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**SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION**  
WEEK ENDING 27<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2023

**TOTAL HEAD SOLD 1966**



**TRADE AT A GLANCE**

PRIME CATTLE	TO 270P/KG	CULL COWS	TO 164P/KG
PRIME LAMBS	TO 300P/KG	STORE LAMBS	TO £98
DAIRY	TO £1480	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £113
REARED CALVES	TO £580	CALVES	TO £370
STORE STEERS	TO £1600	STORE HEIFERS	TO £1565

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<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November</b>	<b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November</b>

# WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2023

Good numbers in all sections again this week with a good show of Dairy cows. More prime cattle and cull cows and a good number of calves with 654 head of cattle sold in total today. Good to see decent entries of prime cattle and cull cows in the market.

**TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
1253**

## PRIME CATTLE (57) to 270p/kg or £1712

AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916

Start 12.30pm

A solid trade achieved for prime cattle again this week with no sign of prices easing. Cattle look very well sold today with wholesale butchers and feeding buyers in attendance to handle all grades of cattle. Great to see good numbers of prime cattle and cull cows in the market; make the most of a competitive method of selling.

TOP PRICE STEER	270p/kg for a Limousin from QT Agri Ltd		
TOP PRICE HEIFER	268p/kg for a Blonde from QT Agri Ltd		
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
<b>STEERS</b>			
Light 100-500kg	5	140.00	262.00
Medium 551-650kg	13	223.00	270.00
Heavy 651+	6	221.00	249.00
<b>HEIFERS</b>			
Light 100-500kg	13	100.00	260.00
Medium 501-590kg	14	231.00	268.00
Heavy 590+	3	238.00	266.00

## UTM STEERS (24) Max. 270p/kg & £1712

A fast trade for steers again with all grades selling to demand. A well-presented consignment of steers from QT Agri Ltd topped at 270p/kg for 585kg Limousin x and 260p/kg for Charolais x at 600kg. Top gross price to £1712 for BJ & EM Yandle at 245p/kg. Handy weight Limousin steers from Groves Farming Partnership to 262p/kg for 515p/kg and Angus to 246p/kg. Well-fed Hereford steers from RN Trott to 241p/kg and £1543. Not many U grade cattle this week but R and O+ grades selling very well much to demand. R Grade Continental steers from 235p/kg to 270p/kg. O grade steers from 220p/kg to 245p/kg.

## UTM STEERS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Blonde	268.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1538	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Charolais	260.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1576	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Angus	250.00	P Reynolds, Fordingbridge	1679	Longstore Farming, Salisbury
Blue	245.00	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock	1712	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock
Hereford	241.00	MW Ford, Dorchester	1543	RN Trott, Shepton Mallet
Simmental	223.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1246	QT Agri Ltd, Trent

## UTM HEIFERS (30) Max. 238p/kg & £1672

Blonde x heifers from QT Agri Ltd topped at 268p/kg for 535kg with similar sorts to 267p/kg. Charolais from the same consignment to 266p/kg grossing £1672 and Angus to 245p/kg grossing £1625. A good run of Limousin heifers from Groves Farming Partnership to 260p/kg, 255p/kg, 254p/kg and 252p/kg. Herefords from MC Gibbs to 243p/kg and 239p/kg. No top grade heifers this week but good R grade heifers 250p/kg to 267p/kg and standard quality O grades to 225p/kg and 238p/kg.

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Blonde	268.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1538	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Charolais	266.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1672	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Limousin	260.00	Groves Farming Prtrs, Trowbridge	1320	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Angus	245.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1625	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Hereford	243.00	MC Gibbs, Wells	1406	MC Gibbs, Wells
Simmental	238.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1294	QT Agri Ltd, Trent
Blue	238.00	JD & JS Padfield, Stratton on the Fosse	1246	JD & JS Padfield, Stratton on the Fosse
Sussex	234.00	QT Agri Ltd, Trent	1330	QT Agri Ltd, Trent

**VENDORS PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU HAVE AN IN DATE FARM ASSURANCE STICKER ON YOUR ENTRY FORM**

**CULL COWS (112) Beef to 159p/kg Dairy to 167p/kg****AUCTIONEER: BRADLEY TOWELL 07496 263916 Start 12.30pm**

An increased entry of cull cows forwards this week selling to a level trade and again better than expected given the increased supply and reduced demand nationally. A mixed show of cows forward as expected for this time of year. Best fed grade 1 Holstein Friesian cows to 164p/kg for 900kg from KJ & CP Dunn grossing £1471. Top gross price to £1532 for a well-fed Friesian cow from RL Clapp & Sons. Similar quality grade 1 Friesian cows to 160p/kg, 158p/kg, 157p/kg and 155p/kg grossing £1316, £1299, £1286 and £1236. Angus cows with meat and cover to 159p/kg. Grade 2 Continental cows to 156p/kg for Blue x and Angus x cows generally 140p/kg to 156p/kg. A large percentage of grade 3 and 4 cows in the averages. Half meat grade 3 cows to 137p/kg and plainer grade 4 cows from 100p/kg to 115p/kg. Extreme plain grade 4 cows from 60p/kg to 85p/kg. Cull bulls to 145p/kg and £1029.

<b>CULL COWS</b>				
<b>BREED</b>	<b>MAX (p/kg)</b>	<b>VENDOR</b>	<b>MAX (£)</b>	<b>VENDOR</b>
<b>Friesian</b>	<b>164.00</b>	KJ & CP Dunn, Dinder	<b>1532</b>	RL Clapp & Sons, Glastonbury
<b>Angus</b>	<b>159.00</b>	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock	<b>1228</b>	J & JA Knowlson, Lymington
<b>Blue</b>	<b>156.00</b>	S & H Webb, Weymouth	<b>1104</b>	S & H Webb, Weymouth
<b>Ayrshire</b>	<b>152.00</b>	M & P Ellis, Petersfield	<b>689</b>	M & P Ellis, Petersfield
<b>Hereford</b>	<b>150.00</b>	PJ Pobjoy & Son, Norton St Philip	<b>1046</b>	GR Wiltshire, Mleksham
<b>Simmental</b>	<b>147.00</b>	RM & JE Brown, IOW	<b>922</b>	RM & JE Brown, IOW
<b>Dairy Shorthorn</b>	<b>138.00</b>	B& D Dawe-Lane, Shaftesbury	<b>926</b>	B& D Dawe-Lane, Shaftesbury
<b>Devon</b>	<b>138.00</b>	T & C Wheeler, Norton St Philip	<b>900</b>	T & C Wheeler, Norton St Philip
<b>South Devon</b>	<b>131.00</b>	PJ Pobjoy & Son, Norton St Philip	<b>887</b>	PJ Pobjoy & Son, Norton St Philip

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## **SHEEP (598) Start 10.30am**

**AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985 737**

### **PRIME LAMBS (229) Max 300p/kg £141.50**

A smaller entry of prime lambs which sold to a faster trade. Meat is the order of the day again it does pay to feed the lambs. Best lambs flying to 300p/kg from Lockerley Hall Farm and £141.50 from BA & CM Godwin & Sons. Light lambs to 254p/kg from L Bees and £97 from Lois Farm. Handy weights to 300p/kg and £136 from Lockerley Hall Farm. Best heavy lambs to 294p/kg and £141 from Lockerley Hall Farm. Over 52kg to 257p/kg and £141.50 from BA & CM Godwin & Sons. More lambs needed each week to keep the buyers coming.

### **CULL EWES (206) Max £113**

Plenty of ewes forward with the meat and medium ewes looking well sold. Best ewes to £113 from regular supporter DR & PS Osborne. A lot of plainer ewes forward which pegged back today's average, but considering the weather these look well sold.

### **STORE LAMBS (163) Max £98**

A cracking entry of store lambs forward which sold to a flying trade with plenty of new faces purchasing lambs from Frome. Best selling to £98 from BPJ & HM Mifflin & Son, Chippenham. Any lambs with strength and power all £90+ with only the very small under £70.

## **GOATS**

A small entry of Goats enjoyed a flying trade best to £70 from PH Gulliford.

<b>PRIME LAMBS</b>		
<b>KG</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
40.00	93.00	NB Parfitt, Woolverton
41.00	107.00	DR & PS Osborne, Keynsham
44.00	125.50	Lockerley Hall Farm, Romsey
45.00	135.00	Lockerley Hall Farm, Romsey
45.50	136.00	Lockerley Hall Farm, Romsey
47.00	137.00	Lockerley Hall Farm, Romsey
48.00	141.00	Lockerley Hall Farm, Romsey
55.00	141.50	BA & CM Godwin & Sons, Bath

## **IMPORTANT CHANGES TO LEGISLATION – PLEASE READ**

### **VETERINARY ATTESTATIONS – EFFECTIVE 13<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2023**

#### **What is Changing?**

Changes in EU legislation, as from **13th December 2023**, will require all producers selling **livestock for slaughter** to have had an **annual on-farm veterinary visit** to allow their animals, and/or part of any animal, to be exported out of the UK. Up until now, a farmer declaration has satisfied the requirements, however from 13th December 2023, producers will require a Veterinary Attestation. This will certify that an annual on-farm visit has taken place to verify the absence of notifiable diseases and provide general advice on farm biosecurity, meeting EU requirements. The Vet will provide the producer with a unique Veterinary Attestation Number, known as a “VAN” within their certificate.

#### **What is the “VAN” number?**

The Veterinary Attestation Number, known as “VAN”, is a unique reference number provided by Vets to producers within their Veterinary Attestation certificate to certify that an annual on-farm visit has taken place. A VAN number is valid for 12 months. This information will need to be provided to livestock markets, and onwards to buyers, for livestock sold for slaughter. The VAN number is made up of 20 digits as follows, including the Vets RCVS number, the CPH number the VAN corresponds to, and expiry date. For example: **1234567-12/345/6789-0624** [*MRCVS number*]-[*CPH number*]-[*Valid to the end of June 2024*].

#### **What will you need to do?**

If you are a member of a **qualifying assurance scheme (Red Tractor Assurance)** then you do not need to do anything as a **VAN number is not required**.

If you are **not Farm Assured**, you will need to provide the auctioneers with your VAN number prior to, or on arrival at the market.

For **sheep**, this will be included on an updated official sheep movement form.

For **cattle**, we will provide an updated cattle entry form to include a place to write your VAN number if necessary.

For **pigs**, the digital eAML2 form has been updated to accommodate the VAN number. Please note that the above will include **Prime, cull and store stock** as some forward store stock goes to slaughter from store markets.

We will take a note of your **VAN number** on our market system and **this will be valid for 12 months**. VAN templates can be collected from the market office or found here:

[Veterinary declaration for animal health visits - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)

**For any enquiries, please contact your local vet or a member of the team at Frome Market.**

## **DAIRY (83) Start 11am**

**AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401**

A super day in the Dairy section with over 80 penned for sale. Very short of fresh milk with calved Holstein Friesian heifers to £1200 from RJ Goss & Son. Some not forward to flooding preventing travel. However, one of the main entries was a small sale of (20) the Autum/winter calving portion of Pedigree Guernsey heifers and cows from the Briddlesford Herd off the Isle of Wight. This unusual entry created great interest and saw a very lively trade. Mainly non calving saw prices 5 times over £1400 and 4 times over £1480 for a 5<sup>th</sup> lactation cow due to "Novak Bountiful" (sexed) Guernsey sire. In calf December/January Guernsey x heifers topped at £1020. 20 Norwegian x Brown Swiss November/December in calf cows saw firm prices regularly £900 - £1000 and top at £1050. A strong entry of young stock forward but trade quite sticky. 12mo home bred heifers from the A'Bear family sold to £470 while younger sorts from £170 - £300. Dairy bred milk calves from £40 - £70 and realising less interest than past sales. Overall a well supported section throughout.

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## **REARED CALVES (203) Start 12.30pm**

**AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288**

A good entry of well reared calves here today at Frome saw quality selling to a very strong, competitive trade. Smaller sorts harder to place. A super run of Angus steers from Nigel Doman & family saw the best to £580. A strong run of steers from the Helliar Partnership saw Angus also to £580, Blue steers to £550 and Hereford to £525. Nice young Blue steer from Brian Clothier & family to £460 and 3 smart Angus steers from J Proctor to £430 only 3mo! Young Limousin steers from Lee Mansbridge again only 3 – 4mo, straight out the forest to £430.

Heifers, a fantastic run from Morgan & Lily Samith saw Angus to £485, Blues to £480, £460 and £452, a well reared bunch of heifers. Blues from NF Clothier & Sons to £400 (only 2-3mo). Smaller, younger Blonde heifers from J Proctor to £250. Already over 100 booked for the next sale, Please pre book reared calves with -

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**NEXT REARED CALVES SALE: WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER**

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## **CALVES (189) Starts 9.30am**

AUCTIONEER: TIM HECTOR 07818 056 049

TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

Number back slightly on the week as Autumn flush start to ease. Quality in short supply but all grades saw a brighter trade.

## **CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £370/ HEIFERS TO £335**

Almost all Blues today and a range of quality saw a brisk trade from a busy ring of buyers. Best bulls over £300 to top at £370 from J Sprake & Partners. Heifers from the same good home to £335, medium bulls over £200 and heifers over £150.

## **NATIVE BULLS TO £270/ HEIFERS TO £190**

Plenty forward but quality in short supply mainly medium and smaller sorts which were in strong demand from start to finish. A superb Angus from George E Masters sold to £270, other good shaped medium bulls around £160 - £190. Angus heifers to £119 twice also from George E Masters, Hereford bulls to £158, heifers to £92 from Spicer Partners.

## **DAIRY TO £89**

Only a handful forward, Holsteins to £89 from Spicer Partners, British Friesians to £70 from AJ Scott & Sons.

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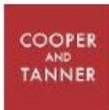


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# FRIDAY 27<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2023

## STORE CATTLE

**TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
713**

**Starts 10.30am**

**AUCTIONEERS:**

TREVOR ROWLAND	07968 480 401
BRADLEY TOWELL	07496 263 916
LESTER WILLIAMS	07778 646 03

**STEERS TO £1600 HEIFERS TO £1565**

**A good number of cattle forward and sold this week to a competitive trade very much reflective of the cattle on show. Forward steers no dearer with some of the plainer, colder types selling to a price. Cattle with shape and cover selling well again and very much in demand. Younger cattle selling to a two-tier trade with the well grown for age and fed sorts in demand. However harder done types easing in value.**

### **COWS & CALVES**

Several cows and calves forward as winter approaches. Trade very firm but obviously the down turn in the cull base price has had a knock on effect. Quality types were well sold and good Hereford x young cows with forward Blue calves peaked at £1460 with others at £1060. Super Charolais from CG Young were in firm demand and topped at £1600 while Stabilisers regularly £1100 - £1120. Quite a selection of grazing cows through the ring and best Angus easily to £1120. More feeding sorts £750 - £900.

### **YOUNG CONTINENTAL**

A few less men around the ring but plenty of trade for those better types and more good single suckled could have been well sold. OJ Nelmes again seeing their Limousin 7-8mo steers from £900 - £950 and heifers to £790. A wonderful consignment presented by PF Best & Son, Wareham . These grand sorts were eagerly sought and Limousin steers 10mo peaked at £1000 and regularly £900 - £950. Limousin heifers 9mo to £750. Simmental x steers 9mo from the same good home easily to £910. Top spot today went to long time supporter Laura Bodman who produced some quite outstanding Limousin, her 15-16mo steers blasted away to £1400 and £1495. Smart Limousin 11mo heifers from young farmer Will Hendy saw good bidding at £885. Only one 12mo Simmental steer from Mrs Andrew but a super beast topping at £1040. Dairy bred Continental selling to firm levels but buyers selective, nice 13mo Blue steers from the Chidley family saw steers at £770 and heifers to £690.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Limousin	1495	16mo	L Bodman, Devizes	Limousin	1350	16mo	PJ 7 A Boulton, Pucklechurch
Blue	1365	17mo	S & H Webb, Weymouth	Angus	945	15mo	Miss EM Davis, Compton Martin
Angus	1310	17mo	V Harris, East Lydford	South Devon	890	17mo	D Duell, Southampton
Charolais	1135	17mo	D & GJ Stevens, Maiden Bradley	Charolais	795	17mo	S Waite, Lymington
Blonde	1125	16mo	LHE Loder & Son, Sherborne	Hereford	770	16mo	J Alvis, Wickwar
Hereford	1100	17mo	Bradbury House Ltd, Stanton Drew	Blue	770	13mo	PH Creed & Son, Somerton
Simmental	1040	12mo	JE Andrew, Devizes				

## ANGUS

Demand still strong for Angus, particularly the well bred and shorter term cattle with bare frames lessening value as the weather turns and yards are filling up however still looking well sold. Angus steers with strength and cover reached £1595 from MF Green at 21mo with others to £1445. Similar quality from V Harris to £1440 (18mo). A cracking run of Angus from Town Hill Farming Partnership were bid to £1370 for 25mo steers and £1295. Angus steers with shape and potential to £1310 for 17mo from V Harris and £1300 from S & H Webb.

Heifers sailed to £1325 for 24mo from IW Lane & Sons and £1290 from Town Hill Farming Partnership and the same price from S & H Webb. Younger Angus steers to £1102 from K & PA Moorse. A cracking consignment of 120 cattle from Rolf Park Farms were well bid for with 12-14mo steers to £845 and a pen of 9 steers to £780 for 11mo. Heifers from the same good home to £640 for 11-13mo. Older types from the same consignment to £900 for 18mo.

## HEREFORD

Good numbers of Herefords forward and a particularly lively trade for the more forward and strong feeding types. As the finish price remains high there was good demand for replacements. Big numbers over £1100 and plenty of steers over £1200. PA & RJ Stranger & Sons supporting once again this week with some super well grown well shaped cattle. There bunches of steers £1345, £1335 closely followed by R & J Tibbs to £1290 and RJ Phillips & Sons to £1170. Strong thick heifers had a cracking day and wanted for the local butcher's trade. Top sorts from LP Shackell & Son to a marvellous £1440 and £1210 and David Green & family to £1245. Younger Herefords more scarce however, Bradbury House Ltd produced quality 15mo steers at £1100 and £1090. More medium aged Herefords

out of Friesian type cows from the Gay family produced active bidding to £970. Overall a good show of well shaped Herefords on offer this week.

## FRIESIAN

Friesians selling to a buoyant trade dependant on size and potential to gain finish. Large framed types reached £1065 for 26mo steers and heifers to £1115 for the same age. Younger sorts to £658 for 14mo British sorts. Similar bred Friesians steers from KJ Withers to £800 for 24mo and £735 for 12-13mo with good shape.

## FORWARD CONTINENTAL

Forward Continentals with strength and cover selling to competition with the best shaped steers topping at £1600 for a super British Blue x Steer at 23mo. An excellent consignment of suckler bred steers from PJ & A Boulton reached £1545 for Limousin x at 19mo and Blonde steers from LHE Loder & Son reaching £1520. Simmental x steers from W Green & Sons to £1445 and British Blue x to £1435 for 22mo and £1410 for 25mo. British Blue x steers with shape and growth from RG Kingman & Son to £1345 and £1270 from RJ Phillips. Heifers topping again from S & H Webb at £1565 for 24mo British Blue x and £1470 from CG Pulsford & Partners. Smart Limousin heifers from PJ & A Boulton hit £1450 for 19mo with others to £1350. British Blue x heifers to £1395 from IW Lane & Sons to £1295 and £1265 from NB Toop.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Blue	1600	23mo	S & H Webb, Weymouth	Blue	1565	24mo	S & H Webb, Weymouth
Angus	1595	21mo	MF Green, Salisbury	Limousin	1450	19mo	PJ & A Boulton, Pucklechurch
Limousin	1545	19mo	PJ & A Boulton, Pucklechurch	Hereford	1440	26mo	LP Shackell & Son, Bath
Blonde	1520	20mo	LHE Loder & Son, Sherborne	South Devon	1390	20mo	WE Love & Son, Wimborne
South Devon	1445	20mo	WE Love & Son, Wimborne	Angus	1325	24mo	IW Lane & Sons, Malreward
Simmental	1445	22mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham	Hereford	1245	21mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham
Hereford	1345	26mo	PA & RJ Stranger & Sons, Shaftesbury	Simmental	1200	22mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham
Charolais	1200	23mo	T & L Hiscock Ltd, Sherborne	Charolais	1190	23mo	T & L Hiscock Ltd, Sherborne
Longhorn	1150	23mo	T & L Hiscock Ltd, Sherborne	Beef Shorthorn	1140	19mo	Tonerspuddle Farm, Dorchester
Beef Shorthorn	1108	18mo	Tonerspuddle Farm, Dorchester	Friesian	1115	26mo	Rolf Park Farm Ltd, Beaulieu



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**Please remember to put the first injection date of TB tested cattle  
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# FARMING IN PROTECTED LANDSCAPES

A FUNDING PROGRAMME  
FOR FARMERS & LANDOWNERS



Open for applications until January 2025

## 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  
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# £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.



Cranborne Chase  
Area of Outstanding  
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Please have a look at the Farming in Protected Landscapes pages for further information.

[www.cranbornechase.org.uk](http://www.cranbornechase.org.uk)



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

Mark 10: 52-52

Jesus says to Blind Bartimaeus' **What can I do for you?** He replies 'Rabbi, I want to see' Jesus replies ' Go, your faith has healed you' immediately he received his sight and followed Jesus along the road!....

Farmers like us all need physical strength and courage to carry out their everyday job. When not fully fit, maybe due to an injury, illness or other reasons, it can make life almost unbearable 😞 The frustrations become multi- Layered, physical and mentally..

Please remember that here at the market we can help you?Have a chat with me or Paul. I wear two hats that complement each other, Chaplain and Farming Community Network(FCN) volunteer! The mantra for both is **Listen, Support and Connect**. The question that precedes all three is" **What can I do for you**"!

Here are the numbers you need if you are struggling and need help..

FCN 03000 111 999 [help@fcn.org.uk](mailto:help@fcn.org.uk) RABI 0800 188 4444, Open Mental Health (Somerset) 01823 276892 Samaritans 116123 [jo@samaritans.org](mailto:jo@samaritans.org)

I can also be reached on 07880770887 Remember to check up on your neighbour that you've not seen in a while ❤️🙏

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