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SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION
WEEK ENDING 9TH SEPTEMBER 2023

TOTAL HEAD SOLD: 1222

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

**CAN WE PLEASE ASK THAT YOUNGER CATTLE ARE IN
AND PENNED BY 9AM & FORWARD CATTLE BY 11AM.
LATE ARRIVALS WILL RISK MISSING THEIR SLOT.
LAIRAGE CAN BE PROVIDED THURSDAY EVENING.**

TRADE AT A GLANCE

PRIME CATTLE	TO 244P/KG	CULL COWS	TO 211P/KG
PRIME LAMBS	TO 267P/KG	STORE LAMBS	TO £121
DAIRY	TO £1610	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £105
PIGS	TO £358	CALVES	TO £320
STORE STEERS	TO £1595	STORE HEIFERS	TO £1650

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

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HEALTH HUB 9am – 1pm Drop In No appointment needed	FOOT CLINIC 9am – 1pm Please check availability Pre-booking required
Wednesday 13th September	Wednesday 4th October
Wednesday 27th September	Wednesday 18th October
Wednesday 11th October	

WEDNESDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2023

A lighter show of prime stock due to the weather, however an increase in calves on the week and a good entry of pigs. Lamb trade easing on the week however cattle just as dear. Cows in short supply again but selling to increased demand.

Dairy herd dispersal next Wednesday 13th of September with 105 Friesian Holstein cows; catalogue available online.

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
896**

PRIME CATTLE (12) to 244p/kg or £1271

AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916

Start 12.30pm

A lighter show of prime cattle and barren cows as expected due to the weather; that said, a solid trade for the cattle forward again with all grades a similar trade on the week.

TOP PRICE STEER	232p/kg for an Angus from AE & CA Miller		
TOP PRICE HEIFER	244p/kg for a Speckled Park from N & MJ Ashwin		
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
STEERS			
Light 100-500kg	1	232.00	232.00
HEIFERS			
Light 100-500kg	4	205.00	244.00
Medium 501-590kg	7	199.00	236.00

UTM STEERS (1) Max. 232p/kg & £1169

Steers to 232p/kg for Angus x from AE & CA Miller. More steers of all grades wanted for next week to benefit for the increase in trade.

UTM STEERS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Angus	232.00	AE & CA Miller, Old Sodbury	1169	AE & CA Miller, Old Sodbury

UTM HEIFERS (11) Max. 244p/kg & £1271

Speckled Park heifers from N & MJ Ashwin to 244p/kg with Herefords from the same home to 236p/kg and 228p/kg. Dairy Shorthorn heifers to 225p/kg and Holstein Friesian heifers to 216p/kg. More heifers wanted next week.

UTM HEIFERS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Speckled Park	244.00	N & MJ Ashwin, Pilning	1180	N & MJ Ashwin, Pilning
Hereford	236.00	N & MJ Ashwin, Pilning	1259	N & MJ Ashwin, Pilning
Angus	226.00	AE & CA Miller, Old Sodbury	1240	AE & CA Miller, Old Sodbury
Dairy Shorthorn	225.00	P Miller, Blandford	976	P Miller, Blandford
Friesian	216.00	LR & CJ Tuffin & Son, Sturminster Newton	1271	LR & CJ Tuffin & Son, Sturminster Newton

WEDNESDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 11AM

GENUINE HERD DISPERSAL

105 FRIESIAN HOLSTEIN

DAIRY COWS & HEIFERS

Av: 8,000 litres.

Home Bred closed Commercial Herd.

Cubicle Housed. Lepto, BVD & IBR Vac.

All year calving due to AA, BB & Sexed Hol.

On Line Bidding & Livestreaming Available



CULL COWS (15) Beef to 211p/kg Dairy to 164p/kg**AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916 Start 12.30pm**

Cull cows in short supply but increased demand again this week topping at 211p/kg for a Limousin x cow from PJ Kembery grossing £1473. Charolais cow from AE Weaver & Son to 191p/kg, £1304 and 181p/kg and £1173. Blue cows to 170p/kg from S Powell. Native cows to 166p/kg and Holstein Friesian steers to 164p/kg and £1209. Grade 1 cows generally 175p/kg to 211p/kg, grade 2 cows 158p/kg to 170p/kg, grade 3 cows from 120p/kg to 138p/kg and grade 4 cows to 118p/kg.

CULL COWS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Limousin	211.00	PJ Kembery, Bath	1473	PJ Kembery, Bath
Charolais	191.00	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell	1304	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell
Blue	170.00	S Powell, Horton	957	S Powell, Horton
Hereford	166.00	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell	1042	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell
Friesian	164.00	I & J Holmes & Co Ltd, Foxcote	1209	I & J Holmes & Co Ltd, Foxcote
Angus	159.00	RC Few & Son, Longbridge Deverill	958	RC Few & Son, Longbridge Deverill
Norwegian Red	121.00	S Powell, Horton	638	S Powell, Horton
Dairy Shorthorn	119.00	P & R Kimber, Wincanton	610	P & R Kimber, Wincanton

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SHEEP (505) Start 10.30am

AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985 737

PRIME LAMBS (325) Max 267p/kg £138

A harvest entry of lambs which sold to an easier trade on the week. Best lambs still achieving £138 from J Cox of Bath and 267p/kg from SC Pomeroy. Light lambs to 266p/kg and £101 from PF Best & Son. Handy weights to 264p/kg from SC Pomeroy and £115 from DC Aylesbury. Heavies to 267p/kg and £128 from SC Pomeroy of Tormarton. Over 52kg to 256p/kg and £138 from J Cox of Bath. More lambs needed each week.

STORE LAMBS Max (139) £121

A simply serious trade compared to the fat with best Texels flying to £121 from MJ Peach. Half meated lambs to £90 with only the very small under £75 today. An overall average of £78.50 which included some very small types.

CULL EWES (41) Max £105

Fewer ewes forward which could have been sold to the advantage. Best Suffolks to £105 from DJ & EJ Mitchell. North Country Mules to £90. Leaner ewes to £70. Meated Welsh to £85. More ewes needed each week.

PRIME LAMBS		
KG	£	Vendor
41.00	105.00	H & O Coombes, Witham Friary
42.00	108.00	CJ Love, Yeovil
43.00	109.50	DR Walker, Corsham
43.50	115.00	SC Pomeroy, Chippenham
45.00	115.00	DC Aylesbury, Westbury
48.00	128.00	SC Pomeroy, Chippenham
53.50	132.00	J Cox, Bath
54.00	138.00	J Cox, Bath

THE MARKET CAFÉ IS NOW OPEN

**EVERY WEDNESDAY
AND FRIDAY**

8AM – 3PM



DAIRY Start 11am

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401

Calved Heifers to £1610

An unusual statement to make in September but it was a typical hot harvest day. As everyone scrambled to finish the last of the hay, silage and corn the market was exceptionally quiet with entries. Trade for those forward was firm and Roger Masters saw his calved home bred heifer top at £1610. Older more British Friesian types sold to £1260.

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A background image showing a large number of sheep in a metal-fenced enclosure, likely at a livestock market.

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Wednesday 18th October

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PIGS (108) Start 10.15am

AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453482

A smaller entry forward this week with trade stronger. Wider reports show a shortage of pig numbers, however better demand.

FAT PIGS (31)

A mixed entry this week with mostly lighter weights and boars on offer. Best medium weight cutters to £204 and £200 for a couple of cracking pens from Durnell & Sons. Light porker weights topped at £163 from N Legge of Herefordshire. Other lighter sorts to £182 from A Griggs and £188 from S Jones.

STORE PIGS (41)

Quality selling to a good trade with 12-14w/o stores to £67 from Crealy Farms and younger sorts to £56 from N Legge. Older Saddleback stores selling well to £95 from IC CA & JC Carter.

CULL SOWS & BOARS (36)

Trade for all culls much better with the best to £358, £335, £318 and £295 from Crealy Farms. Others to £278 from S Kincart of Cheltenham. Cull boars to £230 from J Coleman. Overall average to £280.53.

NEXT PIG SALE: WEDNESDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

ALL PIGS MUST BE PRE-ENTERED TO ENABLE US TO INFORM BUYERS



MONDAY

ARE YOU UNDER TB RESTRICTION?

TB RESTRICTED SALES/ORANGE MARKET

Open to all ages and classes of cattle; Prime, Cull, Store and Calves

Cattle must be licenced to these sales and licences must be obtained from Animal Health at least one week before the sale.

ALL VENDORS MUST CONTACT THE MARKET BY THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE TO THE SALE TO NOTIFY US OF YOUR ENTRIES

Applying for a licence has now changed. A TB204 application must be completed and either emailed to csc.tblicensing@apha.gis.gov.uk or posted to APHA, Polwhele, Truro, Cornwall, TR4 9AD

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CALVES (251) Starts 9.30am

AUCTIONEER: TIM HECTOR 07818 056 049

TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A large entry as Autumn calving begins to gather pace. The overall quality of calves was lacking however a reasonable trade for better sorts. A lot of calves not booked again; please pre book so we can advise buyers of numbers forward by calling either the office: 01373 830033, Tom: 07834 462288, Tim: 07818 056049 or Mark: 07702 264502.

CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £320/ HEIFERS TO £188

Blues were the only breed forward today. A real mix of quality saw best bulls to £320 from NF Clothier & Sons Ltd and £252 from A Bullus. Heifers to £188 and £160 from AJ & RG Barber. Plenty of bulls and heifers £100 - £200 but smaller sorts hard to place.

NATIVE BULLS TO £275/ HEIFERS TO £285

Over 100 Angus and 24 Herefords forward and too many smaller, plainer sorts sold. Arla calves hard to place with trade easier across the board. Angus bulls to £245 from AJ Mellish, heifers to £220 from SJ Stevens. Hereford bulls to £275, heifers to £285 from Spicer Partners.

DAIRY TO £70 FLECKVIEH TO £158

Top price Holsteins to £70 from KJ & MJ Dowling. British Friesians to £52 from DR & SJ Heal, smaller sorts easier on the week. 3 good Fleckviehs from PJ & PA Perrett Ltd to £158, £152 and £105.

NEXT REARED CALF SALE: WEDNESDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER

WEEKLY TOP PRICE CALF WINNER!



This week's winner of £25 for the top price Continental Sired Bull under 41 days was a Blue to £252 from A Bullus.

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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.

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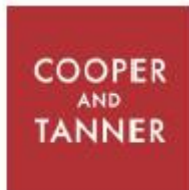
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FRIDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 2023

STORE CATTLE

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
326**

Starts 10.30am

AUCTIONEERS:

TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401

BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263 916

LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031

STEERS TO £1595

HEIFERS TO £1650

More store cattle forward this week as numbers start to build for the Autumn sales. A few extra buyers this week resulting in cattle being just as dear if not slightly dearer on the week.

COWS & CALVES & BULLS

A super entry of cows, calves and in calf heifers forward today and all were a joy to sell. First through the ring was a super consignment of Autumn calving in calf Pedigree home bred Charolais heifers and cows from Richard & Jeff Stevens retiring. These tremendously well bred cattle produced a blistering trade which was fitting for the quality on offer. Their younger types to £1800+ and twice over £1900 topping at a tremendous £1920. Next came a number of lovely Hereford and Limousin x cows with Hereford x calves at foot from Paul & Rob Lucas, Coley. These super cows & calves were very sought by everyone regularly over £1500 topping at £1550. Senior breeding bull saw quality Angus 6y/o to £1590 from Foremore Ltd.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Angus	1415	16mo	AM & RS Rich, Sherborne	Angus	1285	15mo	AM & RS Rich, Sherborne
Simmental	1100	17mo	ART Meatyard & Son, Trowbridge	Blonde	1160	16mo	A & A Gale, Blandford
Limousin	1085	17mo	A & A Gale, Blandford	Hereford	675	17mo	Spratling & Son, Bruton
Blue	1055	13mo	RVW & LEA Ritchens, Trowbridge	Blue	662	11mo	JHA Withers, Claverham
Charolais	950	15mo	SJ Bridger, Petersfield	Charolais	530	9mo	SJ Bridger, Petersfield

FRIESIAN

A better show of steers met a fast trade with British Friesian selling to £1070 (25mo) for Keith Williams of Newbury and Holsteins closely followed at £1065 (25mo) from Graham, Rose & Marcus House and their younger steers from £972

to £1028 (23mo). Younger grazing steers also in demand from £542 to £660 from Andy Jefferies & family of Bath.

YOUNG CONTINENTAL

Well, what an end of summer trade! Top Blue home bred 10mo steers once again forward from S & M North peaked at £1005. Tremendous Blue x (Dairybred) 12mo from Vick Ritchens & family produced wonderful bidding with bunches at £1055, £1000 and £955. More 12mo steers from Jack Withers & family and David Foot Ltd to £850 and £888. Simon Bridger & family continuing to present a wonderful day for the younger cattle in Frome.

ANGUS

Some excellent consignments of Angus steers and heifers selling to a fierce trade for both forward large framed Angus and younger farming type stores. Strong framed, warm steers from G Read & Son topped at £1595 for 25mo. A super pen of sucklerbred steers with shape and potential sailed to £1415 for a pen of 6 at 16mo from AM & RS Rich. Steers again from G Read & Son to £1345 and £1275 from AM & RS Rich. Large framed sorts from W Green & Sons to £1265. Angus heifers topped the trade at £1650 from N Webb for a heavy well presented heifer at 23mo. Similar sorts from the same consignments at £1432. Suckler bred heifers with shape and growth reached £1285 for a pen of 5 and others from the same home to £1150.

Medium term steers from AM & RS Rich to £1180 for 15mo and £1175 for 14mo. A single heifer from Tom & Charlotte Wheeler to £1140. Younger farming type Angus to £958 for 12mo from DB & BJ Hill & Sons, £900 for 10mo from N Webb. Dairy bred steers from David Foot Ltd topped at £858. Heifers to £715 for 13mo.

HEREFORD

Hereford steers from W Green & Sons to £1210 for 25mo. Younger steers from Spratling & Son to £875 for 13mo with others to £790 and £785. Yearling steers from JHA Withers to £770 for 12mo.

FORWARD CONTINENTAL

Outstanding demand as more Autumn buyers ringside. Tremendous selection of Blue steers stole the show with Mrs Tina Paul's setting the trade this Autumn with 26mo steers selling from £1460 to £1465 and closely followed at £1450 with a quality pen of steers from G Patch of Chilcompton. Younger Blues also wanted and sold well to £1295 (20mo) from Neil Roch Ltd of Keynsham, £1280 (21mo) from Martin Few & family of Longbridge Deverill, £1215 (23mo) from ART Meatyard & Son of Trowbridge, £1208 from W Greens & Sons of Horningsham and £1170 (only 18mo) from Graham, Rose & Marcus House. Best quality Limousin steers also in demand selling to an amazing £1310 (only 18mo) from

Tom & Charlotte Wheeler of Rode. Younger well presented steers to £1085 (only 17mo) from Andrew Gale of Blandford.

Heifers also met a fierce trade with strong bidding forcing prices above expectations. Limousin heifers a highlight selling to £1450 (23mo) from N Webb of Purton and £1290 (22mo) from Tom & Charlotte Wheeler. Blue heifers also wanted and topped at £1300 (30mo) from Mrs Tina Paul of Glastonbury, £1290 (22mo) from Martin Few & family, £1205 (20mo) from ART Meatyard & Son and £1112 (18mo) from Graham, Rose & Marcus House of Dorchester.

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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.**

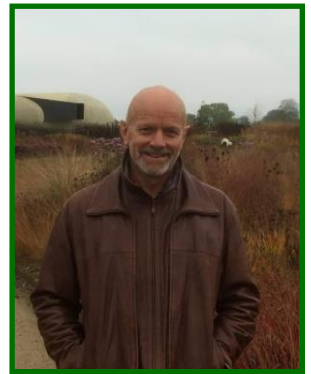
Quotes must be received for each element of work in every application where Countryside Stewardship rates or rates from other agricultural support streams do not apply.

Chaplain's Prayer

Matthew 11v 28-30...

'Come to me all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart; and you will find rest for your souls...for my yoke is easy and my burden is light!'

Remember, that if you have a burden to carry and you're finding things difficult to cope with..you have these 4 numbers to ring or email!?



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The cost of crime is up 16.6pc from 2022..GPS units,Quad bikes, ATVs seem to be top targets. Also livestock theft is 8pc up too, as well as fuel theft. Increased security must be high on a Farmers list of 'must do' these days. Back in my younger farming days it was the opportunist that was more likely to Thieve?! Now it's the organised gangs that target the above 'to order'

Lord Bless the land you've given me; may I always know as I tend each crop and creature that you're the one that helps them grow🙏Grant me the strength and wisdom and please protect me from harm. Thankyou for your gracious gift...

The Blessing of A Farm!!🐼

Another reminder that there will be a Harvest Festival Service at the market 7pm on **October 5!**

Phone me on 07880770887 if you need to chat about anything...or are worried for a neighbours well being!?

Neville Dyke(market Chaplain) mob **07880770887.**

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