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### SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION WEEK ENDING 2nd JULY 2025

# **TOTAL HEAD SOLD 1066**



### **TRADE AT A GLANCE**

PRIME CATTLE SPRING LAMBS SPRING HOGGS REARED CALVES STORE STEERS TO 370P/KG & £2544 TO 367P/KG & £180 TO 302P/KG & £179 TO £1070 TO £2400 CULL COWS/BULLS CULL EWES/RAMS CALVES

TO 298P/KG & £2369 TO £160 TO £640

STORE HEIFERS

TO £2070

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#### **HEALTH HUB**

9am – 1pm Drop In - no appt needed Wednesday 9th July Wednesday 23rd July

#### FOOT CLINIC

9am – 1pm **Pre-booking required**  Wednesday 16th July Wednesday 6th August

### AS OF 1/7/25 ALL STOCK CAN NOW COME TO MARKET WITHOUT ANY BLUETONGUE TESTING OR LICENSING RESTRICTIONS

### WEDNESDAY 2ND JULY

TOTAL HEAD SOLD 959

A strong trade in all departments but a few less numbers forward as clients are busy in the field with hay and starting harvest as the hot weather continues.

### PRIME CATTLE (31) to 369.5p/kg and £2544 AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

A mixed entry of finished cattle this week. Trade varied with the cattle and buyers generally more selective. Demand strongest for the handy weight steers and heifers. Butchers type Angus steers from A Doman & Co and VI & GR Doggrell 367.5p/kg and 369.5p/kg respectively. Several quality Continental heifers coming forward with regular vendors AE Weaver & Son seeing prices 360-365p/kg topping at 367.5p/kg for Blue heifers. A super consignment from Malcolm and Abby Robinson saw best Blonde x heifers to 366.5p/kg grossing over £2500! Leaner types and over age cattle more difficult to place this week however the strong deep bodied types with good cover from the Groves family still grossing £2000-£2200.

Vendors: Please help us to keep buyers informed regarding likely entries of stock. Phone the market office 01373 830033 or Call Trevor Rowland 07968 480401 or via text or WhatsApp on Tuesday to notify of any entries. Many thanks. Trevor Rowland.

### UTM STEERS (11) Max. 370p/kg UTM HEIFERS (20) Max. 368p/kg

TOP PRICE STEER	370p/kg for an Angus from VI & GR Doggrell							
TOP PRICE HEIFER	368p/kg fo	368p/kg for a Blue from AE Weaver & Son						
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No MIN P/KG MAX P/KG							
STEERS								
Light 100-500kg	2	315	362					
Medium 501-590kg	5	315	369.5					
Heavy 590kg+	4	270	360					
	HEIFERS							
Light 100-500kg	5	298	338					
Medium 501-590kg	5	340	368					
Heavy 590kg+	10	302	367					

UTM STEERS						
BREED	BREED MAX (p/kg) VENDOR		MAX (£)	VENDOR		
Angus	370	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton	2379	DO Webb, Radstock		
Blue	365	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell	2336	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton		
Hereford	335	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton	1913	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton		
Holstein Friesian	318	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton	2038	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton		
Fleckveih	315	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton	1858	R Adams, Bristol		

UTM HEIFERS						
BREED	REED MAX VENDOR M			VENDOR		
Blue	368	AE Weaver & Son, Frampton Cotterell	2206	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham		
Blonde	367	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham	2544	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham		
Charolais	362	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham	2353	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham		
Angus	350	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton	2138	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham		
Limousin	340	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham	1846	RMJ & AL Robinson, Pewsham		

### CULL COWS/OTM'S (13) to 298p/kg and £2369 AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

Surprisingly a lot less cull cows forward today considering the blue tongue licences have been abolished. But also very much a harvest week as vendors busy with hay etc.

Plain cows generally 170-200ppk with a few boners 120-140ppk. A few over fat cows had a strong trade 257.5ppk settling at £2369. Good export cows £1600-£1800 with more needed. A super Blue cow from JH & ACL Williams topped at just under 300ppk attracting good competitive bidding. More cows needed in all classes.

**Vendors** please give me or the office a call on a Tuesday with expected entries so I can inform buyers to get them to attend.

Text or WhatsApp is fine 07968 480401 Trevor Rowland.

IMPORTANT REMINDER! Please remember you **do not** have to TB test barren cows. We have an **untested** section so cattle can come straight off the holding to market.

CULL COWS						
BREED	REED MAX VENDO			VENDOR		
Blue	298	JH & ACL Williams, Bristol	1856	JH & ACL Williams, Bristol		
Hereford	260	P Reynolds, Godshill	2369	AT Garrett, Dorchester		
Galloway	228	LA & T Rogers, Bishop Sutton	1180	LA & T Rogers, Bishop Sutton		
Jersey	182	Hoskins & Vickery LTD, Salisbury	1043	Hoskins & Vickery LTD, Salisbury		
Dexter	160	S A Rosling, Melksham	787	S A Rosling, Melksham		

### SHEEP (676) Start 10.30am AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985737 PRIME LAMBS (324) Max p/kg

A neat entry of fat lambs which sold to a similar trade. A large difference between fed and non-fed lambs. Best lambs soaring to 367p/kg and £180 from Sue Bishop. Light lambs to 326p/kg from Alan Russell and £124 from Richard Coward. Handy weight lambs to 350p/kg & £157.50 from Lewis Tibbs and Maddie Walker. Heavies to 367p/kg and £180 from Sue Bishop of Bristol. Many more lambs could have been sold to the advantage with plenty of competition for lambs.

PRIME LAMBS					
KG	£	Vendor			
52.50	154.00	A J Hannam, Bishops Down			
49.00	180.00	S A Bishop, Bristol			
47.00	165.00	MJ Knowles, Claverham			
45.00	157.50	LG Tibbs & M Walker, Corsham			
43.00	141.00	LG Tibbs & M Walker, Corsham			
38.00	124.00	RJ Coward & Son, Warminster			

### PRIME HOGGETS (107) Max 302p/kg

Numbers keep coming with over 100 hogs offered for sale today. Best to 302p/kg from C & J Dagger and £179 from NF Clothier & Son. Lighter sorts to £151 from C & J Dagger. Toothed hoggs enjoying a fast trade with best sorts to £176 from Thornhill Farm Dorset Ltd.

### CULL EWES & RAMS (145) Max £160

A larger entry of ewes today which sold to a similar trade on the week. The edge might have been off the best but plainer ewes looked well sold. Best ewes £160 from Cattle Country Farm, Berkley. Plenty of ewes still £130 - £140. Thicker Poll Dorset rams to £134 from RJ Phelps.

### **STORE LAMBS**

A larger entry of store lambs which enjoyed a fast trade. Best topped at £131 from RE Dudden of Westbury-sub-Mendip.

### **GOATS**

A super entry of goats sold to a soaring trade. Best goats to  $\pm 135$  for a Nanny and Kid from New Barn Farm Dorset Ltd. Yearling goats to  $\pm 110$  from AC Agri Services. Older nannies to  $\pm 110$  from New Barn Farm Dorset Ltd.

### EARLY SALE OF BREEDING EWES, RAMS & STORE LAMBS

Entries are now being taken for our first special breeding and store sale of the year being held on Wednesday  $23^{rd}$  July. Please contact Ross Whitcombe 07815 985737, Clive Peach 07970 620859 or Archie Stamp with entries .

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### DAIRY AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401

### Dairy Wednesday 9th July Ring 2 11am

**To Include 31 British Friesian In-calf Heifers** Due to British Freisen end of Aug/Sept Homebred, Cubicles, Herd Dispersed Jan 24

**12 Holstien Friesian In-calf Heifers Due Aug/Sept** 11,500L, cubicles, homebred, BVD, IBR & LEPTO Vaccinated.

6 British Friesian In-calf Cows Due Aug to Angus/Hereford, 2nd-5th Lactation , out of calving pattern, cubicles.

### REARED CALVES (107) Start 12.30pm AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A nice entry of mainly native cattle saw a packed ringside of buyers and a solid trade.

### CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £615 / HEIFERS TO £618

Very few continentals forward and all just in and around 2 months. Young bull calves from AJ Langley up to  $\pounds 615$  and a pretty run of Charolais heifers from AK Hosie & Son to  $\pounds 618$ .

### NATIVE STEERS TO £905 / HEIFERS TO £1070

Another good run of reared calves from regular supporters M & J Mogridge saw their Hereford steers to £905, £675 & £660 and their Hereford heifers also to £675 and £648. Young well presented Hereford steers from K & R Hickery to £625 & £618 from AK & AD Parker and Hard Hereford heifers from C Tucker to £620.

More quality from Stella Sargent with Angus heifers to £1070 & £890 and their steers to £855. More Angus steers from AK & AD Parker to £775, Others to £612 from CD & SM Rawlings and their Angus heifers to £760. Welsh Black heifers from M & J Mogridge to £552 & steers to £690. Younger Angus bulls from AJ Langley & son 2-3 months to £475.

### DAIRY BRED

A lovely show of Black and White steers today, with best Holstein Friesian steers to £885 from J & W Davis, £592 from Stella Sargent, £570 M & J Mogridge and £542 from K & J Hickery only 4-5 months

More reared calves wanted for Wednesday 16th July 2025

Next sale of Reared Calves: Wednesday 16th July

Next sale of Pigs : Wednesday 9th July

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### CALVES (107) Starts 10am AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A more realistic trade for the average type calves, however the smaller end and very young calves looking a very good trade. Quality shining through and continuing to sell well.

### **CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £640 / HEIFERS TO £638**

Stronger Blue bulls from GN & KM Langley to £640, £600 Stavordale Farms, £412 NR & D Norris, £435 MJ Trowbridge & Son and £425 from AK Hosie. Blue heifers flying to £638 for a beauty from C & P Milton (4wks) and £580 from Stavordale Farms more average types £300-£350. Nice Limousin bull from N & B Hutton to £560 and their heifer to £392. More smart young Limousin bulls from Dan Heal to £480.

### NATIVE BULLS TO £640 / HEIFERS TO £538

A cracking run of Herefords from Peter Wade saw best bulls to £640 and heifers to £495, bulls from DR & SJ Heal to £635 and £495 AK & AD Parker. Heifers from AK Hosie to £395, £345 C & P Milton, £290 NAC Taylor, £280 SN Ellis & Son and £278 ML & RI Loder.

### DAIRY BRED

Medium Holstein Friesian bulls from NR & D Norris to £100 and younger sorts from DBH Miles to £62. Holstein Friesian calves to £115 from J Westron & Sons. More of these wanted weekly please.

Please continue to pre-book; it really helps with buyer procurement. Text or phone Tom Rogers or email the office info@fromelivestock.com

### WEEKLY TOP PRICE CALF WINNER!

This week's winner of £25 for the top price Continental Heifer was for a Blue to £638 from C & P Milton

Next week's prize will be for the top price Native Heifer.

Specific Sons **Howard & Sons** Dealers for Kubota, Nugent & Ritchie Devizes Wiltshire SN10 5SQ Tel: 01380 723986



### **Chaplains Prayer**

Psalm91 4: You wrap me in your fierce and protective Love Lord Your mighty wings draw tight around me as the enemy (life's strife and struggles)rages around me. Your promises carry my fear far away and calm my heart; they are my Shield and my Strength! Thank you for being there and providing all I need in times of trouble

We have all heard of **Sepsis** but probably don't realise how fast it can develop into a life taking condition? We in the farming community are particularly (due to our working conditions mainly) vulnerable to it. Any cuts should be cleaned/disinfected immediately if possible(not always possible when out across fields far from home!?) Consider keeping disinfection/water and plasters in tractors... However, Sepsis can also be caused by injuries from **Trauma or Illness ?** Find out more through this You tube video sponsored by

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- 1.Electric wiring inspection
- 2. Safe storage of fodder etc
- 3. Biomass boiler (automatic fire detection system)
- 4. Fire Breaks and access.
- 5. Staff training!
- 6. Invest in technology (fire suppression systems)

The weather continues dry here in my area of Ditcheat! Second cut is ready to cut. I suppose (as it always does) rain will come...all in God's Good time! Stay Safe! If you need to talk to anyone regarding anything worrying you ,and having difficulty coping with .... contact these numbers: FCN 03000 111 999 help@fcn.org.uk RABI 0800 188 4444 , Open mental health 01823 276892, Samaritans...365 days a year 116 123 jo@samaritans.org Please put 12/12 in your diaries for our carol service here at the market (7pm) Take care and Blessings , Neville Dyke(Chaplain to FLA)07880770887



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### FRIDAY 27<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2025 STORE CATTLE 10.30AM

TOTAL HEAD SOLD 107

AUCTIONEERS:			107
TREVOR ROWLAND	07968 480	401	
TOM ROGERS	07384 562	288	
LESTER WILLIAMS	07778 646	031	
STEERS	TO £2400 I	HEIFERS TO £2070	

Generally low numbers coming through this week as vendors wait for the Blue Tongue rule amendments from 1st July which will remove the need for all licensing in England. Tremendous trade and more cattle wanted.

### **GRAZING COWS AND FEEDING BULLS**

Good prices in this section with Limousin x plainer feeding cows to £1200 from TFT Handy.

Young Dairy x Angus 11mo feeding bulls still wanted and selling well to  $\pm$ 1040 from David Norris and family.

### YOUNG CONTINENTAL

Only a few young suckled Continentals on offer; trade was excellent and firmer again this week. Smart types from Neil and Sharon Glover (10mo) always over £1400 with their best steer and heifer over £1500; top price steer at £1580 closely followed by their heifer at £1540. 8mo Charolais heifer from the same home £1350. Super 10mo British Blue steers from Tim Handy peaked at an excellent £1640! 14mo Dairy x Inra's from HC Norris & Son saw lively bidding with steers peaking at £1700 with others at £1550 and heifers at £1280. More could have been well sold today.

YOUNG STEERS			YOUNG HEIFERS				
Breed	£/ Head	Age	Vendor	Breed	£/ Head	Age	Vendor
Angus	1935	17mo	Tyning Farms, Kilmersdon	Angus	1700	17mo	Tyning Farms, Kilmersdon
Blue	1790	17mo	Tyning Farms, Kilmersdon	Charolais	1540	13mo	N & S Glover, Yeovil
Inra 95	1700	14mo	HC Norris & Son, Whatley	Inra 95	1280	14mo	HC Norris & Son, Whatley
Charolais	1580	10mo	N & S Glover, Yeovil	Hereford	1190	10mo	K Isgar, Axbridge
Hereford	1200	5mo	K Isgar, Axbridge				

### ANGUS

What a trade in this section! All were at top levels and as the finished prices once again start to firm and rise so it is reflected in the store replacement prices. Super quality 8mo home bred young Angus from I & J Holmes & Co all over £1000 with top pen of steers at £1260 and heifers £1000! Tyning Farms once again presented well framed cattle with excellent growth which saw 16mo steers at £1935 and 17mo heifers at £1700. Well fleshed deep bodied Angus steers 24mo+ from RJ Mead saw trade rocket to £2400 and £2320 and more wanted. Thick over 30mo Angus heifers from DH Master & Son easily to £2070.

### **HEREFORD & SHORTHORN**

Top quality Beef Shorthorn steers again from RJ Mead (with sire) peaked at  $\pounds 2400!!$  Not many Hereford forward but all selling at very good levels. Older steers 26mo from David Green & Family just under  $\pounds 2000$  at  $\pounds 1920$  and leaner types from Paul Mattick  $\pounds 1435$  and  $\pounds 1380$ . Heifer from the same vendor to  $\pounds 1420$ . Young 10mo Herefords from Kate Isgar had a marvellous day with  $\pounds 1200$  for steers and heifers  $\pounds 1190!$ 

### **DAIRY STEERS**

A strong trade for the few Friesian forward for the sale. Proper homebred young 9mo British Friesian for Steve Fry had a great day topping at £1010! More Holstein types for summering £1100. A few more older forward Holstein Friesian heifers this week which all sold to good levels. Mainly 30-33mo they were wanted to follow the cull trade generally £1200-£1480 with some well fleshed types to £1700! From AJ & GG Thomas.

### FORWARD CONTINENTAL

Limited numbers here today and many more were wanted as buyers went home empty handed. Quality Stabiliser 25mo steers from the Green Family £1940. Blue steers 17mo from Tynings Farm easily sold to £1790. Good Limousin heifer to £1890, while strong Simmental heifers all from from D Green to £2000. Overall a wonderful trade but just needing more cattle to take advantage of the trade on offer!!

FORWARD STEERS			FORWARD HEIFERS				
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Beef Shorthorn	2400	24mo	R J Mead, Winford	Angus	2070	33mo	DHG Masters & Son, Maperton
Angus	2400	24mo	R J Mead, Winford	Simmental	2000	22mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham
Stabiliser	1940	26mo	W Greem & Sons, Horningsham	Limousin	1890	26mo	W Green & Sons, Horningsham
Hereford	1920	26mo	W Greem & Sons, Horningsham	Blue	1860	26mo	A Marshall, Southmead





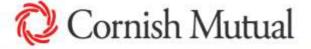
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