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SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION
WEEK ENDING 4TH AUGUST 2023

TOTAL HEAD SOLD: 1305

SHEEP VENDORS

WEIGHING FROM 6.30AM–10AM

**PLEASE HELP US TO HELP YOU BY GETTING LAMBS IN
BY 10AM TO ENABLE THE SALE TO START AT 10.30AM**

STORE CATTLE VENDORS

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AND PENNED BY 9AM & FORWARD CATTLE BY 11AM.**

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TRADE AT A GLANCE

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|---------------|------------|----------------|------------|
| PRIME CATTLE | TO 267P/KG | CULL COWS | TO 198P/KG |
| PRIME LAMBS | TO 285P/KG | STORE LAMBS | TO £101 |
| DAIRY | TO £2000 | CULL EWES/RAMS | TO £121 |
| REARED CALVES | TO £690 | CALVES | TO £381 |
| STORE STEERS | TO £1500 | STORE HEIFERS | TO £1355 |

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| Wednesday 9th August | Wednesday 16th August |
| Wednesday 23rd August | Wednesday 6th September |
| Wednesday 13th September | Wednesday 4th October |

WEDNESDAY 4TH AUGUST 2023

Wet weather but no dampened spirits at Frome today. An excellent show of reared calves were in high demand as were milk calves. Lambs a similar trade on the week and store lambs to £101. Prime cattle in short supply and cows a better trade than expected.

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
926**

PRIME CATTLE (22) to 267p/kg or £1802.50

AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916

Start 12.30pm

Prime cattle in very short supply selling to a firm demand and a solid trade overall considering the national finished Beef price. Wholesale butchers in attendance with orders to fill each week.

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|------------------|--|----------|----------|
| TOP PRICE STEER | 267p/kg for a Limousin from DJ & VM Norman | | |
| TOP PRICE HEIFER | 258p/kg for a Blue from BJ & EM Yandle | | |
| UTM FAT TOTALS: | No | MIN P/KG | MAX P/KG |
| STEERS | | | |
| Light 100-500kg | 6 | 204.00 | 267.00 |
| Medium 551-650kg | 6 | 223.00 | 235.00 |
| HEIFERS | | | |
| Light 100-500kg | 3 | 125.00 | 164.00 |
| Medium 501-590kg | 3 | 190.00 | 232.00 |
| Heavy 590kg+ | 1 | 258.00 | 258.00 |

UTM STEERS (12) Max. 267p/kg & £1454

A super consignment of handy weight butchers steers with meat and shape from DJ & VM Norman topped at 267p/kg for 525kg Limousin x with others to 266p/kg and 265p/kg grossing £1454, £1407 and £1399. Hereford steers to 236p/kg from A Doman & Co and 235p/kg from VI & GR Doggrell. Good meated Friesians from A Doman & Co to 226p/kg and 224p/kg; 223p/kg from BJ & EM Yandle grossing £1408.

UTM STEERS

| BREED | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR | MAX (£) | VENDOR |
|----------|------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| Limousin | 267.00 | DJ & VM Norman, Sherborne | 1454 | DJ & VM Norman, Sherborne |
| Hereford | 236.00 | A Doman & Co, Ston Easton | 1302 | VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton |
| Angus | 228.00 | LK & C Davies, Glastonbury | 1274 | LK & C Davies, Glastonbury |
| Friesian | 225.00 | A Doman & Co, Ston Easton | 1408 | BJ & EM Yandle, Martock |

UTM HEIFERS (7) Max. 258p/kg & £1802

Heifers topped at 258p/kg for a well finished 700kg Blue from BJ & EM Yandle achieving the top gross price of £1802. Handy weight heifers to 252p/kg for 570kg from A Doman & Co.

UTM HEIFERS

| BREED | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR | MAX (£) | VENDOR |
|----------|------------|---------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|
| Blue | 258.00 | BJ & EM Yandle, Martock | 1802 | BJ & EM Yandle, Martock |
| Angus | 229.00 | I & J Holmes & Co Ltd, Foxcote | 1153 | I & J Holmes & Co Ltd, Foxcote |
| Friesian | 164.00 | Whitehouse Farm (Hardway) Ltd, Bruton | 719 | Whitehouse Farm (Hardway) Ltd, Bruton |

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CULL COWS (39) Beef to 198p/kg Dairy to 185p/kg**AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916 Start 12.30pm**

Cows selling to a faster trade than expected given the national chop in dead weight price. Continental cows topped at 198p/kg for 815kg Blue x grossing £1609 from RJ Bull. Limousin feeding cows with shape and potential to gain finish to 196p/kg from D Beatty. Angus from RJ Bull to 190p/kg and £1459. Well fed Holstein Friesians to 185p/kg, 184p/kg and 179p/kg grossing £1517, £1412 and 168p/kg. Grade 3 and 4 cows a similar trade on the week but still wanted. More cows needed next week.

| CULL COWS | | | | |
|-------------|------------|----------------------------|---------|----------------------------|
| BREED | MAX (p/kg) | VENDOR | MAX (£) | VENDOR |
| Blue | 198.00 | RJ Bull, Winchester | 1609 | RJ Bull, Winchester |
| Limousin | 196.00 | D Beatty, Southwick | 1212 | D Beatty, Southwick |
| Angus | 190.00 | RJ Bull, Winchester | 1471 | AR & J Voyce, East Stoke |
| Friesian | 185.00 | Cross Key Farms Ltd, Frome | 1517 | Cross Key Farms Ltd, Frome |
| Hereford | 178.00 | CJ Simpson, Pucklechurch | 1295 | CJ Simpson, Pucklechurch |
| Jersey | 151.00 | AR Smith, Swanage | 812 | AR Smith, Swanage |
| Brown Swiss | 122.00 | KW Brake & Son Ltd, Frome | 765 | KW Brake & Son Ltd, Frome |

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- TB Testing • Medicine Deliveries • Freeze Branding

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New VetTech



Calf Routines: are new services we are offering for youngstock. These include growth checks/calf weighing, disbudding, vaccinations, colostrum immunity testing and reports. These routines ease your workload and ensure youngstock are getting quality and regular care, keeping every animal up to date with disbudding and vaccinations and taking the pressure off you. You can make use of these services at a frequency that works for your farm e.g. weekly, fortnightly or monthly.

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Samples: Our VetTech is trained to collect a variety of samples for diagnostic testing e.g.

Faecal egg counts, bloods, milk samples for disease identification and will issue reminders for routine testing.

Anything else?

Or if you just need extra hand for few hours, whether that is needing extra labour for your tb test, vaccinating, or even just getting sheep in from the field ready for lambing, give us a shout and we might be able to help. It can save you paying someone for all day or if you're struggling for staff.



SHEEP (495) Start 10.30am**AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985 737**

WEIGHING STARTS AT 6.30AM
ALL SHEEP TO BE IN AND PENNED BY 10AM PLEASE

PRIME LAMBS (308) Max 285p/kg £149

A smaller entry of lambs when more could have been sold to the advantage. Nowhere near enough lambs forward for the buyers we have present at Frome. Best lambs soaring to 285p/kg from DC Aylesbury and £149 from M Bament of Bridgwater. Super lights to 256p/kg from Stonemark Industrial and £99.50 from Mark Bament. Handy weights to 282p/kg from Pat Apsey and £117 twice from DC Aylesbury and Paul Crew of Shaplands Farm Partnership. Heavies to 285p/kg and £137 from DC Aylesbury. Over weights to 266p/kg ad £149 from Mark Bament, Bridgwater.

CULL EWES (53) Max £121

A small number of cull ewes which looked a serious trade with best heavy Romney cull ewes to £121 from T & SK Flower; other Suffolk ewes to £118. More ewes needed each week.

STORES (91) Max £101

What a trade! Best lambs to £101 from R Hill of Corsham, with quality 32kg Texels flying to £100. These store lambs look a serious trade and more could be sold to the advantage.

| PRIME LAMBS | | |
|-------------|--------|--------------------------------|
| KG | £ | Vendor |
| 39.00 | 99.50 | AJ Bament, Bridgwater |
| 40.00 | 103.00 | A Doman & Co, Ston Easton |
| 40.50 | 105.00 | AJ Bament, Bridgwater |
| 41.00 | 115.00 | PG Apsey, Wincanton |
| 43.00 | 117.00 | DC Aylesbury, Westbury |
| 46.00 | 117.00 | Keevil Farm Partnership, Frome |
| 46.50 | 119.00 | R Golledge, Maiden Newton |
| 47.00 | 125.50 | R Golldge, Maiden Newton |
| 48.00 | 137.00 | DC Aylesbury, Westbury |
| 53.00 | 141.00 | AJ Bayment, Bridgwater |
| 58.00 | 145.00 | A & E Sheppard, Corsham |
| 59.00 | 149.00 | AJ Bament, Bridgwater |

REARED CALVES (149) Start 12.30pm

AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A strong entry of weaned calves met a very firm trade. Fair to say a few were bordering on the older side for this section but plenty of interest and all were well sold. Another grand entry of 60 Blue and Angus steers and heifers from Mark Peters, Sussex commanded brisk bidding. His 7 – 8mo Blue steers topped at £690 and heifers at £635. Buyers wanting the best Continentals and prepared to pay for the right goods. Angus were wanted with some super types again from Mark Peters saw best steers to £605 and heifers to £542. Leaner sorts generally £400 - £480. High House Farms of Dorchester presented a large run of Angus and Stabiliser steers and heifers; these hard out grazing cattle saw good interest throughout. Angus steers 9 – 10mo sold from £480 - £532 with heifers from £400 to £440. Stabiliser topped at £530 with heifers to £440. Only limited Hereford x forward but all wanted. A handful of Friesian were very variable in quality and sold to a level trade. Overall, more well reared calves 3-4mo could have produced keen demand but generally in short supply.

NEXT REARED CALF SALE: WEDNESDAY 16TH AUGUST

NEXT PIG SALE: WEDNESDAY 9TH AUGUST

ALL PIGS MUST BE PRE-ENTERED TO INFORM BUYERS
ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A LICENCE
AND AN ENTRY FORM

DAIRY (12) Start 11am

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401

Calved Heifers to £2000 Calved Cows to £1740

Basically, short on quality Dairy today. Fresh milk still in demand but purchasers looking for good young types. Top spot went to Mr RH Webb who presented 2 super Shorthorn x fresh milk heifers. Bidding was very lively topping at £2000, closely followed at £1780 for his second heifer. The final consignment was forward from M Futchter which saw a varied trade according to types on offer. His younger July calved “Altaleap” heifers to £1850 while late lactation November due “Delaberge Pepper” daughters to £1740. A number of older 6th – 10th lactation cows were more difficult to place.

Next week: 5 In Calf Heifers viz: Dairy Shorthorn, Montbeliarde and Jersey

Wednesday 16th August: No Dairy Sale
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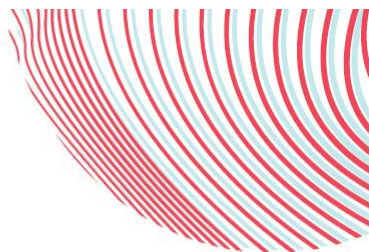
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CALVES (209) Starts 9.30am

AUCTIONEER: TIM HECTOR 07818 056 049

TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A fantastic entry for the start of August and a firm trade for all calves forward.

CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £381/ HEIFERS TO £288

Mainly Blues forward with very few other breeds available. A mix of quality on offer but a firm trade which reflected the quality. Best sorts well sought to see Blue bulls top at £381 from PJ JM & A Evans, others to £368, £350 and £338. Heifers to £288 from PHG Turner with others to £255 and £248. Limousins to £325 from PHG Turner with heifers to £205 from the same home. Charolais heifers to £228 from NR & D Norris. Simmental heifers to £220 from WJ Doggrell & Sons.

NATIVE BULLS TO £215/ HEIFERS TO £145

A good entry of almost all Angus with good and best sorts in short supply. Plenty of buyers for all smaller and plainer sorts with small to medium bulls seeing best returns. Angus bulls topped at £232 from DIVA Ltd with most over £100; heifers to £145 from Elliscombe Farm Ltd. Hereford bulls and heifers from NJS & MZ Tuke sold to £100.

DAIRY TO £120

Those forward with some shape sold well to top at £120 from GN & KM Langley, smaller plainer calves were harder to place.

NEXT REARED CALF SALE: WEDNESDAY 16TH AUGUST

We would like to give buyers a better forecast of Calves coming to our Wednesday market. We would greatly appreciate it if you could let us know by Tuesday afternoon if you will be bringing stock. Please contact any of the following with numbers/breeds:

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Tim Hector 07818 056049

Mark Ferrett 07702 264502

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18th SEPTEMBER
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MONDAY

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FRIDAY 28TH JULY 2023

STORE CATTLE

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
379**

Starts 10.30am

AUCTIONEERS:

TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401

BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263 916

LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031

STEERS TO £1500

HEIFERS TO £1355

A super show of cattle today sold to a fast and competitive trade, dearer on the week. Some excellent consignments of stores both Suckler and Dairy bred were very well sold. Short term cattle close to finish easing slightly as expected with the significant drop in finished Beef price.

SUCKLER COWS

Another super entry of quality Simmental cows and calves this week. Although a different vendor, again from the Isle of Wight, RM & JE Brown presented some excellent cattle with Simmental cows & 1month calf to £2020 followed by their other sets to £1910 and £1700. Plainer Hereford x cows with older 4mo calves at foot from GP Spiller had a strong trade to £1300 and £1210. In calf Hereford x heifers at £1000 and Devon x at £990.

FEEDING BULLS

A cracking trade for the feeding bulls with 2 top grade Parthenaise from Paul Webber 14-15mo selling to £1185 and £1180. Limousin x 8mo easily to £900.

YOUNG CONTINENTAL

A greatly improved entry of younger Continentals this week both single suckled types and Dairy x in greater abundance. The trade took a strong lift this week, although quality was generally better through the section. More new buyers coming to Frome this week and all looking for the best confirmation cattle. Marvellous suckled Blue x presented by N Webb was well rewarded for making the trip from Purton, Swindon seeing their 9mo steers to £1020 and Limousin x to £1055. Alan Pike & family continuing to breed excellent suckled Blonde x steers and heifers which saw a grand trade generally 9mo steers at £990, £940 and £920. Heifers were equally sought at £1030. Some superb Limousin coming forward with Valley Farm 15mo to £1070 and heifers to £790. A tremendous consignment of quality Limousin suckled steers and heifers 10mo from Richard Barton, IOW, stole the show in this section with steers to £1150, £1095 and heifers to £975 and £855.

A number of good quality Blue x Dairy bred young Continentals were forward and a top notch entry of 70 from regular vendor Mark Peters, Lewes. These cattle were keenly sought as his Blue x 10mo steers at £855, £805, £775, heifers were even more in demand at £825, £780. Bazadaise from the same home were on fire 8mo at £900. Overall, a cracking day in this section.

| STEERS | | | | HEIFERS | | | |
|-----------|--------|------|-------------------------------|-----------|--------|------|------------------------------|
| BREED | £/HEAD | AGE | VENDOR | BREED | £/HEAD | AGE | VENDOR |
| Angus | 1500 | 27mo | DH Masters & Son, Maperton | Hereford | 1355 | 23mo | D Harrison & Sons, Combe Hay |
| Limousin | 1385 | 17mo | RA Barton, IOW | Angus | 1305 | 30mo | DH Masters & Son, Maperton |
| Hereford | 1345 | 23mo | D Harrison & Sons, Bath | Friesian | 1190 | 25mo | TC Cox, Puddletown |
| Blue | 1310 | 19mo | EAS Reeves & Sons, Kilmington | Limousin | 1145 | 17mo | PJ & A Boulton, Pucklechurch |
| Charolais | 1105 | 17mo | SJ Cox, Puddletown | Simmental | 1110 | 22mo | RA Barton, IOW |
| Simmental | 1075 | 16mo | T & J Crees, Cloford | Blonde | 1030 | 10mo | GA Pike & Son, Trowbridge |
| Blonde | 940 | 13mo | GA Pike & Son, Trowbridge | Blue | 825 | 9mo | AR Peters & Son, Lewes |
| Bazadaise | 900 | 10mo | AR Peters & Son, Lewes | Bazadaise | 775 | 15mo | AR Peters & Son, Lewes |

HEREFORD

Hereford steers from D Harrison & Sons reached £1345 and £1200. Steers from DJ Glover to £1180 and £1062 from D Harrison & Sons with their Hereford heifers to £1355 for 23mo and £1255 for a pen of 4.

ANGUS

Several cracking consignments of Angus steers and heifers saw steers top at £1500 for thick meated sorts from DH Masters & Son with others to £1390, £1370, £1345 and £1340. A fantastic run of Angus suckler bred steers from DJ Glover topped at £1290 for a pair of steers with strong frame and shape. Similar quality from DJ Glover to £1295, £1220, £1205, £1195 and £1190. Steers from SJ Cox to £1160. Angus heifers from DH Masters & Son to £1305 and £1240. Framed heifers from W Green & Son to £1175 and a pen of 3 from EAS Reeves & Sons to £1160. Suckler bred heifers from DJ Glover to £1190 twice and younger sorts to £1020. Suckler bred Angus to £975 for 10mo steers from N Webb and 9mo to £930. Younger heifers from T & J Crees to £790.

FORWARD CONTINENTAL

Some excellent runs of well-bred Continental stores with shape and frame selling to high demand. Limousin steers from Richard Barton topped at £1385 for 17mo. Blue x from EAS Reeves to £1310. Limousin heifers from PJ & A Boulton to £1145 for 17mo and £1110 for 22mo from Richard Barton. Mostly medium term and younger Continentals this week.

FRIESIAN

Very limited entries of Friesians through the ring this week but a very tidy trade for those on offer. Nice types from Yeatman Partners to £628. A few well grown free martin older heifers saw lively bidding as British Friesians again from Yeatman Partners to £1005 and 25mo heifers to £1190 from TC Cox, Puddletown. More nice 14-18mo sorts could have been well sold.

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DO YOU HAVE A GREAT IDEA?

- Promoting connectivity between habitats -
- Increasing in farm biodiversity - Actions to improve soil health -
- Creating wetlands to support a variety of wildlife and reduce flood risk -
- Help the public develop skills in land management -
- Creating walks providing new access opportunities -
- Innovative equipment or farm practices to transition towards regenerative agriculture -

FUNDING
AWARDED

£1,000 to £150K

Cranborne Chase AONB administers this Defra funded programme. Farming in Protected Landscapes runs until the end of March 2025 and is part of Defra's Agricultural Transition Plan.



Your project must meet **at least one** of the outcomes listed below and at least **one of the objectives** of the Cranborne Chase AONB Management Plan. Scan here to view.



CLIMATE

- More carbon is stored and/or sequestered
- Flood risk is reduced
- Farmers, land managers and the public better understand what different habitats and land uses can store carbon and reduce carbon emissions
- The landscape is more resilient to climate change



PEOPLE

- There are more opportunities for people to explore, enjoy and understand the landscape
- There are more opportunities for more diverse audiences to explore, enjoy and understand the landscape
- There is greater public engagement in land management, such as through volunteering
- Farmers and land managers feel increasingly comfortable with providing public goods



NATURE

- There is a greater area of habitat improved for biodiversity
- There is an increase in biodiversity
- There is greater connectivity between habitats
- Existing habitat is better managed



PLACE

- The quality and character of the landscape is reinforced or enhanced
- Historic structures and features are conserved, enhanced or interpreted more effectively
- There is an increase in farm business resilience (you must deliver this equally balanced with other outcomes)

Applications for over £10,000 will be judged by a Local Assessment Panel. The Panel of 8 to 12 people includes representatives from Cranborne Chase AONB, Natural England and the farming and land management community as well as local specialists. The panel meets every 6 to 8 weeks. Applications for less than £10,000 are decided upon by a senior member of the AONB team (who has no prior knowledge of the project). All projects are to be completed by 31st March 2025.

Quotes must be received for each element of work in every application where Countryside Stewardship rates or rates from other agricultural support streams do not apply.

Chaplain's Prayer

'Two are better than one, because they have a better return for their labour. If either of them falls, one can help the other up(Ecclesiastes 4, v 9-10)We give thanks this week for the way in which The Farming Community Network volunteers try to walk alongside others in friendship ❤️ we pray for all those who feel themselves to be friend-less, especially within our own farming community? Here are the numbers and emails you can contact,completely confidentially...FCN: 03000 111 999, help@fcn.org.uk RABI: practical care, guidance, financial help to all farming people...0808 281 9490 and in an emergency Samaritans, 365 days 24h, 116 123, jo@samaritans.org



A carbon project development company... Regeneration Earth have announced the launch of a CARBON CREDIT MARKETPLACE. This offers farmers/landowners the opportunity to generate £100/tonne of carbon! Selling credits they earn for managing their land in a more sustainable way!? It's currently 4/5 times more than elsewhere in the market. This approach seems to me to be a positive way forward to help tackle climate change 😊

I saw this recently: 'Don't Walk behind me, I may not lead; Don't walk in front of me, I may not follow; Just walk beside me and be my friend!'

Myself and my colleague Paul Watts(FCN) are here at the market most Wednesdays... please do approach us for a chat about anything at all...We don't bite, and won't judge you!!

Remember your neighbours as you would yourself 🙏

Neville (Chaplain)at Frome Livestock Market and Auctions, Standerwick

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