

SOUTH EAST MARTS – HAILSHAM MARKET

Primestock report for
WEDNESDAY 4th JULY 2018

PRIME CATTLE (UNDER AGE & OVERAGE) (2) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Just the two - Aberdeen Angus cross and Hereford cross heifers from RJ Turner & Son sell well, both to master butcher Geoff Brain of Polegate at 182p and 183p, i.e. £1,164 and £1,107.

CULL COWS (6) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Very limited in numbers, demand remains very good.

TJ, RT & CD Siggs' Simmental cross 133p and £864 per head and Sullington Manor Farm's Simmental cross 129p and £735 per head.

Keep them coming please

CALVES (--) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

No calves forward.

PIGS (47) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Virtually a row of pigs all different weights, colours, ages and breeds.

Good interest in the better quality sorts, second quality pigs harder to place. British Lop cross cutter weight gilts 91p and £95.55, Oxford Black and Sandy porker weights 75p per kilo, £55 per head. Sue Copp's well-bred Saddleback stores £41 per head, Hackney City Farm's Landrace/Saddleback £46, CH & P Green's white weaners £36. Cull sows to £60 and boars £50 per head look good value.

Next week, Wednesday, 11th July

4 White cutters, 5 White gilt store pigs and 5 Middle White store pigs

SHEEP (360) Auctioneer: Nick Young

MILK LAMBS (247)

Overall average 206.5p per kilo

A short entry. With the national price hovering just above the 200p per kilo mark, Hailsham held its head high with an all-in price of 207p (please note the sheep are not drawn and certain prices are not redacted from the report). Hailsham's loyal supporters reaped the reward. Best fed lambs as always rang the bell, Kevin Reed, Horam, took top honours at £104, in close attendance Simon Feakes at £101 and farmer Spanton's proper fed offering £98 and £97.50. The also rans which have not been fed are definitely showing the effects of the dry weather. Sorry lads it's time to shake the cake bag about! feeding is the key to achieving the best possible price.

Top price per head:- K Reed £104, £99, SD & JJ Feakes £101, £98.50, D Spanton £98 (twice), £97.50, £91, FS Major & Sons £97, £91, R & K Livestock Service Ltd £97, TR Holt £97, £92, K Reed £94, C Kniestedt £94, Miss C Howe £91.50.

Top price per kilo:- D Spanton 220.7p, 220.6p, 217.3p, 214.1p, TR Holt 220.5p, 210.5p, SD & JJ Feakes 218.9p, 216.7p, K Reed 218.1p, 214p, 212p, 211.4p, FS Major & Sons 214.6p, 210.2p, Miss C Howe 214.3p, R & K Livestock Service Ltd 212.7p.

HOGGETS (5)

Overall average 173p per kilo

R Rogers & Sons £84 (150p), I Houseden £76 (172.7p)

STORE LAMBS/HOGGETS (28)

A short entry but a good go. Many more could have been sold to satisfy graziers and ethnic demand. V Frasers' store hoggets £60, P De Lellis store lambs £59.50.

CULL EWES (80)

The national price has melted like butter against the sun, not so at Hailsham as the factory demand remains strong. There is no doubting that exceptional ewes make great prices. Ewes across the board were keenly contested by a veritable "forest" of buyers. Our spies tell us ewes will certainly be wanted next week. Please let us know what you have.

R & K Livestock Services Ltd £101, £84, £74, AC & JI Knight £90, C Kniestedt £88, £65, North Horsted Farms LLP £81, £65, P Sandgrove £77, G Holman £72, CA Bowers & Sons £71, Station Farms £66.

PLEASE LET US KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE

ON THE FARM SALE REPORT

NEW WHARF FARM, Ashurst

THURSDAY, 28TH JULY 2018

Auctioneer: Roger Waters

NEW WHARF HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS SELL TO £1,449

New Wharf Dairy Cattle head towards Wales, the West Country & West Sussex!

Top call of the day was made by Roger Robinson of Carmarthen of £1,449 for Newwharf Armstead Violet - a young Diamond Oak Armstead heifer coming to calve with her 2nd calf on the 29th September and out of a high butterfat and high protein dam that peaked at 12,000 kgs. in her 4th lactation

Best bid for the in-calf heifers went to Newwharf Barney Discovery

- a Roxylane-LLC Altabarney bred heifer approx. six months in-calf to Aberdeen Angus bull taken by **EJ &TH Gribble for £1,438.50**

Healthy demand for late August to early November calving cows of all ages **£1,449, £1,417.50, £1,365, £1,365**, etc. etc. and averaging very close to **£1,100**

Young early/late spring calving cows - all milking well to **£1,365**, others at **£1,228.50, £1228.50, £1,218, £1,207.50, £1,197, £1,176, £1,155**, etc. etc.

The in-calf heifers closest to calving peaked at **£1,365** remaining in Sussex to join

EJ &TH Gribble's herd at Firle

Other heifers at **£1,335.50 (thrice), £1,312.50**, etc., etc.

Later calving in-calf heifers, PD'd six/seven months in-calf to Aberdeen Angus sold to **£1,438.50** also joining the herd at Charleston Farm, Firle.

Other heifers at **£1,365 (twice), £1,333.50, £1,312.50**, etc. etc.

Average for heifers in-calf/served to calve Nov/Dec to **£1,157**

Overall average for cows and heifers, excluding three quarter cows **£1,005.00**

The milking parlour, dairy equipment and bulk tank offered subject to a modest reserve failed to sell at auction and will now be available by private treaty in the near future.

The young stock at New Wharf Farm have been retained and will be available for purchase as and when forward in-calf - register your interest now
We wish the Jesse family every good fortune in their future non-dairy farming business and diversification activities. **NO CHANGE at PJ Machinery** at New Wharf, this business is unaffected and continues as normal.

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**WEDNESDAY, 4th JULY ~ Auctioneer: Roger Waters**

Just a few on offer despite the dust, once again sell well.

**TJ, RT & CD Siggs' Simmental cross steers, 12 mos £867, ditto heifers £750**

**F Grantham's Charolais cross steers, 14/15 mos £945, £800**

ditto heifer, 15 mos **£775**, 14 mos **£755**, 13 mos **£710**

*Apologies to those looking for Friesian steers,  
hopefully the entry will be with us in the near future*

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Next Sale planned for

WEDNESDAY, 18th JULY

Please let us have your entries now

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**BULL BANK - WANTED - Sussex** bull to buy/hire

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We have **PUREBRED YEARLING HIGHLAND STEERS TO SELL** – Interested?

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**DAIRY DIRECT**

*New on the market*

**SEVEN IN-CALF FRIESIAN HOLSTEIN HEIFERS**, August/September calving

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BRITISH FRIESIAN & NORWEGIAN RED CROSS COWS & HEIFERS

Calving Oct. to Dec. - plenty of choice, will divide, also Yearling heifers available

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**TWELVE BRITISH FRIESIAN TYPE COWS & HEIFERS**

August/October calving, majority in October, also three bulling heifers

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TWENTY PEDIGREE IN-CALF JERSEY HEIFERS

from the Cooden Herd at Barnhorn Farm, Cooden

Due June onwards to Registered Aberdeen Angus

TB Tested 5th June 2018, Butterfats over 6%, Protein over 4%

Vaccinated against Lepto and IBR and BVD Free, will divide

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**THREE FRIESIAN CALVED HEIFERS**, March/May

**TWO FRIESIAN IN-CALF HEIFERS**, also some **YOUNGSTOCK**

3 heifers, 8 months and 3 weanyer heifers, 10 weeks, Sires - Sully, Theory & Umpire

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**£6**

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# THE H-A-M SUMMER PARTY



**SATURDAY 4TH AUGUST 2018**

hosted by The Bell at Outwood RH1 5PN - 01342 842 989

The Bell at Outwood is fundraising for H-A-M Helping Adolescents at The Marsden Cancer Hospital more details at [www.h-a-m.org.uk](http://www.h-a-m.org.uk)

**Music and Bands from Midday to 12pm - Punch and Judy show & other activities**

All day Bar-B-Q - Street Food from £6 - Outdoor Cash Bars  
- Ales by Darkstar Brewery - Pimms Bar

Car Parking in the field behind The Bell courtesy of Eric and Andrea Wise  
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Tickets £10 each, Under 15's £1 - available from The Bell 01342 842 989  
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or online at [www.ticketsource.co.uk/h-a-m-fundraising](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/h-a-m-fundraising)

**Tickets available on the day - but wise to book early  
just in case the event is sold out**

Organised by The Outwood H-A-M Support Committee - completely voluntary.

Nice relaxing day listening to selection of music and bands in the ambience of The Bell and the lovely Outwood Countryside and building up to a Party in the evening (closing at 12pm).