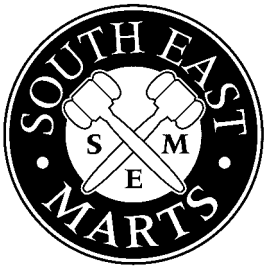
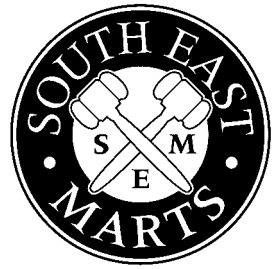


SOUTH EAST MARTS SALES NEWS



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HAILSHAM'S HEADLINES



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Stores
whether cattle or sheep
tremendous enquiry



We have clients
looking for hay & straw
can you help

THURSDAY 18TH FEBRUARY 2021

HAILSHAM MARKET

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Livestock Auctions/COVID-19

Updated 03.02.21

Hailsham Market from now on will be operating under standards agreed by DEFRA and The Welsh Government.

Conditions which now apply to the sale of all Primestock, Cull Animals, Store Stock and Breeding stock ie Beef Cows and Calves & Ewes with Lambs at Foot

IMPORTANT UPDATE

TIER FOUR LOCKDOWN STILL IN FORCE

**Face coverings MUST be worn by EVERYONE attending the market site
This includes market staff.**

Please register when attending the market site.

Ignoring coronavirus guidelines risks outbreaks and market closures. We therefore ask that all customers cooperate with the rules to ensure our livestock markets can remain open at this busy and vital time of year. We ask that all prospective buyers sanitise on entry to the market and again on exiting the market. Disposable gloves will be available to all. Buyers on collecting their invoices from the market office do so only by adopting the two metre rule - we ask simply that only one purchaser should collect their invoice in the usual queuing area.

**Only one representative per business are allowed onto the market site.
Vendors please abide by the 'Drop and Go' policy
if at all possible**

Sale documentation MUST be collected by auctioneer's staff from the vendor's vehicle. Vendors MUST NOT take paperwork to the market office or to the clerk at booking in points or enter the penning area.

Specific to Store Cattle Sales: Should any Store Cattle vendor wish South East Marts will facetime/video call the producer when their cattle are being offered through the auction ring so they can be party to sales from a safe distance. Vendors and Buyers please abide by these regulations, do not jeopardise the continuation of Livestock Auctions during these difficult times.

**Remember STRICT SOCIAL DISTANCING must be adhered to at all times,
a minimum of 2 metres**

Livestock Auctioneers nationwide have assured the Government that Social Distancing will be applied at all times

We all wish to stay in business and we all wish to reduce the risk of COVID-19 infection.

COVID 19 Track & Trace is now in operation

Should anybody that has been in the market test positive they will be required to identify contacts.

Contacts - ie.

Someone within 1 metre of them with whom they have had a face-to-face-conversation, had skin-to-skin physical contact, have coughed on, or been in other forms of contact within 1 metre for 1 minute or longer someone within 2 metres of them for more than 15 minutes someone they have travelled in a vehicle with - or has been seated near them on public transport.

HAILSHAM MARKET

THE STORE CATTLE CENTRE OF THE SOUTH

Candlemas Fair some would say

in other parts of the country, perhaps a little late nevertheless.

A cracking entry of **400 Plus Store Cattle** and a great days trading, some potential customers leave empty handed. *Keep them coming please.*

Danny Kemp on behalf of RW Kemp & Partners stole the show with his smart homebred Limousin steers £1325 at twenty two months – Nothing wrong with that.

Continental cross Suckler bred Steers & heifers up to 15 months

Roger Verity leads the way with a grand run of Limousin cross steers & heifers, all very well received.

Leading Prices :- R Verity's Limousin cross steers 15 months £1155, Bazadaise cross steers 11 months £940, Limousin cross heifers 21 months £970. KTD Axell's Limousin cross steers 15 months £940. RCB Baker & Co Limousin cross steers 12 months £900. Christine Howe's Charolais cross steers 7 months £810, Charolais cross heifers 10 mths £840. Mrs PA Greenwood's Limousin cross steers 10/11 months £780, Limousin cross heifers £745, £740.

Continental cross steers & heifers – Older sorts

The Kemps are kings in the top flight, Limousin cross steers £1325 at twenty three months.

Leading Prices :- RW Kemp & Partner's Limousin cross steers 23 months £1325, Limousin cross heifers 23 months £1100. M Booth's Simmental cross heifers 24 months £905, Simmental cross heifers 17/18 months £845.

Aberdeen Angus Crosses

The Kemp family out in front once again, rock solid returns for their crossbred Aberdeen Angus changing hands at £1090.

Leading Prices :- RW Kemp & Partner's Aberdeen Angus Steers 22/23 months £1050, Aberdeen Angus heifers 22/23 months £1090. New Wharf Farm Partnership's Aberdeen Angus cross Holstein steers £1015, Aberdeen Angus cross Holstein heifers 18 months £900. M & I Robin's Aberdeen Angus cross Hereford steers 10/11 months £830, Aberdeen Angus cross Hereford heifers 10/11 months £690. A Barr's Aberdeen Angus cross steers 10 months £640. K Russell & Daughter's Aberdeen Angus cross steers 9 months £620.

Other Native Breeds & Crosses

Leslie leads the way – as always – her superb Sussex approaching £1200.

Leading Prices :- Leslie Brash's Purebred Sussex steers 24 months £1170. F Grantham's Hereford cross steers 22 months £1020. JH & PH Rodger's Sussex steers 22 mths £940, Sussex cross steers 10 mths £680. A I Spencer's Sussex steers 19 months £885. RC Baker & Co's Beef Shorthorn cross steer 20 months £850. KTD Axell's Sussex cross heifer 19 months £840. Christine Howe's Beef Shorthorn cross steer 10 months £785, Beef Shorthorn heifers 10 months £660.

& Finally – **Dairy Bred Beef**

All colours represented.

Leading Prices :- DS & P Humphrey's Fleckvieh steers 18 mths £890, Danish Red cross steers 18 months £720, Holstein steers 18 months £720. RR Sargent's Holstein steers 17/18 months £715.

HAILSHAM MARKET

THE STORE CATTLE CENTRE OF THE SOUTH

Next Store Cattle Sale **Monday 1st March 2021**

Present Entries Include:–

25 Simmental steers and heifers 10/11 months & 14 Hereford steers
from J Monnigton Farms Ltd.

20 British Blue cross steers 12 months
from M Muggeridge.

18 Fleckvieh cross, Angus cross & Swedish /Danish Red steers
19/20 months from S Sargent.

4 Pedigree Sussex bulling heifers
from Mrs Watts.

4 Aberdeen Angus cross steers & heifers 11-18 months
from WB & GFD Hesselgrave.

HAILSHAM PRIMESTOCK DAY

WEDNESDAY 17th FEBRUARY 2021

PRIME CATTLE (5)(UNDERAGE & OVERAGE)

Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Ecclesden Farm supports with dairy bred Aberdeen Angus cross steers to 181p twice and likewise Aberdeen Angus cross heifers to 187p and grosses £1185

CULL COWS (2) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters*

Deperately short , K Russell & Daughter sell well finished medium weight Aberdeen Angus cross at 126p, and Linda Howard's young Herford cross goes to feed on at 120p.

CALVES (0) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters*

No calves on offer. Please keep in touch if you are selling calves or looking for calves.

PIGS (3)

Three customers compete for three pigs! Cutter weight Large Whites cross from Tracey Puttick sold very well at 114p per kilo, ie £100 plus per head.

SHEEP (1091)

Auctioneer: Nick Young

**Trade is in the ascendancy and particularly so at Hailsham
The results speak for themselves.**

PRIME HOGGETS (377)

Overall average 264.6p per kilo

It's Wednesday and it's raining again! The finished trade for the quality entry did not disappoint with an unprecedented overall average of 275p per kilo. In the words of Sinead O'Connor "nothing compares to you" (Hailsham)!!

The sheep trade is like a coiled spring which gets sprung as soon as good sheep are presented. Hailsham's top producers well rewarded as the Roll of Honour clearly shows. Jason West has top price at £130 per head, closely followed by "uncle" Brian Walker at £129.50, while CM Wettern has top price per kilo at 315.3p.

Leading prices: J West £130, £124, B Walker £129.50, W & P New £128, £127, CM Wettern £127, £123, D Blake & Partners £126, AGL Ainslie £126, £125, £122, D Spanton £125.50, TJ Jury £125.50, HH Visser £125, M Price £125, A Mitchell £122.50.

Top Prices per kilo: CM Wettern 315.3p, 307.5p, 299.3p, 294.7p, IJ Henderson 297.1p, RJ Felton 295.3p, F Grantham 292.8p, 277.1p, B Walker 290.4p, 280.0p, J West 284.5p, 281.8p, AC Ellett 283.2p, 279.4p, 278.7p, C Unsted 279.0p.

STORE HOGGETS (543)

Short of numbers but no shortage in demand as it appears many buyers are chasing a decreasing number of stores with many going well out of the area, which in the short term is heartening but in the long term disappointing.

Our constant advice is take the profits when you can and the time is here and now. With unprecedented demand and the worst weather on record, what is the point in paying to feed them, unless there is going to be a bonanza at Easter, which is entirely possible. Sell your stores now and buy later. Ultra plain and small stores look value if they can be "warmed up" and represented at Easter. F G Coles takes top price at £123, with Brian Walker in close attendance at £115.

Leading Prices: FG Coles £123, B Walker £115, D & L Sutton £113, £110.50, £105 (twice), F Grantham £113, J Dashey £113, AGL Ainslie £110, RG Whyman £109.50, M Brett £109.50, £108 (twice), J & M Craig £109, £107, K Wheeler £107.

CULL EWES (171)

Nothing like enough for the level of demand. Again Hailsham leads the way in terms of price for all big ewes in big runs. Very plain ewes look good value to farm on. Milk Miners (P Crawley) has top price of £107.

Leading Prices: Milk Miners £107, £98, £85, Wooladon Farm Ltd £103, £89, TR Holt £102, IJ Henderson £97, £92, F & L Reeve £93, £89, John Worsfold Ltd £92, I & L Hutchison £92, R Rogers & Sons £90, K Axell £89, Station Farms £87, G Harvey £86.

**PLEASE BOOK THEM IN NOW IN ORDER THAT WE CAN NOTIFY OUR MANY
BUYERS WHO ARE RELIANT ON HAILSHAM NUMBERS. RING THE MARKET
HOTLINE 01323 844874 /07890 359622
(or send a text).**

FARM DIRECT

BULL BANK

Mostly Native bred bulls available.

Aberdeen Angus choice of five 15 months to 4 years, some with Rawburn breeding.

Galloway & Hereford stock bulls.

*** WANTED *** Highland Bull

FODDER BANK

We have many customers enquiring for round bale hay.

Big square bale ~~Wheat~~ **ALL SOLD** - six stringers.
STRAW Now Wanted.

Big square bale silage.

Available for collection – some maize & grass silage, Brighton area.
Clamped red clover grass silage, Hailsham area.

Round bale silage available by the artic load delivered in.

DAIRY DIRECT

Four Friesian heifers three calved, one springing, photos available.

SHEEP DIRECT

*** NEW ON THE MARKET – Flock dispersal**

Small flock of thirty seven Texel & Texel cross In-lamb ewes lambing April onwards to Charollais ram, scanned 7 singles, 23 pairs & 7 triplets.

Thirty nine Swaledale in-lamb ewes.

Wanted – Summer grazing

Grazing for herd of 25 Beef Cows and Calves.

DEADSTOCK DIRECT

Wanted Case 2188 and or 2388 Combines.

*** WANTED *** Small paddock to accommodate two ponies with shelter if possible for two/three months, Horsham/Mid Sussex area.

Telephone: 01403 710839.

Tel: RRW 07860663345 or 01323 844874

Defra & Welsh Government Consultation Improvements to Animal Welfare in Transport

On 3rd December 2020 the government launched a consultation - "Improvements to animal welfare in transport" - seeking views on how to better protect animal welfare during transport.

Whilst the headline proposal is to ban live exports for livestock and horses for slaughter and further fattening, a range of other measures including reducing maximum journey times and restricting movements in cold and hot weather were also announced in the consultation:

- Ban exports of livestock and horses for slaughter and fattening, including animals travelling through England and Wales to the EU. The proposal does not include a ban on export of live animals for breeding.
- Reduce maximum journey times to 21 hours for both sheep and cattle, defining a journey as loading, unloading and any rest periods during the journey, which includes time in markets - previously considered as neutral time.
- Increase journey rest times, to ensure all livestock are rested for a 48 hour period, and cattle for 7 days, before a new journey could commence.
- Restrict journeys taking place if the forecast external temperature is outside of a temperature range of 5-30°C, unless the vehicle is able to regulate the internal temperature for the duration for the journey.
- Increase space and headroom requirements for all livestock haulage.
- Restrict animals from being transported by sea during Beaufort Wind Force of 6 or above.

The Livestock Auctioneers' Association is committed to science and evidence-based policy. However, we have concerns that the focus of this consultation is not supported by sufficient scientific evidence, or social and economic impact assessments.

South East Marts will be pleased to forward you a leaflet highlighting the industry's usual and main concerns. The industry has until 25th February 2021 to respond to the consultation.

East Sussex Farmers' Benevolent Fund

The Benevolent Fund charity was created in 1935 by a local farmer and its purpose is to support farmers, farm staff and those involved in the wider land-based industries. Support can also be given to family dependants. Beneficiaries are normally resident in East Sussex or neighbouring counties. Income from property and investment legacies help to finance the fund in addition to generous donations, the fund is overseen by five local trustees with strong agricultural connections.

Help can be for those currently in work, or who have retired or who are unable to work due to illness or disability. The fund can also assist those entering land-based education and help with relevant CPD for furthering land-based careers.

If you feel that we can help or you are aware of someone who might be experiencing difficulties we will be pleased to support.

Please contact the Honorary Secretary of the Benevolent Fund.

Des Lambert on (07912) 464746 or (01273) 890841



South East
Wood Fuels

WOODCHIP FOR ANIMAL BEDDING

- Arb woodchip unscreened 50% moisture £25 per tonne ex yard.
- Arb woodchip screened dried to 30% moisture £45 per tonne ex yard.
- Premium woodchip screened dried to 30% moisture £77 tonne ex yard.
- Transport can be arranged in eight wheelers or artic 90 metre walking floor lorries

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