

# FROME LIVESTOCK

## AUCTIONEERS LTD

### SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION WEEK ENDING 10<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025

### TOTAL HEAD SOLD 1246



**In Lamb Ewes to  
£200**

### TRADE AT A GLANCE

PRIME CATTLE	TO 352P/KG & £2267	CULL COWS/BULLS	TO 241P/KG & £1731
SPRING HOGGS	TO 355P/KG & £174	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £250
STORE HOGGS	TO £118	CALVES	TO £470
PIGS	TO £188	DAIRY	TO £1220
STORE STEERS	TO £1945	STORE HEIFERS	TO £1565

Frome Livestock Market, Standerwick, Somerset, BA112QB  
01373 830033 info@fromelivestock.com

[www.fromelivestock.com](http://www.fromelivestock.com)

# Frome Market



## REGULAR WEDNESDAY CLINICS

**FREE NHS Health Checks every 2nd and 4th Wednesday**

**FREE Podiatry services every 1st and 3rd Wednesday**

The Health Hub is available to all farming or agricultural workers and their families, no matter where you live.

### Come and see us for:

- Health and wellbeing checks
- Advice on lifestyle and concerns affecting your emotional wellbeing
- Guidance towards any support you may require in the future

**No appointments necessary, just call in and speak to one of our volunteers.**



<b>HEALTH HUB 9am – 1pm</b> <b>Drop In</b> <b>No appointment needed</b>	<b>FOOT CLINIC 9am – 1pm</b> <b>Please check availability</b> <b>Pre-booking required</b>
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January</b>  <b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January</b>  <b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January</b>

# WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY

A fantastic start to the year with good numbers and a strong trade in all sections. Prime Beef exceptionally dear and lambs edging up. A good show of in lamb ewes selling well. Calves in high demand and firm competition seeing a lift in value. A good show of pigs selling to demand and competition.

**TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
1246**

## **PRIME CATTLE (44) to 352p/kg and £2267**

**AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916** *Start 12.30pm*

An exceptional trade for prime cattle to start the new year with 15 out of 44 clean cattle over £2000 topping at £2260 and 17 cattle over 330p/kg . A good show overall of well finished cattle selling to 16 customers.

<b>TOP PRICE STEER</b>	<b>350p/kg for a Limousin from WA Waterman &amp; Sons</b>		
<b>TOP PRICE HEIFER</b>	<b>352p/kg for a Limousin from WA Waterman &amp; Sons</b>		
<b>UTM FAT TOTALS:</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>MIN P/KG</b>	<b>MAX P/KG</b>
<b>STEERS</b>			
Light 100-500kg	7	240.00	325.00
Medium 501-590kg	10	269.00	350.00
Heavy 651kg+	6	300.00	341.00
<b>HEIFERS</b>			
Light 100-500kg	2	228.00	315.00
Medium 501-590kg	10	244.00	350.00
Heavy 651kg+	7	220.00	352.00

## **UTM STEERS (23) Max. 350p/kg £2267**

An excellent show of steers met an extremely competitive trade topping at 350p/kg for a smart suckler bred Limousin from WA Waterman & Sons grossing £2180. A super run of steers from CW Butcher & Son reached 348p/kg for Simmental x and the overall top price of £2267; similar quality from the same vendor 341p/kg, 340p/kg, 331p/kg and others over 320p/kg coming to £2260, £2199, £2151, £2141 and £2088. Charolais from CR Hartley & Son 329p/kg and Angus again from CW Butcher & Son to 331p/kg and £1923. Herefords to 312p/kg from AR Smith and £1748 from LM Maidment & Son. Steers averaged 311.79p/kg and £1792 overall.

## UTM STEERS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Limousin	350.00	WA Waterman & Sons, Bockhampton	2180	WA Waterman & Sons, Bockhampton
Simmental	348.00	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes	2267	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Angus	331.00	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes	1923	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Charolais	329.00	CR Hartley & Son, Bath	2217	CR Hartley & Son, Bath
Hereford	312.00	AR Smith, Swanage	1748	LM Maidment & Sons, Corsham
Blue	300.00	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes	1958	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes

## UTM HEIFERS (19) Max. 352p/kg £2130

Some well-fed heifers forward topping at 352p/kg from WA Waterman & Sons for a super Limousin heifer with shape and finish grossing £2112. Angus heifers not far behind reaching 350p/kg for 580kg well bred and fed from S & R Stamp grossing £2027. Top gross price in the heifer section £2130 at 318p/kg for a Simmental heifer from CW Butcher & Sons and others to 349p/kg. Charolais from CR Hartley & Son 337p/kg and £2049 and Angus from ME & SE Wall 337p/kg and £2103. Heifers averaged 307p/kg overall.

## UTM HEIFERS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Limousin	352.00	WA Waterman & Sons, Bockhampton	2180	WA Waterman & Sons, Bockhampton
Angus	350.00	S & R Stamp T/A Appletree Prtrs, Highbridge	2103	S & R Stamp T/A Appletree Prtrs, Highbridge
Simmental	349.00	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes	2130	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Charolais	337.00	CR Hartley & Son, Bath	2049	CR Hartley & Son, Bath
Hereford	286.00	S Powell, Horton	1712	MC Gibbs, Wookey Hole
Blue	244.00	RF Drake, Castle Cary	1261	RF Drake, Castle Cary
Friesian	220.00	NF Clothier & Sons Ltd, Ston Easton	1407	NF Clothier & Sons Ltd, Ston Easton

# CULL COWS (32) Beef to 241p/kg Dairy to 211p/kg

AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916

Cows to a sharper trade and very much wanted after the Christmas period. Best grade 1 Charolais cows to 241p/kg grossing £1606 from Tom Bamlet Farming. Top gross price again for Charolais from N & S Glover at £1701. Hereford cows to 236p/kg and £1699 and Angus 233p/kg and £1678. Best fed Friesian cows to 211p/kg and £1456. Grade 2 cows 230p/kg and £1548. Grade 3 feeding cows to 215p/kg and others 180p/kg+. Grade 3 Friesians to 185p/kg and £1450 and others 168p/kg to 182p/kg. Grade 4 processing cows 104p/kg to 130p/kg.

## CULL COWS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Charolais	241.00	Tom Bamlet Farming, Dorchester	1701	N & S Glover, Yeovil
Hereford	236.00	MD & LM Keen, Melksham	1699	N & S Glover, Yeovil
Angus	233.00	Snook, Yeovil	1678	Snook, Yeovil
Friesian	211.00	Snook, Darvole	1456	Snook, Yeovil
Simmental	202.00	J Coleberd Services, Corscombe	1211	J Coleberd Services, Corscombe
Blue	188.00	RF Drake, Castle Cary	890	RF Drake, Castle Cary

## FROME MARKET

## CAFÉ LTD



Open on Market days  
Wednesday & Friday

Open from 8am serving breakfasts until  
11.30am with lunch from 12 noon onwards

# *Steve & Anna Chubb*

Trading as  
John Cooper Livestock Services



**FOR ALL COLLECTIONS PLEASE RING**

**STEVE: 07831 383392**

**WILLIAM: 07825 252198**

**ANNA (Accounts): 07818 401491**

**Email: johncooperlivestockservices@gmail.com**

**NFSCO REGISTERED COLLECTOR**

**ANIMAL BY PRODUCTS REGISTERED COLLECTOR**

**ALL CLASSES OF FALLEN STOCK  
TAKEN FOR DISPOSAL**

**Symonds  
& Sampson**

We invite you to take advantage of our

## **Free Farm Valuation Week**

**3rd - 7th February 2025**

For a free, no obligation, market appraisal for sale purposes, call one of our specialist farm agents



**Jack Curnick-James**  
Wiltshire  
01380 710537

**Ross Willmington**  
Devon  
01297 33122

**Andrew Tuffin**  
Head of Farm Agency  
01258 472244

**Lucy Carnell**  
Somerset  
01935 382901

**Will Wallis**  
Dorset  
01305 236572



**PKF**  
Francis Clark

accountancy | advisory | audit | tax

# Helping you achieve your goals

Mike Butler **01722 337661**

[www.pkf-francisclark.co.uk](http://www.pkf-francisclark.co.uk)

PKF Francis Clark is the trading name of Francis Clark LLP - a limited liability partnership, registered in England and Wales with registered number OC349116.





## Veterinary support services include:

- ✓ **Foot trimming**
- ✓ **Mobility scoring**
- ✓ **Calf services**
- ✓ **Vaccinations**
- ✓ **Weighing**

For more information or  
to book an appointment  
please call Frome Farm  
Vets on 01749 601899



**SHEEP (781) Start 10.30am****AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985737****PRIME HOGGETS (415) Max 355p/kg £174**

A flying start to 2025 with best hogs flying to 335p/kg and £174 with an impressive SQQ of 324p/kg, with every hogg averaging £144.51. Handy weights looking the dearest of the day with plenty 340p/kg upwards. Light hogs to 355p/kg from TFT Handy and £135 from the same good home. Handy weights to 343p/kg from Brian Godwin & family topping at £150 from L Hoddinott. Heavies to 342p/kg from Keevil Farm Partnership and £163 from A Doman & Co. Over 52kg to 303p/kg and £174 from Wallmead Farms Partnership. More hogs needed each week to keep buyers coming.

PRIME LAMBS		
KG	£	Vendor
62.50	174.00	Wallmead Farms Partnership, Timsbury
54.50	165.00	Wallmead Farms Partnership, Timsbury
45.50	150.00	L Hoddinott, Coleford
43.50	148.00	TFT Handy t/a Pry Holding, Purton
42.50	140.00	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton
41.00	139.50	Shaplunds Farm Prtrs, Cold Ashton
40.50	139.00	BA & CM Godwin & Sons, Bath

**CULL EWES & RAMS (123) Max £250**

A larger entry of ewes which consisted of liquorice allsorts! A lot of smaller and leaner ewes forward. Very best types selling to £250 from Karina Heritage with other best ewes flying over £200. Medium ewes all £140 - £170 with very small or lean all £50+. More ewes needed each week.

**STORE LAMBS (61) Max £118**

A short entry of store hogs sold to a flying trade with best soaring to £118 from EJ White of Braydon. Plenty of hogs £100 - £115 with an overall average of £99.41 being achieved which included some very small types. More hogs needed each week.

**BREEDING EWE DISPERSAL (182) Max £200**

A cracking dispersal of in lamb ewes from Keith Darling drew interest from all over the South West. Aged 6T and full mouth looked well sold at £200 for both North Country Mules & Suffolk types. Plenty of ewes £180 - £190. Many more could have been sold to the advantage.

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

Dispersal of 60 In lamb 2 tooth North Country Mules  
from Rose Debenham.

## **DAIRY Start 11am**

**AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401**

### **CALVED HEIFERS TO £1220**

Only two fresh milk heifers forward for our 1<sup>st</sup> 2025 market. Generally smaller types having been with their calves. Trade very firm for the type on offer. Plenty of enquiries for top quality high yielding heifers and cows.

## **PIGS (220) Start 10.15am**

**AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453482**

A good first entry forward for 2025.

### **FAT PIGS (128)**

A large entry of fat pigs with lighter weight gilts and quality in strongest demand. Best lighter weights from PB Weeks to £188 and £178 this week. Porker weight gilts from Durnell & Sons to £168. Coloured fat pigs to £162 from Fulmer Pace Farm of Slough.

### **STORE PIGS (26)**

A small entry of stores this week with a smart pen of 14 w/o White stores from N Legge of Herefordshire selling to £75. Others to £50 for JE Cock & Son.

### **CULL SOWS/BOARS (66)**

Less forward than booked this week. Trade harder as expected and in line with national trends. Best to £180 from FE White & Sons with others to £172 and £170. Others from J Bodman to £168. Overall average £115.91.

**Next Pig Sale: Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January**

**Next Reared Calf Sale: Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January**



## SPECIALIST LEGAL ADVICE FOR THE RURAL SECTOR

Are you in need of expert legal advice and support for your agricultural business?

Things' team of experienced lawyers is excited to announce we will be holding legal surgeries every Wednesday at our office in Frome Market.

Whatever the legal challenges you face, whether they are business or personal, we can provide you with personalised legal support, tailored to your specific needs.

For more information or to book your legal surgery appointment, please contact:

**Jake Wennen** | 07787 416958  
[jwennen@things.com](mailto:jwennen@things.com)

### Why choose Things?

With over 100 years of experience in the agricultural sector, our lawyers have a deep understanding of the unique challenges and opportunities faced by farmers like you.

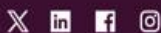
We are passionate about supporting the growth and success of your business, and we have a proven track record of delivering exceptional results.

Don't miss out on this invaluable opportunity to receive bespoke legal support.

Join us on Wednesdays at the office in Frome Market.

**THRINGS**  
SOLICITORS

[things.com](http://things.com)



# A LOYAL PARTNER

With roots in agriculture, our specialist team are dedicated to assisting and advising on your legal property needs.



MOGERS  
DREWETT

Frome Market | Bath | Wells | Sherborne

0800 533 5349

[mogersdrewett.com](http://mogersdrewett.com)

## OLD MILL



### Financial experts, fuelling ambition

Specialist rural advice in  
the heart of the South West



[enquiries@om.uk](mailto:enquiries@om.uk) | 01749 343366 | [om.uk](http://om.uk)



## **CALVES (169) Starts 10am**

**AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288**

A sensational trade for calves here today with all grades and breeds in demand, 21 active buyers with many unsuccessful bidders!!! Please continue to pre-book it really helps with buyer procurement; text or phone Tom or email the office [info@fromelivestock.com](mailto:info@fromelivestock.com)

## **CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £470/ HEIFERS TO £390**

All of the below calves mentioned are 41 days and under. Best blue bulls from J Sprake & Partners flying to £470 with others from the same stable to £445, £398, £390, £382 and £380. Super Blue bull from NL Norris to £355, others from NF Clothier to £352, £350 from JT Jackson, £322 from RH & CM Johnston, £325 from NR & D Norris and £318 from Pressbarrow Partners. Blue heifers a blinding trade to £370 from J Sprake & Partners, £365 from AJ Scott, £310 from Wareham Partners, £305 from JT Jackson & Sons, £300 from AK Hosie & Sons, £300 Pressbarrow Partners and £298 from Church Farm Partnership. Simmental heifers taking the top spot at £390 from regular supporters Adrian Bullus (with their Simmental bull to £378). Young Charolais bulls looking a very fierce trade from NR & D Norris to £245 and Limousin bulls from George E Masters flying to £255.

## **NATIVE BULLS TO £380/ HEIFERS TO £255**

A well presented Angus bull from SJ Stevens & sons to £380 with other best sorts to £335 from DA James & Son, £330 from AJ Scott & Son, £300 from J Sprake, £250 from Church Farm Partnership and £175 from Godminster Farm who also had young Angus steer calves to £215. Hereford few and far between seeing strongest bull calves to £340 again from J Sprake & Partners and £220 from AK Hosie. Hereford heifers wanted to £265 from RG & SE Hawker, £238 from RE Trowbridge & Son and £210 from Dan Heal.

**PLEASE WRITE YOUR PEDIGREE SIRE NAMES IN FULL ON THE ENTRY FORM OR PASSPORT**

## **DAIRY**

Holstein Friesian bulls now looking like a rare breed but selling well to £135 from DBH Miles, Dairy Shorthorn bulls from GN & KM Langley to £210 and £170 from Kevin Moore.

# WEEKLY TOP PRICE CALF WINNER!



This week's winner of £25 for the top price Native Sired Bull under 41 days was an Angus to £380 from SJ Stevens & Sons.

Sponsored by **Howard & Sons**

Dealers for Kubota, Nugent & Ritchie

Devizes Wiltshire SN10 5SQ Tel: 01380 723986



**1st Candlemas Sale to Include Organic Store Cattle**



**2<sup>nd</sup> Candlemas Sale**

**Please contact us with your entries:  
01373 830033 [info@fromelivestock.com](mailto:info@fromelivestock.com)**



# Shape the future of dairy

Have your say on the vital support we offer  
Register **now** at [ahdb.org.uk/shape-the-future](https://ahdb.org.uk/shape-the-future)

**AHDB**



## Help us Shape the Future of dairy

We're inviting levy payers to register with us to have a say on the vital work we do to support farming.

Registration is quick and easy – visit <https://ahdb.org.uk/shape-the-future> and fill in some basic details. Once we've checked these, we will contact them again in April 2022 when it's time to get their views.

We want as many levy payers as possible to get involved. As a key stakeholder to AHDB, you can help by:

- Encouraging levy payers to register with AHDB and have their say
- Follow our social media channels: Twitter - [@AHDB\\_Dairy](#) & Facebook - [@AHDBDairy](#)
- Like and share our posts or create your own to say why it's important for levy payers to have their say

We are committed to listening to levy payers and industry stakeholders about the challenges they face, and the role that we can play in enabling success in the farming industry. We want to ensure that the levy collected for each sector works hard for the benefit of that sector.

For more information, visit <https://ahdb.org.uk/shape-the-future>.

# FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024

## STORE CATTLE

**TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
240**

**Starts 10.30am**

**AUCTIONEERS:**

TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401

BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263 916

LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031

**STEERS TO £1945**

**HEIFERS TO £1565**

**A tremendous entry of quality stores to close the year with steers selling to £1945 from Paul Webber and heifers to £1565 from Peter Hunt.**

**All the staff at FLA thank you for your support through 2024 and look forward to seeing you in 2025 with a good entry of store cattle already building for Friday 10<sup>th</sup> January.**

**Wishing you all a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year.**

### **IN CALF COWS**

An excellent trade for the in-calf cows forward today. Deep bodied Angus due March to Angus had excellent demand at £1570 from Timsbury Workshop Estate Ltd. Simmental in calf cows from Rob and Charlotte Stott were easily sold to £1400.

### **YOUNG CONTINENTAL**

No problem to sell the younger types; quality suckler bred Charolais steers and heifers (7mo) from Dave and Liz Brimble to £1095 and £895 respectively. 3-4mo suckled Blues from regular vendor Tim Handy often over £800 topping at £850. Smart 13mo Blue steers from S Kingston saw good demand for these well grown types to £1170. Quality dairy bred 14mo Blue steers once again from Andrew Ridout produced competitive bidding throughout to £1180. Heifers from the same home £1200, £1080 and £965. A nice consignment of suckler bred Limousin 7-9mo steers forward from Philliols Farm commanded keen interest with bunches at £1080, £1060 and £1000! Their heifers were well sought at £955. Overall, a marvellous trade for the younger cattle and as the finished prices climb ever higher the stores follow suit.



# ANGUS

A wonderful selection forward with premium prices paid for farm assured, named sire types. Framed steers with potential topped this section selling from £1505 to £1585 (21-22mo) all from Rob Lessey & family of Wincanton, £1480 (24mo) from PF & JH Osborne of Westbury and £1455 (22mo) from WJ & SB Down & Partners of Yeovil. Other good feeding steers also keenly sought to £1325 (21mo) from Amy & Elaine Sheppard of Corsham, £1305 from W Green & Sons and £1205 from PW Sherborne & Partners. Medium framed steers also a highlight selling to £1055 (17mo) from WH Chipp of Portesham, £1045 (15mo) from WJ & SB Down & Partners and £990 (14mo) from Andrew Ridout of Dorchester. Best yearling steers also wanted from £840 (7mo) to £955 (8mo) all from DR & EA Brimble of Litton, £830 (12mo) from Alan Foot of Dorchester and £785 (9mo) from Rob & Charlotte Stott of Wells. Heifers continue to sell to a fast trade with fleshed heifers selling from £1375 (33mo) from Rob & Charlotte Stott to £1430 (31mo) from Clifford Alvis of Radstock. Bullers also wanted from £1040 to £1220 (21mo) all from Rob Lessey & family and £1180 (22mo) from PW Sherborne & Partners. Younger heifers also met keen demand to £915 (15mo) from Andrew Ridout, £900 (14mo) from Rob & Charlotte Stott and £790 from WH Chipp.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Blue	1180	14mo	MJ Ridout, Toller Porcorum	Hereford	1165	17mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree
Charolais	1095	8mo	DR & EA Brimble, Litton	Blue	1080	15mo	MJ Ridout, Toller Porcorum
Limousin	1080	16mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree	Angus	915	15mo	MJ Ridout, Toller Porcorum
Hereford	1080	16mo	Philliols Farm, Wareham	Charolais	895	7mo	DR & EA Brimble, Litton
Angus	1055	17mo	S White, Portesham	Simmental	805	10mo	Philliols Farm, Wareham
Simmental	880	10mo	Philliols Farm, Wareham				

## **HEREFORD & OTHER NATIVES**

The good entry of Hereford continue to sell to a strong demand with feeding steers wanted and selling from £1175 to £1395 (18-20mo) all from Colston Gay & family of West Harptree, others from £1160 to £1195 (21mo) from Rob Lessey & family of Wincanton and £1150 (20mo) from TJ Davies & Son of Westbury Sub Mendip. Younger steers also selling to advantage to £1080 (16mo) from Colston Gay, £910 from Will Stitch & Kate Isgar of Axbridge and £750 (9mo) from Rob & Charlotte Stott.

Heifers met an outstanding trade and topping at £1565 (25mo) from Peter Hunt & family of Sherborne. Bulling potential heifers also met a fast trade from £1100 to £1165 (17-18mo) from Colston Gay and £1050 from Will Stitch and Kate Isgar. Young heifers also wanted to £645 (7mo) from D & S Salter of East Cranmore.

## **FRIESIAN & FLECKVIEH**

Another excellent trade for the few on offer with fleshed framed Holsteins selling to £1160 (21mo) from Rob Lessey & family of Warminster and closely followed at £1110 (19mo) from Colston Gay & family of West Harptree. Their heifers also met a fast trade to £950 (19mo). Fleshed heifers topped at £1295 (27mo) from Stuart Perkins of Radstock. Younger steers also met keen demand to £800 (15mo) from Andrew Ridout of Dorchester.

## **FORWARD CONTINENTAL**

The stronger finished trade forces store prices up again. All grades wanted and massive premiums paid for good conformation and close to finishing. Top honours of the day go to Paul Webber's consignment from Draycott with his 16 Parthenaise steers selling to £1945 (21-22mo), £1765 (18-21mo) £1680, £1645 and £1610 (17-21mo) being over £3p/kg. Well presented Limousin steers also met keen competition selling to £1595 (20mo) from Philliols Farm of Wareham and £1340 (19mo) from PW Sherborne of Chelwood. Shapely Simmental steers equally sought after from £1425 to £1460 (24-26mo) from W Green & Sons of Horningsham. Heifers also strongly bid with framed Simmental heifers selling to £1410 (26mo) from Stuart Perkins of Radstock, £1365 (20mo) from Philliols Farm and £1200 (22mo) from Rob Lessey and family. Similar Blue heifers also sold to £1200 (21mo) from Andrew Ridout and family of Dorchester and £1130 (24mo) from A & E Sheppard of Corsham. Good bulling potential Blue heifers wanted and sold well to £1000 from TJ Davies of Wells.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
<b>Parthenaise</b>	<b>1945</b>	22mo	P Webber, Draycott	<b>Hereford</b>	<b>1565</b>	25mo	PW & ASL Hunt Ltd, Sherborne
<b>Limousin</b>	<b>1595</b>	20mo	Philliols Farm, Wareham	<b>Angus</b>	<b>1430</b>	31mo	CA AC Alvis, Oakhill
<b>Angus</b>	<b>1585</b>	22mo	FJ Lessey & Son, Wincanton	<b>Simmental</b>	<b>1410</b>	27mo	HG Perkins & Sons, Terry Hill
<b>Simmental</b>	<b>1460</b>	26mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham	<b>Friesian</b>	<b>1295</b>	27mo	HG Perkins & Sons, Terry Hill
<b>Hereford</b>	<b>1395</b>	20mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree	<b>Blue</b>	<b>1200</b>	21mo	MJ Ridout, Toller Porcorum
<b>Friesian</b>	<b>1110</b>	19mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree				
<b>Lakenvelder</b>	<b>955</b>	21mo	TJ Daves & Sons, Westbury Sub Mendip				

# Chantler's

## Ultrasound scanning

Providing a fast, accurate  
and friendly service to  
flocks and herds big  
and small.

Wally Chantler  
07818 007881  
wallychantler@live.co.uk



15 years experience covering the South of England and Wales

## Chaplain's Prayer

'May God the Creator Bless your labour...May God the Son walk with you day by day...May God the Holy Spirit inspire you with Creativity as you care for the land you farm...May God the Three in One Bless, Protect and Keep you always!

Amen 🙌🙏

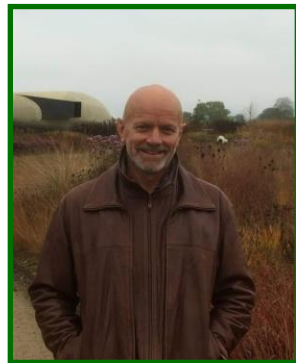
This coming Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> is 'Plough' Sunday! It feels important to acknowledge that this New Year has not got off to a flying start!?!...Disruptive industrial action, and Rampant Flu putting severe pressure on our already hard pressed NHS, severe cost of living challenges, war in Ukraine, High winds ...and flooding on the lower ground all over the country..The list goes on!?! However, if possible, it's best to try and dwell on the positives in life!?! Hope is the expectation that something good is going to happen! 😊 **Devolution!** The government has published it's **Devolution White Paper...** which sets out their vision and plans for devolving power across the Nation, giving councils the powers they need to **'Drive growth and Raise Living standards'** Local government reorganization to try and improve councils ability to deliver sustainable and high quality public services? We shall keep an open mind and see!! Of course available central funds will still dictate these services won't they!?! So... Let's stay positive

😞 😊 The cartoon goes: 1<sup>st</sup> person says: Aren't you apprehensive about what the New Year will bring!?! 2<sup>nd</sup> Person replies: I think it will bring Flowers! (First person is taken aback!) Flowers, Really? Why!?! 2<sup>nd</sup> Person replies: ' Because I've planted Flowers!!'

When bombarded with negativity, it's easy to dwell on it. Lord and Creator, help us to not overlook those who plant for us!?! ... Farmers plant hedgerows, Trees and Wild flowers for the birds and provide the basic food for our survival! We plant and his daily grace waters and provides growth 🙌🙏

Here are contact details for anyone needing help and support (please look out for your neighbours too) FCN 03000 111 999 [help@fcn.org.uk](mailto:help@fcn.org.uk) RABI 0808 281 9490 Samaritans 116 123 or [jo@samaritans.org](mailto:jo@samaritans.org) Please also remember that you can contact me too! 07880770887 See you Wednesdays!

Blessings to you all, Neville (Chaplain) 😊



# HAVEN TIMBER



SOUTHWEST WINNER  
Micro Business  
of the Year  
Haven Timber Holdings Ltd

SALES@HAVENTIMBER.CO.UK

01225 720140

WWW.HAVENTIMBER.CO.UK



UC4 INCISED  
MACHINE ROUNDS

## PRESSURE TREATED UC4 P & C MACHINE ROUNDS

### 88mm P & C UC4 ROUNDS

88mm DIAMETER	SINGLES (PPP)	PACK OF 163 (PPP)
88 x 1680mm	£5.15 INC VAT	£4.65 INC VAT
88 x 1800mm	£6.09 INC VAT	£5.21 INC VAT

### 106mm P & C UC4 ROUNDS

106mm DIAMETER	SINGLES (PPP)	PACK OF 116 (PPP)
106 x 1680mm	£6.66 INC VAT	£6.01 INC VAT
106 x 1800mm	£7.45 INC VAT	£6.03 INC VAT

\*PPP - PRICE PER PIECE

## 100mm HALF RAIL 3600MM

PRESSURE TREATED  
100 X 3600MM



SINGLES (PPP)

PACK OF 187 (PPP)

£8.17 INC VAT

£7.37 INC VAT



## 88 X 38 RAIL 3600MM

PRESSURE TREATED  
88 X 38 X 3600MM

£4.95

INC VAT

## SOFTWOOD SLEEPER



£19.75

INC VAT

PRESSURE TREATED  
200 X 100 X 2400MM



## 200 X 47 3600MM

PRESSURE TREATED  
DUNG WALLING

£19.96

INC VAT

OPEN TO THE TRADE & PUBLIC MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 7.30 AM - 5PM & SATURDAY: 8AM - 1PM  
HAVEN TIMBER, FARLEIGH ROAD, NORTON ST PHILIP, BA2 7NG. T & Cs APPLY. VISIT WWW.HAVENTIMBER.CO.UK.



FOLLOW US NOW



# YOUR LOCAL SUPPLIER OF CONCRETE & AGGREGATES

WITH 50  
VEHICLES IN OUR FLEET,  
WE ARE WELL EQUIPPED  
TO HANDLE ALL OF  
YOUR ORDER  
REQUIREMENTS

## SERVICES

- ✓ Aggregates
- ✓ Concrete
- ✓ Muck away
- ✓ Grab hire
- ✓ Bulk bagged products



Hopkins Estates Concrete

**01963 824200**

[WWW.HOPKINS-ESTATES.CO.UK](http://WWW.HOPKINS-ESTATES.CO.UK)

THE TYTHINGS COMMERCIAL CENTRE,

WINCANTON, BA9 9RZ



Farm • Commercial • Property • Fleet • Personal • Motor



We've been insuring the farming community in Cornwall, Devon, Somerset and Dorset for more than 115 years.

0345 900 1288 | [askus@cornishmutual.co.uk](mailto:askus@cornishmutual.co.uk) | [www.cornishmutual.co.uk](http://www.cornishmutual.co.uk)



JOIN US FOR A FREE EVENING SEMINAR:

## BUDGET 2024: WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOUR FARM

WEDNESDAY 12TH OR THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY AT 7PM  
FROME LIVESTOCK MARKET RESTAURANT, STANDERWICK, BA11 2QB



Tim Hector



Mike Butler



Frank Collins



Stephen Dennis



TICKETS ARE FREE, BOOK YOUR PLACE BY SCANNING THE QR CODE





**PAT TOMLINSON**  
ACCOUNTANCY

## BRINGING FARM ACCOUNTS TO LIFE



**Accountancy • Tax • Management accounting Budgeting • VAT**  
**Strategic financial advice • Representation with banks • Expert witness work**  
**Making tax digital • Xero Partner • Payroll**

[enquiries@ptaccountancy.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@ptaccountancy.co.uk) | [www.ptaccountancy.co.uk](http://www.ptaccountancy.co.uk) | 01823 792450

**Works  
better  
together**

DATAMARS  
**Livestock.**

Tru-Test  
DATAMARS



PeL  
DATAMARS



Z  
TAGS  
DATAMARS



Simcro  
DATAMARS



No compromise on quality, choice, service or support  
when you Switch & Upgrade to any product lines from Datamars Livestock.

CALL JOHN SYMONDS | 07766 221 011 | [JOHN.SYMONDS@DATAMARS.COM](mailto:JOHN.SYMONDS@DATAMARS.COM)