

**MONDAY 20TH FEBRUARY
2023**

**SALE OF 302
ORANGE RESTRICTED
CATTLE**

SALE TIME: 10.30AM

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STORES (152)

STEERS TO £1440 HEIFERS TO £1435

A good run of TB stores forward for our February sale met with an extremely fast trade for all types on offer. A number of well grown forward strong stores were equally sought by a large complement of buyers and prices equal to that being seen on a Friday market.

CONTINENTAL

Grand Blue x Dairy steers and heifers from RJ Phillips & Sons produced wonderful bidding selling to £1390 and £1250 respectively. Superb suckled Simmental steers and heifers 20-22mo from CW Butcher & Son saw furious bidding at £1440 and £1435 respectively. Other Simmental steers to £1352 and heifers to £1305. Quality home bred suckled Limousin steers and heifers from local vendor Ian Hale produced a hot trade from start to finish selling at £1252, £1200 and £1155 for steers and heifers to £1075 and £1010. RH & CM Johnston saw their younger 17-18mo Blue x steers at £1075 and heifers to £980.

HEREFORD & ANGUS

Plenty of quality Angus & Hereford forward again for this sale, with no shortage of buyers or interest. Thicker forward Angus steers and heifers from Hollands Farms easily to £1395 and £1360 respectively, closely followed by RJ Phillips & Sons at £1280 and £1260. More good Angus from RJ Dacombe and C Thompson & Sons were all very much in demand between £1150 - £1260. Only a handful of younger 11mo Angus on offer but all sold to advantage with steers at £700 and heifers to £635. A number of super Hereford x on offer today and all saw a strong trade throughout. Cracking, long deep bodied steers 22mo from Horseley Farm Partnership easily to £1360 and £1180. Thick Hereford x heifers at £1160. Younger Hereford x Friesian generally £900 - £1020 and were well sold.

FRIESIAN

The Friesians forward today produced a blistering trade with many over £1150 and best were £1220 to £1350 from RJ Phillips & Sons. Smaller, thicker British Friesians from C Thompson & Sons to £1135. More younger Holstein types generally £850 - £1000 and all wanted with plenty of bidders around the ring.

CULL CATTLE TO 180P/KG £1391

Strong demand for cows in an Orange market with competition guaranteed each sale. 8 buyers in attendance for cows today looking to source all grades. Holstein Friesian cows from RJ Dacombe to 180p/kg grossing at £1391 and 179p/kg from Hollands Farms Ltd £1156. Angus cows to 176p/kg grossing at £1207. Leaner grade cows 150 - 168p/kg.

More cows wanted, next sale Monday 20th March contact Bradley Towell: 07496 263916.

STORES							
STEERS				HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Simmental	1440	24mo	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes	Simmental	1435	25mo	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Angus	1395	29mo	Hollands Farms Blandford Ltd	Angus	1360	28mo	Hollands Farms Blandford Ltd
Blue	1390	29mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford	Blue	1250	28mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford
Hereford	1360	23mo	Horseley Farm Prtrs, Bruton	Hereford	1160	35mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford
Friesian	1350	34mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford	Limousin	1075	24mo	MF & IM Hale, Dundry
Limousin	1252	24mo	MF & IM Hale, Dundry	Friesian	1040	31mo	Crutchely Farms, Bridport

A big thank you to all who supported this sale.

CALVES / STIRKS (140) BULLS £280 HEIFERS £70

Young, well presented stronger Blue, Charolais and Simmental 3-6weeks generally trading between £40 - £60 for heifers and £60 - £80 for bulls. Best Simmental bulls 1mo to £120. Lesser types generally £20 - £40. Arla calves under 56 days a very limited trade, over 56 would be inline with the rest of market. Please pre book your calves to maximise buyer recruitment. We have buyers that want to come but we don't have accurate numbers!

Please note Calves/Stirks to be sold approx. 12.30pm following the store cattle.

Vendors please pre book you calves/stirks so we can advise buyers of numbers forward.

NEXT ORANGE RESTRICTED SALE

MONDAY 20TH MARCH

BARREN COWS, PRIME CATTLE & STORE CATTLE, STIRKS & CALVES

LICENCES MUST BE OBTAINED FROM

ANIMAL HEALTH BY MONDAY 13TH MARCH

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