.

## **CALVES NON EXPORT (226)**

**Starts 10.00am**

**AUCTIONEERS: TIM HECTOR 07818 056 049**

**ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985 737**

A reasonable entry and a mix of quality available, trade fluctuated throughout the day with some calves selling well and others more difficult. Overall trade more selective and back on last week.

### **CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £408**

A real mix of quality where some good bulls looked well in line compared to other medium sorts. Best calves £300 plus to top at £408 for a Blue, others to £345 and £342. Medium sorts £240 to £300, smaller bulls £100 to £170 with little in between.

### **CONTINENTAL HEIFERS TO £288**

Overall a less varied trade with more buyers all keen for heifers, best in excess of £220 to top at £288 for a blue, others to £275 and £250. Simmentals to £238, medium calves £170 to £220 and smaller sorts £80 plus.

### **NATIVE BULLS TO £335 / NATIVE HEIFERS TO £192**

A mixed bag in terms of quality with smaller, plainer calves on offer which saw the best of the competition. Best Angus bulls to £225, heifers to £120, a super run of Hereford bulls sold to £335, £312 and £295, heifers to £192.

### **FRIESIANS TO £135**

An easier trade all day with trade easing as demand reduced. Best sorts £120 plus to top at £135, plenty £50 - £80 and smaller sorts harder to place.

| <b>BULLS</b>    |                |                                 | <b>HEIFERS</b>   |                |                                 |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>BREED</b>    | <b>MAX (£)</b> | <b>VENDOR</b>                   | <b>BREED</b>     | <b>MAX (£)</b> | <b>VENDOR</b>                   |
| <b>Blue</b>     | <b>408</b>     | J Sprake & Prtnrs, Sherborne    | <b>Blue</b>      | <b>288</b>     | J Sprake & Prtnrs, Sherborne    |
| <b>Hereford</b> | <b>335</b>     | W & C Lasbury, Bristol          | <b>Simmental</b> | <b>238</b>     | RN Trott, Shepton Mallet        |
| <b>Limousin</b> | <b>235</b>     | RE Trowbridge & Son, Devizes    | <b>Hereford</b>  | <b>192</b>     | W & C Lasbury, Bristol          |
| <b>Angus</b>    | <b>225</b>     | Filer & Miller Ltd, Shaftesbury | <b>Limousin</b>  | <b>188</b>     | BWR Hasell & Son, Bath          |
| <b>Friesian</b> | <b>135</b>     | J & W Davis Ltd, Shepton Mallet | <b>Angus</b>     | <b>120</b>     | J & W Davis Ltd, Shepton Mallet |

#### **FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER @10AM**

##### **SALE OF STORE CATTLE**

**TO INCLUDE: 100 CHAROLAIS X & LIMOUSIN X SUCKLER CALVES 6-8mo PEDIGREE SIRES**

**CREEP FED HB SS BVD LEPTO IBR vac herd FA**

**FROM NEEDHAM & SONS**

**PLUS ANNUAL CONSIGNMENT OF 110 CHAROLAIS & ANGUS STEERS & HEIFERS 7-8mo HB SS FA**

**FROM WEST AMESBURY FARM**

#### **WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**NEXT SPECIAL REARED CALVES/STIRKS SALE FURTHER ENTRIES ANTICIPATED & WELCOME**

#### **FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER @10.30AM**

**SALE OF ORGANIC CATTLE FOLLOWED BY STORE CATTLE**

**TO INCLUDE: 90 CHAROLAIS X SUCKLER CALVES 6-8mo PEDIGREE SIRES**

**CREEP FED HB SS BVD LEPTO IBR vac herd FA FROM NEEDHAM & SON**

#### **WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**SPECIAL SUCKLER COW AND BREEDING BULL SALE**

**FURTHER ENTRIES ANTICIPATED & WELCOME**

#### **FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER @ 10.30AM**

**SALE OF STORE CATTLE TO INCLUDE 150 LIMOUSIN STEERS & HEIFERS 8MO FROM FC COTTLE & SON**

**90 ORGANIC SOUTH DEVON X, CHAROLAIS X & ANGUS X STEERS & HEIFERS 8/9MO**

**& 30 ORGANIC SOUTH DEVON X, CHAROLAIS X & ANGUS X STEERS & HEIFERS 18MO**

**ALL FROM SARGENT & WAIGHT**

#### **FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER @ 10AM**

**SPECIAL SALE OF STORE LAMBS, EWE LAMBS, BREEDING EWES & STOCK RAMS**

**PLEASE ENSURE SHEEP ARE HERE BY 9.30AM**

**PLEASE CONTACT ANDREW DOBLE ON 07825 812 982 OR TOM ROGERS ON 07384 462 288**

#### **NEXT POULTRY SALE**

**SPRING 2019 (DATES TO BE CONFIRMED)**

*HARVEST THANKSGIVING HERE @ FROME MARKET THURSDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 7PM.*

*PLOUGHMANS AND AUCTION IN AID OF CHILDREN'S HOSPICE SOUTH WEST.*