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AUCTIONEERS LTD MONDAY 15TH DECEMBER 2025

SALE OF 304 TB RESTRICTED CATTLE

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138 STORES 4 FAT 4 CULL 158 CALVES & REARED CALVES STEERS TO £2360 HEIFERS TO £2345

PRIME CATTLE (4) Max 364.5p/kg £2095.88

Just a few fat cattle for this sale. Nationally trade beginning to ease as we approach the end of the year. Nice types from HG & RHJ Davey saw their blue steers at 364.8p/kg with Angus steers at 364.8p/kg. Heifers from the same home at 341.5p/kg.

CULL COWS (4) Max 257.5p/kg £1344.15

Small numbers on offer but overall a better trade than anticipated. Thicker younger beef cows to 257.5p/kg. Beef steaking cows to 231.5p/kg. Well fleshed Ayrshire dairy cows to a strong 239.5p/kg. Plain cows still selling well to 179.5p/kg

STORE CATTLE (138)

An excellent day for our final orange market of 2025. The quality of cattle presented for sale was very good both for the older forward types and the younger suckled cattle. The forward cattle saw a tremendously lively trade with plenty in excess of £2000!

A tremendous consignment of forward non assured Blue x steers from Torycomb LLP created strong bidding with bunches at £2360, £2320, £2200 and £2000 closely followed by M Sawyer at £1990 whose heifers also sold very well to £1930. A good consignment of traditional breeds today which saw forward Angus steers from MJ Bendall & Partners, HG & RHJ Davey and Torycomb LLP all over £2000 topping at £2340 from MJ Bendall & Partners. 14–15mo Angus steers regularly £1400-£1600 from R W Courage. Thick forward Angus heifers again from MJ Bendall & Partners setting a blistering trade at £2345! Good deep bodied heifers forward from the Davey family and Richard Hopkins regularly £1600-£1820.

A super consignment of single suckled 9mo Angus steers and heifers from S Best, Gloucester created keen interest seeing steers (9mo) to £1220 and £1160 while heifers settled at £1005. Young Dairy bred Angus £740 & £760. Hereford x were equally sought through the sale seeing forward 20-22mo steers from the Bendall family £2110 & £1990 and their 16-17mo £1590 - £1720. Well conformed heifers to an excellent £2080. Younger heifers to £1590. Beef Shorthorn forward steers from Torycomb LLP set a wonderful trade at £2320!! A few stronger Holstein Friesian dairy heifers topped at £1590.

Thanks to all who supported this month's sale and throughout the year. Your support is very much appreciated.

STEERS				HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Blue	2360	29mo	Torycomb LLP, Blandford	Angus	2345	22mo	MJ Bendall & Partners, Bath
Angus	2340	21mo	MJ Bendall & Partners, Bath	Hereford	2080	20mo	MJ Bendall & Partners, Bath
Hereford	2110	22mo	MJ Bendall & Partners, Bath	Blue	1930	21mo	M Sawyer, Warminster
Holstein Friesian	2100	18mo	MJ Bendall & Partners, Bath	South Devon	1670	33mo	R J Hopkins, Chippenham
				Holstein Friesian	1590	21mo	Wyke Farms Ltd, Bruton
				Limousin	900	13mo	Parr Farming, Frome

CALVES & REARED CALVES (158) Max £585

A firm entry in terms of numbers and trade for our December TB sale.

REARED STEERS/BULLS £585 HEIFERS £548

A smart entry of Blue x from Parr Farming saw steers to £585 and heifers to £535 with their Holstein Friesian steers to £355. More quality Blue x from CD Griffin & Partners with steers to £498, £485 and heifers to £385. A tidy consignment from Canon Court Farm saw Angus x steers to £522, Blue heifers to £548 and Angus x heifers to £448. Reared Angus bulls from JJ Wooldridge to £402.

CONTINENTAL CALVES BULLS TO £360 HEIFERS £385

Again some quality types forward with Blue x bulls from CD Griffin & Partners to £360, £350 from Parr Farming, £280 from BA Marsh, £255 from Wyke Farms Ltd and £240 from Rotherfield Farms. Blue heifers wanted to £385 from CD Griffin & Partners, £290 from BA Marsh and £275 from Wyke Farms Ltd.

NATIVE BULLS £320 HEIFERS £300

Smart Angus bulls from CD Griffin & Partners to £320, £270 from Wyke Farm Ltd, £260 from Canon Court Farm Ltd, £222 from both MSJ & SJ Green and JJ Wooldridge. Medium Angus to £200 and £120 for the smaller end. Angus heifers to £300 from the Green family, £280 from Canon Court Farm Ltd, £272 from BA Marsh and £230 from Fern Meadow Ltd. Medium heifers £120-£150 and the smaller end £80-£100. A number of Arla calves and calves under withdrawal forward for this sale and these very difficult to place.

DAIRY BRED

A nice pair of Fleckvieh bulls from BA Marsh to £240. Holstein Friesian bulls to £268 from Wyke Farm Ltd and £238 from JJ Wooldridge. Arla calves £1 per head!!!

NEXT TB RESTRICTED SALE MONDAY 19TH JANUARY

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