

FRIDAY 5TH OCTOBER 2018

895 STORE CATTLE

SALE TIME: 10.30AM

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STEERS TO £1,190 HEIFERS TO 1,015

A better show of cattle forward today, with many fresh faces around the ring all looking to purchase cattle. This ensured an improved trade for all types.

SUCKLER COWS & CALVES

Hereford cows & calves in short supply but sold well to £920. In calf Simmental and Hereford cows producing a brisk trade ranging generally £820 - £965. Next breeding suckler sale – Wednesday 17th October.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Simmental	1090	17mo	WE Love & Son, Wimborne	Simmental	830	15mo	C Tucker, Devizes
Angus	1050	17mo	S Nicholas, Trowbridge	Hereford	745	16mo	PH Creed & Son, Glastonbury
Blonde	820	11mo	ER & MJ Webb, Bristol	Angus	692	15mo	PH Creed & Son, Glastonbury
Limousin	795	9mo	NJ Bond, Trowbridge	Charolais	628	7mo	NB Needham & Son, Blandford
Hereford	765	16mo	JC Gay & Son, Bristol	Limousin	628	7mo	NB Needham & Son, Blandford
Charolais	732	7mo	West Amesbury Farms, Wilts	Blonde	575	9mo	ER & MJ Webb, Bristol

YOUNG CONTINENTALS

This week saw the first of our Suckled calf sales for 2018. A number of quality consignments were forward for sale from West Amesbury Farms, Nick Bond and Mark Needham. Whilst the exceptionally hot weather and lack of grass through the summer saw the cattle at lighter weights the price per kilo was well in line with those of previous years. 100 Charolais suckled steers and heifers 4 - 7mo from West Amesbury saw keen bidding with steers to £630 - £732 their heifers regularly £520 - £585 and were well sold. The first of this year's consignments from Mark Needham and family all sold well with 100 Charolais 5/6mo steers to £665 - £730. Their heifers saw prices predominantly over £600 and the normal purchasers were once again in attendance. Super Limousin steers from the same home peaked at £780 for 6mo and heifers to £628. 60 Limousins presented by Nick Bond 6 – 8mo had a firm trade and best steer sold to £795 and heifers £500 - £612. Blonde single suckled steers and heifers from regular supporter Mr ER & MJ Webb had a buoyant trade with plenty of men looking for these grand sorts, best steers 8 – 11mo £750 - £820 and heifers to £575. Nick & Molly Doggrell producing their normal outstanding Simmentals again this year. Demand for these wonderful cattle was at very high levels which saw their steers regularly over £900 topping at £975 and heifers at £722. This section as with the most others is all about quality and those with good growth and cover will sell well. Plain Dairy bred cattle still finding demand weaker than in previous years.

ABERDEEN ANGUS

A good show of well presented Angus consigned this week selling to a consistently firm trade particularly the forward types. Forward steers with good frames and potential reached £1190 from AH Farming. Well grown steers from LW & RJ Wyatt to £1135 and £1120 from Paul Mattick and family. Many other forward types over £1000. Heifers in equally strong demand with large framed sorts to £1015 from AH Farming followed by £945 from T Harrison. Younger Angus slightly harder to place however quality consignments in demand from several buyers. Well-bred Angus steers from BJ Singleton achieved £675 for 6mo with slightly younger quality types to £600 for 5mo.

**Entries for Friday store cattle sales for inclusion in catalogue must be entered by midday Tuesday.
This enables prospective purchasers to be notified.**

HEREFORDS

More Hereford x forward today and overall the majority were of greater quality than of late. Trade was much improved throughout the day with plenty of extra buyers looking for these traditional types. Yearling steers with named sires £550 - £650 and a few top sorts £825 for 15mo from Michael Knowles, younger heifers with good conformation eagerly sought to £540. Stronger steers and heifers much dearer this week and wanted and plenty £850 - £950, topping sorts to £1080 from our regular supporters Crockermoor Farms. Well fleshed heifers were much easier to sell ranging £770 - £890 from CD Green & Son.

FRIESIANS

Fewer Friesians forward this week but those that were forward enjoyed competitive bidding throughout, with the exception to a few very small stores which met resistance. Best Holstein Friesians to £760 from DL & BM Gordge. Other 21mo Friesians to £700 from HP & J Flux who had others at £678. A nice run of medium steers from A Heath sold to interest with 18mo selling to £670. Younger 10mo Friesians enjoyed spirited bidding and eventually sold to £295 from MW & LJ Baker.

FORWARD CONTINENTALS

Stronger cattle wanted by the larger company of buyers ringside but in short supply. Well reared Simmental steers met fast bidding to £1090 from WE Love & Son and £1005 from WT & JM Hill. Blues also a keen trade to £1040 from DH Wilkinson & Sons. Younger types sold well from £900 from Martin Blow to £920 from Robert & James Bowditch. Younger Charolais wanted to £918 from Mike Flux and Simmentals to £980 from Phil Samways. The good selection of heifers on offer met keen interest with feeding Blue heifers from Robert & James Bowditch to £860, PJ Mattick to £862, Ingsdon Farm Ltd to £865 and N & MJ Ashwin to £898. Shapely Limousin heifers also sold well to £860 from PJ Mattick and Simmental heifers from £825 - £830 from Chris Tucker.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Angus	1190	27mo	AH Farming, Yeovil	Angus	1015	24mo	AH Farming, Yeovil
Hereford	1080	25mo	Crockermoor Farm, Yeovil	Blue	898	23mo	N & MJ Ashwin, Bristol
Blue	1040	26mo	DH Wilkinson, Dorchester	Hereford	890	19mo	CD Green & Son, Wareham
Limousin	985	23mo	Crockermoor Farm, Yeovil	Devon	870	30mo	WE & Love & Son, Wimborne
Simmental	1005	19mo	WT & JM Hill, Sherborne	Limousin	860	26mo	PJ Mattick, Radstock
Devon	950	19mo	AH Farming, Yeovil	Fleckvieh	860	26mo	DL & BM Gordge, Dorchester
Charolais	918	18mo	HP & J Flux, Nr Cowes	Simmental	825	25mo	C Tucker, Devizes
Fleckvieh	850	18mo	HP & J Flux, Nr Cowes	Charolais	730	20mo	HP & J Flux, Nr Cowes

WEDNESDAY 10TH OCTOBER

DAIRY

**SALE OF 20 IN-CALF NORWEGIAN RED & BROWN SWISS COWS
DUE NOV/DEC TO PEDIGREE ANGUS OR BRITISH BLUE BULLS
10 IN-CALF NORWEGIAN RED HEIFERS DUE NOV/DEC TO PEDIGREE HEREFORD BULL
LOOSE HOUSED OUT OF CALVING PATTERN
ALSO 9 I/C BRITISH FRIESIAN HEIFERS DUE NOV TO FRIESIAN**

CALVES

**NEXT SPECIAL REARED CALVES/STIRKS SALE 100+ ENTERED
FURTHER ENTRIES ANTICIPATED & WELCOME**

FRIDAY 12TH 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 17TH OCTOBER

**SPECIAL SUCKLER COW AND BREEDING BULL SALE
FURTHER ENTRIES ANTICIPATED & WELCOME**

FRIDAY 19TH 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 26TH OCTOBER @ 10AM

**SPECIAL SALE OF STORE LAMBS, EWE LAMBS, BREEDING EWES & STOCK RAMS
PLEASE ENSURE SHEEP ARE HERE BY 9.30AM
PLEASE CONTACT TOM ROGERS ON 07384 462 288**