

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

Primestock report for

**WEDNESDAY 29th NOVEMBER 2017**

### **PRIME CATTLE (9) Auctioneer: Roger Waters**

JD Wallis' purebred Sussex steer at the top at £2 per kilo selling to Geoff Brain of Polegate and running second his Aberdeen Angus cross from the same yard at 196p. Good to see Mockford Farms' leading the heifer returns with their lightweight Aberdeen Angus x Friesian at 178p selling to JF Bishop of Uckfield.

**SHOW WEEK NEXT WEEK - MORE PRIME CATTLE WANTED**

### **CULL COWS (12) Auctioneer: Roger Waters**

Good quality entry, very well received, top call for Melvin Wragg's young Sussex cross 134p and close to one thousand pounds. Stuart Winchester's heavyweight Angus cross 125p and grosses £1,075 and Friday Street Farmer's South Devon weighs in at 810 kilos and grosses £996.30. Best of the Dairy to Richard and Jeanette Thornton's British Friesian 112p, 110p, 109p, etc.

### **CALVES (8) Auctioneer: Roger Waters**

Short in numbers, all sold, best three to PGT Hook & Son, British Blue cross bulls £195 and £171 and their Hereford cross heifer to £122.

**PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE SENDING CALVES TO HAILSHAM**

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

No pigs on offer. Plenty of pigs entered for next week - 28 finished pigs in the show section and 3 sows plus 9 other finished pigs and a Landrace boar 10/12 months old.

### **SHEEP (915) Auctioneer: Nick Young**

#### **MILK LAMBS (360)**

*Overall average 164.5p per kilo*

The national remains static and not very exciting. Hailsham fared moderately well with a grand run from CA Lee & Sons leading the way £88, £86, £85, in close attendance. Plumpton college £84, FG Coles £83.50, Ed (Golden Shears) Gingell £83.

*Other Leading prices per head:-* Mrs PM Bignell £82.50, Plumpton College £80.50, E Gingell £80, P Cruise £80, £78.50, GN & J West £79.50, JRV Wheatland £79.50, C Deroo £77, N Reader £77.

*Leading prices per kilo:-* G N & J West 184.5p, 180.1p, BJ Champion 176p, 172.1p, CA Lee & Sons 173.5p, 171.5p, 170.6p, 170.3p, Plumpton College 172p, N Reader 169.7p, C Deroo 167.8p, 167.1p, M Brett 166.7p, R Sargent 166.7p, JRV Wheatland 166.3p, 165.6p.

#### **STORE LAMBS (433)**

An out and out flyer. The tremendous level of demand makes a mockery of the finished lamb price. David Blake & Partners take top honours at £71 and £66.50, closely followed by Douglas Partners £65 and Richard and Julie Goringe £65, £63, £63. Glad to see Henry Grissell's offering warmly received.

*Other leading prices:-* M Mckay £64.50, HC Grissell £63, £62.50, J Sheehan £62.50 (twice), £60, I Williams £60, C Axell £59.50, R Burrows £58.50, C Bassett £58.

Many more store lambs wanted in particular next week and up to and over the festive period. Trade will be unaffected by the Christmas and New Year lockdown.

## **CULL EWES (122)**

The national average is an abysmal £54 per head and that was £4 in front of some centres. Hailsham's average was in excess of £65 per head with St. Georges Retreat leading the returns at £88.

St Georges Retreat £88, Plumpton College £81, £70, Mrs PM Bignell £81, J Sheehan £77, £69, £60, A Ainslie £68, £66, N Reader £57, G & L Marriott £56, J Penny £56.

**SHOW WEEK NEXT WEEK PLEASE LET US KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE  
SO WE CAN PLAN OUR YARD!!**

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### **Next Sale of STORE CATTLE**

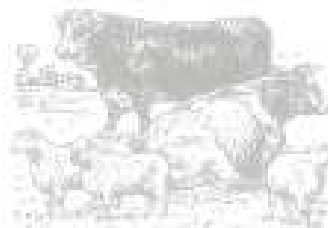
to be held on

**MONDAY, 4th DECEMBER**

Nearly **200** Head forward

Entries inc. **38** Aberdeen Angus, British Blue and Simmental cross steers and heifers, 5/9 mos from **M Peters**, **27** Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 19/27 mos from **D & AP Taylor**, **21** Hereford cross, Blonde d'Aquitaine cross and Sussex cross steers and heifers, 6/9 mos from **WB Jury & Sons**, **14** Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 8/20 mos from **DB Coppard**, **10** Simmental cross steers and heifers, 12 mos from **D Hobbs & Sons**, **9** Pure Limousin steers and heifers, 15/20 mos from **DG Southouse**, **9** Simmental cross steers and heifers, 8/20 mos from **Muntham Farms**, **7** Pedigree and Purebred steers and heifers, 19 mos from **J Hardy**, **9** Simmental cross and Aberdeen Angus cross steers and heifers, 15/20 mos from **Waters Partnership**, **9** Aberdeen Angus and Hereford cross heifers, 20/48 mos, been running with Angus bull, from **AJH Baldwin**,  
Sale commences at 11.30 a.m.

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## **HAILSHAM 176th STOCK SHOW**

**WEDNESDAY, 6th DECEMBER**

Cattle Judge - Sarah Wareham

Sheep Judge - David Fenner - Pig Judge - David Turner

*Entries include:-*

**28 CATTLE, 145 LAMBS and 31 PIGS**

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**Open Competition to all Cull Cows (OTM's) entered and sold on Show Day -  
Have you got a cow/otm good enough to win this class ?  
Why not bring them along on show day - entry fee £6 per cow**

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**NON SHOW STOCK ALSO WANTED**

**EXEMPT CATTLE CAN ALSO BE TAKEN THIS DAY**  
**Please let us know what you have**

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Charity auction and raffle all proceeds go to  
East Sussex Farmers Union Benevolent Fund  
Come along and support the show

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The Annual Dinner and Presentation Evening  
to be held on the evening of the 6<sup>th</sup>  
Wellshurst Golf and Country Club, North Street, Hellingly  
Tickets £27

Please note no last minute places will be available  
Show Secretary - Lisa King – 07765245794

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**† IAN JACKSON**

Ian died peacefully on Sunday 26 November in St Peter & St James Hospice. Loving husband of Gill for 38 years and devoted father to Jamie. Farmed at Walstead for 50 years. A service of thanksgiving will be held at Lindfield United Reform Church on Friday 8 December at 2.00pm. No flowers please but donations welcome to St Peter & St James Hospice c/o Masters & Son, Lewes Road, Lindfield RH16 2LE  
01444 482107

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**† JIM GEERING**

Sad to report that Jim passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, 23rd November. Jim was born and farmed in mid Sussex all his life - a traditional beef farmer always endeavouring to produce the best the natural way and a lifetime loyal supporter of Haywards Heath and latterly Hailsham Market.

His funeral will be held on Wednesday, 6th December at South Chapel, Woodvale Crematorium, Brighton at 12.30 pm

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**† HENRY JARVIS**

Sad to report that Henry died suddenly  
His funeral is on Thursday, 14th December at 1.30 pm  
at St. Bartholomew's, Burwash.

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**SHEEP DIRECT**

50 Suffolk x Mule ewe lambs, will divide

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**DEADSTOCK DIRECT**

Thirty six IAE calf cubicles - offers invited

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Tel: Roger Waters on 07860663345

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A poster for a Christmas Carol Evening event. At the top, it features logos for R.A.B.I. (Supporting Farming Families), F.C.N., and the Parish of Hailsham. The main text reads: "R.A.B.I. & F.C.N. invite you to Christmas Carol Evening Followed by refreshments in the market cafe Friday 1st December 2017 at 7:30pm". Below this, it lists the location: "Hailsham Market Market Street Hailsham East Sussex BN27 2AG". Ticket information states: "Tickets £8 each (Tickets are limited) Available from: Hailsham Parish Church Mark Betson - 01303 891087 Sally Field - 01305 592781 Callin at Market Cafe South East Marta". A blue box says "Please dress warmly". The bottom section shows a photograph of a choir performing. Logos for "KALISTOCHIOS" and "SAMUEL & SON" are also present. At the very bottom, it says "Callin Ready from Blackley's Coleridge, Treasurer of Southdown Road Hailsham Market Cafe" and "A set of the Agriculture & Forestry Institution Registered Charity No. 200006 & FCN Registered Charity No. 1180999".

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**PEDIGREE ABERDEEN ANGUS BULLS FOR HIRE**

Tel: Pat Woodley

01825 890188

07940029221

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Due to some concerns raised by members recently about the TB situation in West Sussex & Surrey, we are holding a meeting to update you on the latest situation. Animal Health vets will be present to explain the current breakdowns and implications for cattle farmers. to be held at:

**Westpoint Farm Vets, Dawes Farm, Warnham RH12 3SH**

on:

**Tuesday 12th December 2017 at 7.30pm**

For any queries or questions, please do get in contact with James Osman, County Adviser

East Sussex, West Sussex and the Isle of Wight

**Tel: 01444 221808**

**Mob: 07796835730**

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Come and talk to Batcheller Monkhouse; we will be at the market on the 6<sup>th</sup> December. Kate Richards MRICS and Harriet Richardson MRTPI will be on the “verandah” in front of the market café and be delighted to see you and provide advice.

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