

## **SOUTH EAST MARTS – HAILSHAM MARKET**

Primestock report for  
**WEDNESDAY, 27<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2019**

### **PRIME CATTLE (UNDER AGE & OVERAGE (16) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters***

Little or no change to prime cattle prices. Melissa & Rupert Coles homebred Sussex x Blue heifer top slot at 180p per kilo. Simmental cross steers from Jackie and Mark Cornwell sell to nearly £1,250 and John Ayres run of British Blue x Holstein steers reach £1,200.

### **CULL COWS (9) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters***

The Butcher family's Monty out in front - a Montbeliarde cross cow to 124p. As usual plenty of interest in cows to graze, Sussex cross to 106p, Aberdeen Angus cross to 100p - Spirited competition.

### **CALVES (2) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters***

Just two young calves forward. Small British White x Friesian bulls to £44 each.

**Next Wednesday, 3rd April - In the Calf Shed**

#### **SEVEN REARED CALVES**

inc. Simmental and Limousin steers, British Blue cross steers and heifers, 8/12 months old. Herd tested 19/3/19, one year testing parish

### **PIGS (28) *Auctioneer: Roger Waters***

Breed the best, forget the rest, that's what John Brooker does - his best Landrace gilts weighing in at 80 kilos plus sell to 115p per kilo. Large White heavy feeders sell to £46.40 per head. Coloured pigs of all weights difficult to place.

**Next Wednesday, 3rd April - 3 white gilts entered.**

### **SHEEP (1176)**

***Auctioneer: Nick Young***

#### **HOGGETS (477)**

Overall average 201p per kilo

Handy weight hoggets were a great trade with plenty north of £2 per kilo, heavyweights look good value by comparison. Our advice is constant, please make them meat, dag them out and shut them up overnight before consigning to Hailsham. There is profit to be made but it is significantly harder work in the finished section than in the store section and the ewes.

**Top prices per head:-** CA Fountain & S Sewell £96 (twice), £91, AGL Ainslie £94, £92, RFF Brown £94, £93, £91, FW & MJ Akehurst £94, £91.50, R & S Carr Farms £93, WD Smith & Son £92, RE Jarvis £92, GN & J West £92, SB & RA Sewell £91.50, C Wettern £91 (twice),

**Top prices per kilo:-** RE Jarvis 219.9p, I Housden 213.2p, AC Ellett 212p, 202.5p, 198.7p, 197.7p, CM Wettern 208.7p, 199.5p, 196.5p, AGL Ainslie 202.2p, 200p, 195.3p, 195.3p, 194.8p, FW & MJ Akehurst 198.9p, 196.3p, CA Fountain & S Sewell 195p.

#### **STORE HOGGETS (285)**

Nothing like enough for the level of demand. Plenty of store hoggets upwards of £80. Get your stores to Hailsham now, do not miss this "Electric" trade! Anthony Goldsmith tops at £91, in close attendance

G & L Marriot £84.50 and Oliver Steele £84.50.

*Other Leading prices:-* BJ Champion £81.50, HC Grissell £80, £74, NH, CP & S Tebbutt £80, T Avon £78, £74, A Brigdale £76.50, Castle Hill Farmers £75.50, P Appleby £75, RG Whyman £75, MK Wickens £75, G Littlechild £74.50, J Marsh £72.50.

### **CULL EWES (404)**

An out and out humdinger of a trade. The factory men and their representatives were on fire and keen to secure as many ewes as possible in the pre Ramadan period. We want your ewes in big runs, please let us know what you have for next week.

Hailsham's top producers reaped the rewards as the leader board clearly demonstrates. Anthony Goldsmith again in top spot at £110, R D Thomas close behind at £108.

*Other leading prices:-* C Kniestedt £99, A Pannell £96, NH,CP & S Tebbutt £95, £93, CA Fountain & S Sewell £95, SB & RA Sewell, CM Wetteren £95, GN & J West £95, A Barr £92, DP Ellis £91, R Russell £90, AB Goldsmith £90 (twice)

### **BREEDING SHEEP (10)**

**Next Wednesday, 3rd April - 50 Texel x Greyface ewe lambs**

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### **WOOL SHEETS AT HAILSHAM MARKET**

**Wool sheets distribution will be on WEDNESDAY, 3rd APRIL  
and WEDNESDAY, 10th APRIL between 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.**

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Next Sale of

**280+ STORE CATTLE**

On

**MONDAY, 1st APRIL**

*Entries include:-*

*Beef Herd Dispersal of 12 Sussex cross in-calf cows, inc. two heifers* running with Sussex bull, mostly 1st/8th calvers also **53** Limousin cross and Blonde d'Aquitaine cross steers and heifers, 12 mos from **Mrs P Greenwood**; **40** Limousin and Simmental cross steers and heifers, 12/20 mos from **EJ Brickell**; **30** Aberdeen Angus, Sussex cross and British Blue cross steers and heifers and Friesian steers, 12 mos from **N Velvick**; **25** Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 12 mos from **K Russell**; **29** Aberdeen Angus, British Blue cross steers and heifers and Friesian steers, 14/24 mos from **M Peters**; **20** Simmental cross steers and heifers, 9/11 mos from **A Siggs**; **18** Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 16/17 mos from **CW Farms**; **18** Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 9/22 mos from **M Funnell**; **12** Blonde d'Aquitaine cross steers and heifers, 12/16 mos from **D Etches**;

Sale to commence at 11.30 a.m.

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The next sale will be

**THE CUCKOO FAIR**

On

**MONDAY, 8th APRIL**

*Entries already include:-* **18** British Blue and Limousin cross steers and heifers, 16/19 mos from **FS Major & Sons**; **27** British Blue and Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers and Friesian steers, 9/12 mos from **M Peters**; **25** Aberdeen Angus and Sussex cross steers and heifers, 16 mos from **AA & M Woolgar**; **12** British Blue and Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 19 mos from **JRJ Dewe**

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**STORE CATTLE**  
on **MONDAY, 15th APRIL**

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**MONDAY, 22nd APRIL - NO SALE - EASTER MONDAY**

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**SPRING SHOW & SALE OF STORE CATTLE**  
is on **MONDAY, 29th APRIL**

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**SPRINGSHOWTIME AT HAILSHAM**

**EASTER SHOW & SALE of**  
**PRIME CATTLE & MILK LAMBS**  
**WEDNESDAY, 10th APRIL**

*Prizes awarded for:-*

**Class 1 - Best Pen of 3 Milk lambs** (up to 32 kilos l/w)

**Class 2 - Best Pen of 3 Milk lambs** (32.1 kilos & over l/w)

1st Prize - £15, 2nd Prize - £10, 3rd Prize - £5

*Kindly Sponsored by DSC Supplies (Hailsham)*

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**CHAMPION PEN OF LAMBS £25**  
**& SILVER CHALLENGE CUP**

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**£25** for the **BEST PEN OF HOGGETS** (min of 5, any weight)

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Special Prize of **£50** for the **BEST BUTCHERS BEAST**

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**The John Jones ('JJ') Memorial Trophy**

*to be presented to the Best Butchers Beast*

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and **£25** for **RESERVE BUTCHERS BEAST**

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plus a few '**Judges Specials of £10**' at his discretion

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**£25** for the **BEST COW**

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All stock entered on the day will be eligible for the show  
Prize money offered will only be presented for stock bona-fide sold. Please let us  
know what you have.

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The Third  
**COLLECTIVE SALE**  
at  
**ARDINGLY SHOWGROUND**  
of  
**AGRICULTURAL & GARDEN MACHINERY,  
BUILDERS' & CONTRACTORS' PLANT**  
is on  
**SATURDAY, 27th APRIL**  
*Entries now being taken and close Friday, 12th April*

also other  
**COLLECTIVE SALES**  
this **SPRING**  
**HERSTMONCEUX COLLECTIVE**  
On  
**SATURDAY, 18th MAY**  
*Entries now being taken and close Friday, 3rd May*

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**OSNEY LODGE FARM COLLECTIVE**  
On  
**SATURDAY, 15th JUNE**  
*Entries now being taken for all these sales*

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**Preliminary Announcement**

*Dispersal Sale of*  
**PLANT HIRE EQUIPMENT**  
at  
**PEACEHAVEN, East Sussex**  
on  
**SATURDAY, 22nd JUNE 2019**  
*Selected entries of plant will be invited for this sale*

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**† RALPH SHEPHERD (70)**  
Sad to report that Ralph Shepherd of Isfield, has passed away.  
His funeral will take place on Friday, 12th April at 12 noon  
at The Downs Crematorium and afterwards at Isfield Village Hall

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**WANTED**  
**SECURITY/GATE MAN**  
To assist at all our outside sales, the post would be to assist in the running of the sale,  
overseeing car parking and checking purchasers lots on leaving the sale ground.  
Please contact Sally Rogers 01323 844874 for further details

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**FARM DIRECT**

**BULL DIRECT**

**Beef Shorthorn stock bull  
and Young Limousin bulls,**  
24 months old - some sold, some still available, all semen tested  
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**BEEF BREEDING DIRECT**

**Nine British Blue x British Friesian heifers**  
plus **Two Sussex x British Friesian heifers with Limousin cross calves at foot,**  
born March, one year TB Parish  
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**Five Beef Shorthorn cross bulling heifers**

High health status, Four year TB  
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**Sixty Friesian Holstein steers,**

5/6 mos, Four year TB parish, will divide  
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**PIG DIRECT**

**WANTED** - Young in Pig sow or gilt to farrow May  
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**FODDER IN THE STORE**

**All still moving out at variable prices**  
**Round Bale Silage - Round Bale Hay and Straw,**  
**Big Square baled Hay, Small bales as well,**  
**Mid Sussex, East Sussex and Kent**  
**Round Bale spring barley straw - no unreasonable offer refused,**  
**looking to clear the barn also Round bale silage, possible to deliver**  
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**WANTED**

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