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CUCKOO FAIR

Next Monday 13th April

300+

Cattle on offer

THURSDAY 9TH APRIL 2026

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Sad to report Stuart West of Bevendean Farm, Brighton
passed away on Sunday 5th April
Funeral arrangements to follow

2026 Sussex Cattle SALE DATES

Saturday 2nd May 2026

Live Sale of Sussex and Sussex cross Cattle at
Hailsham Market

A day to celebrate the breed and its crosses.
A day to connect with breeders and farmers.
Food, drinks and Sussex Cattle..... a perfect day!

**Entries of Bulls, Cows, Steers and Heifers
are wanted**



NEXT SALE OF STORE CATTLE

Monday 13th April - Cuckoo Fair

Entries include:

1 Pedigree Sussex cow with her purebred Sussex steer calf at foot
10 purebred Sussex steers & heifers, 11/12 months from **R Heath**

8 Aberdeen Angus x steers & heifers, 9 months
1 registered Pedigree Aberdeen Angus bull Criers Jack
from **R Dunkley**

15 Simmental x & South Devon steers & heifers, 10/12 months
from **TJ, RT & CD Siggs**

4 Wagyu x Gloucester heifers, 12 months from **G Harvey**

20 Limousin x & Beef Shorthorn x steers & heifers, 12 months
from **Mrs Greenwood**

8 Purebred Simmental steers, 12/20 months from **N Vidler**

54 Aberdeen Angus x, British Blue x & Hereford x steers & heifers,
14/20 months from **J Farrant**

10 Aberdeen Angus x steers, 12/13 months from **FP Norris & Son**

Homebred Consignment of

46 Aberdeen Angus x & British Blue x steers & heifers, 18 months
from **HJ Hecks & Son**

14 Sussex x & Aberdeen Angus x, British Blue x & Hereford x steers &
heifers, 20/26 months from **J Cook**

5 Limousin x steers & heifers, 22/23 months from **HJ Geering & Son**

10 Limousin x steers & heifers, 28/32 months from **W Akehurst**

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UPCOMING STORE CATTLE SALES 2026

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HAILSHAM MARKET - PRIMESTOCK DAY

PRIMESTOCK - WEDNESDAY 7TH APRIL

PRIME CATTLE (11) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

*A strong trade for all prime cattle on offer - congratulations to **Derek Southouse** offering a pair of quality Limousin steers, both weighing in at 715kg and selling for 360p and 351p per kg ie. **£2574** and **£2509** respectively. All credit to **Rick Moderski** with his overage Hereford x heifer grossing **£2201**. Looking for more cattle next week.*

CULL CATTLE (8) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

*Cull cows continue to trade at exceptional levels, many bought to graze on "worth more alive than they are dead". All beef cows trading between 260p and 295p per kg and averaging £1776.80. **Rick Moderski** taking top price of 289p per kg grossing **£2037.45** with his Limousin x cow.*

CALVES (5) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

***John Lampshire** once again supports the calf market with his young Aberdeen Angus x bulls topping out at **£450, £430** and **£370** etc heifers at **£295**.*

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SHEEP – 1573

The prices have gone galactic in the Hailsham sunshine although the big producers who operate UK plants but are based in Eire, have significantly slashed their prices as presumably they think the price has been too high for too long! It is our best advice that those big firms are best avoided.

It is disingenuous of Trump to state that he has secured a victory in Iran as the Strait of Hormuz has not been captured. Full credit to the 101st Division Airborne (the Screaming Eagles) or similar for rescuing the stricken pilot and his crew.

HAILSHAM MARKET - PRIMESTOCK DAY

PRIME HOGGETS (599) Auctioneer: Nick Young SQQ 402.0p

A good offering of excellent quality were extremely well received by the many buyers in attendance with top call to **Paul Gillman** at **£228** attended by **J & M Craig** **£227**. In the price per kilo stakes **Taryn Tomlinson** a staggering 443p per kilo. Please keep these good meated hoggets coming as there appears to be very few milk lambs readily available.

Leading prices: P Gillman £228, £213, J & M Craig £227, J Hamilton £222, GWH Osborne £210, Freshfield Mill Farm £205, AD Woolgar £205, W & P New T/A Moorhouse Farm £201, £200, S Cook £199

Leading prices per kg: Taryn Tomlinson 443p, DS & P Humphrey 434p, W & P New T/A Moorhouse Farm 426p, 405p, N Dallyn 421p, 420p, AD Woolgar 418p, M Woodham 409p, J & M Craig 407p

STORE SHEEP (497) Auctioneer: Nick Young

Plenty of grass and sunshine To this end the entry and the price certainly did not disappoint with top call to the **Holton Partnership**, Burwash **£185**; attended by **Henry Osborne** **£184**. **At these prices it surely pays to sell now as it is unlikely this price can be sustained for an indefinite period.**

Leading prices: Holton Partnership £185, £178, GWH Osborne £184, £175, Black Robins Farm £176, George Dallaway £175, £170, AJ Skinner & Son £174, Jamie's Farm £170

CULL EWES & RAMS (466) Auctioneer: Nick Young

Without doubt the highlight of the day. Hailsham is the ewe capital of the South East and today confirmed its pole position as the market leader with **R H Smith & Partners** topping at **£266**; attended by **Dr & Mrs Winchester** **£265**; **Messrs. Tester** **£260**. The best top ten in the price hit parade were all north of £228 per head.

Leading prices: RH Smith & Partners £266, £242, Dr SWC Winchester £265, DT & KJ Tester £260, M Bullock £245, S Cook £242, FS Major & Sons £239, Q Poulton £235, Freshfield Mill Farm £228

BREEDING SHEEP (10) Auctioneer: Alex Moss

A small consignment of ewes with lambs at foot on offer from **David & Kirsty Tester** selling at **£250** per outfit and averaging **£100** per life. More are wanted!

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