

SOUTH EAST MARTS – HAILSHAM MARK
Primestock report for
Wednesday 23rd September 2020

PRIME CATTLE (4) (UNDERAGE & OVERAGE) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

In short supply and wanted. David Spanton's Sussex steers, 205p and 200p, Nick Geering's Limousin cross heifer 190p, More of the same wanted next week.

CULL COWS (3) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Just three dairy bred 'ns Rosie Russell's plain Holsteins trade at 68p

CALVES (31) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Lime End Farm dairy herd supports with a smart run of young British Blue cross and Aberdeen Angus cross bull and heifer calves. Best of the Blue bulls £195 and heifers £170, £160, £150, etc. Best of the Aberdeen Angus bulls, £150 twice, £140, etc., and heifers, £117, £102, twice etc.

PIGS () Auctioneer: Roger Waters

No Pigs on offer this week

SHEEP (1611)

**A very satisfactory days trading and terrific numbers-
1,611 penned and sold**

MILK LAMBS (495) Auctioneer: Nick Young

Overall average 197.5p per kilo

A proper show of quality meat on offer, trade did not disappoint. Joint top goes to Christopher Wettern and Lizzie Sargent at £113. The roll of honour tells the tale. Meat is king, please keep them coming and let us know what you have in order that we may notify our many buyers.

Leading prices: C Wettern £113, £100, £99, E Sargent £113, £109, £100,

Dr SWC Winchester £105, Goodwood Estate £105, £102.50, £100, RD & DR Godden £98.50, D Spanton £98, CA Lee & Son £98, J Sheehan £97

Top prices per kilo: E Sargent 247.3p, 238p, 231.5p, 212.8p, CM Wettern 217.1p, 215.9p,

213.2p, 207.9p, 207.7p, FW & MJ Akehurst 216.7p,

J Sheehan 211.9p 210p, Dr SWC Winchester 207.9p,

STORE LAMBS (519)

Yet another humdinger, a good entry and a 'proper job' of a trade. Winter, Puttick and Allen in Premier Division!

Leading Prices: A Winter £85, £72.50, M Puttick £80, £69, HG Allen & Son £78.50, Mrs MA Till £77.50, ND Beaney £75, Miss M Lucas £74, I & L Hutchison, J Rogers £70, J Newington £70, New Barn Partners £69, J Heaerty £68, Mason Estate £68

CULL EWES (532)

A bumper entry and the faithful were well rewarded. As usual the Hailsham trade surpassed the national price and other centres. A superb run from CH Ellis Ltd were well received. The big boys do best business, in first place D Spanton's Texel x £98, closely followed by Goodwood Estate £95

Leading Prices: D Spanton £98, £89, Goodwood Estate £95, TF Hughes £91,

Rosie Russell £90, J & S Harmer £90, £84, D & L Sutton £88, R Gorrington £87, Mrs A M Eales £86, CA Lee & Sons £86, PT Pike £82, K Axell £80

BREEDING SHEEP (66)

A great day for the many different breeds on offer Downsview Sheep's Rams £165 £150, Mrs MAE Clark's Mule ewes £102, and who could forget Mrs H Raw's Norfolk Horn ewes at £100!

**Entered for Next Wednesday 30th September:
21 Romney Breeding Ewes - flock ages**

**Recently wormed and Crovected
also 20 Mule Shearling Ewes, 24 Cheviot Breeding Ewes**

WANTED: Young Collie Bitch - from working parents 07803 237047

Monday 21st September- Auctioneer Roger Waters

Good numbers, Good trade, Good day

Next Sale Monday 5th October, why not be part of it

CONTINENTAL CROSS STEERS & HEIFERS- all ages,
*all quality runs from Ed Wheeler, Richard Gorringe, Graham Kittle, Harvey Steele
and Charles Diplock well received*

R M Gorringe's Limousin cross steers, 29 months **£1,250**, heifers, 24 months **£1,200**

K Wheeler & Son's Simmental x Sussex steers, 18 months **£1,100**, heifers 18 months **£870**,

G Kittle's Simmental cross steers **£1,020**

J W Steele & Sons' Simmental cross steers, 12 months **£750**, heifers **£575**

C Diplock's Limousin cross steers, 11 months **£650**, heifers **£635**

ABERDEEN ANGUS CROSS & OTHER NATIVE CROSS BREDS

*Smart eighteen month suckler bred steers and heifers sell very well
Red Tractor or not, time on their side - Keep them coming please*

Mrs P Bignell's Aberdeen Angus cross 17/19 months **£1,115**, heifers **£990**

A Firrell's Aberdeen Angus cross steers, 27 months **£1,100**, heifers **£950**

C Harding's Aberdeen Angus cross steers, 17/19 months **£1,080**

M Harding's Aberdeen Angus cross heifer 15 months **£685**

J Lamplugh's Aberdeen Angus cross heifers, 12 months **£505**

G Payne's Aberdeen Angus cross heifers, 12 months **£470**

Purebred Sussex

Sussex always hold their own in Hailsham, Tony Robinson tops!

AJ Robinson & Partners' Sussex steers, 18 months **£900**

A Lord's Sussex steers, 14 months **£670**, heifers **£580**

Castle Goring Farm's Sussex steers, 7/9 months **£565**, heifers **£420**

Hereford cross

J W Steele & Sons' Hereford cross steers, 12 months **£730**

Beef Shorthorn

R Felton's Beef Shorthorn steer, 23 months **£855**

BEEF FROM THE DAIRY HERD

all shapes, all sizes, all sold

HJ Hecks & Son's Aberdeen Angus cross steers, 22 months **£910**

Bulstrode Farm Ltd's British Blue cross steer, 23 month **£890**, heifers **£805**

Aberdeen Angus cross steer, 23 months **£835**

RG & JM Thornton's British Blue cross steers, 11/12 months **£610**, heifers **£525**

**Next Store Cattle Sale planned for
MONDAY 5th OCTOBER**

Entries include:

Small Beef Herd Dispersal of

9 North Devon cross cows with North Devon cross calves at foot,

North Devon Bull and 4 North Devon cross heifers

from FG Sheard,

12 Purebred Sussex heifers, 18 months from Mrs P Watts, 10 Limousin cross steers & heifers 19 months from RC Baker & Co., 16 Simmental cross and Hereford cross steers & heifers, from JW

Steele & Sons, 11 Aberdeen Angus cross steers & heifers 12/14 months old from Clearwater Farm Partnership, 10 British Blue x Friesian steers & heifers 12 months from R & T Marriner, 30

Aberdeen Angus cross steers

& heifers 12/13 months from RG & J M Thornton, 15 Charolais cross steers & heifers, 8/10 months from Mrs P Woodley, 16 Hereford cross steers, 16/22 months from MJ & ML McCubbine

FURTHER ENTRIES BEING TAKEN FOR THIS SALE

DOLPHIN SHEEP FAIR REPORT

Thursday 17th September 2020

Shearlings to £230

Ewe Lambs to £140

Rams to £550

We thought it would be good and it was good. What a day for family Andreozzi, tremendous sheep, tremendous prices. The 2019 pessimists, proved wrong, breeding sheep all up a gear in 2020

The A B C D of the early autumn trade equals:

Auction Action at Ardingly

Brexit Blues?

Covid Considerations

D is for Dolphin Delight

every year at Ardingly never fails

SHEARLING EWES

Sold out powerful sheep made powerful prices. Gold, Silver and Bronze to Louis Andreozzi, as expected top of the league

Leading Prices:

L Andreozzi's Purebred Charollais.....	£230
L Andreozzi's Texel x Mule	£200
L Andreozzi's Suffolk x Mule	£162, £160, £160
G Vicary's Suffolk x Mule	£159
BJ Champion's Texel cross.....	£155
J Cloke's Lley.....	£145
E Hilton's Border Leicester.....	£145
P Hewitt's Suffolk x Mule	£145
TH Guy's, Suffolk x Mule	£142
J William's, Beltex x	£130
Mrs P Watt's Kent	£125
RA Spencer's Texel cross.....	£125

Mule Shearlings

Sold out Michael Neal heads the returns this year and well worthy
of the accolade

MWH Neal.....	£152, £140, £140, £137, etc
Mrs S Roberts.....	£147, £142, £141, £138, etc
Mr & Mrs WH Corney.....	£137, £136, £129
Little Boarzell Farm.....	£137, £136, £134
GA Vicary.....	£130, £130, £128

BREEDING EWES

Good number of willing farmer buyers looking for young ewes, minority breeds continue to make
their mark,
Greyface Dartmoor, Herdwick, Badger face

VP & L Coleman's Greyface Dartmoor	£140
D Tilley's Scotch half bred	£102
Freshfield Farms' Suffolk x Mule.....	£98
Stones Throw Farm's Mule two shear.....	£97
Q Poulton's Herdwicks	£95
Orchard Farm's North Country Mules	£92
C Axell's Bluefaced Leicester.....	£92
J Holland's Badger face	£90
G Isden's Texel cross	£87
M Goodman's Teeswater	£75

SOUTHDOWNS

C Bull's Southdown Shearlings	£100
Ballard & Blackman.....	£83
Cissbury Farm.....	£81

*Thank you once again to the Plumpton College students for their help in moving sheep from pens
to ring and back to pens under the guidance of
Phil Hart all very much appreciated*

LAMBS

Plenty of confidence shown around the lamb ring with customers keen to
acquire potential breeding stock for 2021 and onwards. J Whines'
Border Leicesters take the eye and the price and congratulations to
Rufus Clarke, Ashdown & General Land Co, for offering pen after pen of well
presented Suffolk/Mule ewe lambs topping out at £122

J Whines' Border Leicester	£140
Ashdown & General Land Co's Suffolk x Mule.....	£122, £122
D Barr's Poll Dorset	£120
S & F Carr & Daughters' Suffolk x Mule.....	£110
Passmore-Coombes' Charollais cross	£107
Q Poulton's Herdwick.....	£100
C Ashworth's Purebred Texels.....	£97

Worth Abbey Project's Lleyn ewe lambs	£97
J Holland's Badger face	£92
DJ Durkan's Texel x Suffolk	£90
J Waters' Jacob cross	£83
G Dival's Southdown cross	£79
S & F Carr & Daughters' Suffolk x Mule mixed	£75
North Horsted Farms LLP's Suffolk/Texel x Mule mixed	£71
Bungehurst Farm Ltd's Crossbred	£70
T Martin.....	£69
S Stanisstreet's Welsh Mule	£67
P Mawson's Jacob ewe lambs	£67
R Whitemore's Lleyn ewe lambs.....	£65
Somers Farm's Romney x Lleyn	£64
S Edmonds' Zwartble	£62
<i>not forgetting the last lot of the day -</i>	
J Laidler's Herdwick ewe lamb.....	£135!!!

RAMS

No breed show competitions, hopefully back to normal next year.
Excellent trade for the best, secondary sorts only make secondary prices,
the message is clear breed only the best - the ram is half your flock

SUFFOLK - Shearlings

R Partridge & Son Ltd	£540, £480, £450
Miss D Lindon	£490, £450, £450
AL Brown	£480, £420 £410
M Legge	£450, £350
W Stewart-Wood.....	£400, £400, £400, £380
N Balcombe	£390, £390
MJ Tosdevine & Son.....	£380
R P Cobden	£380
AJ King	£370

TEXEL - Shearlings

NJ Shearman	£550, £550, £480, £450, £450, £450
Gaynes Park Farms Ltd	£500, £480, £480, £400, £400
Mr & Mrs CW Baldock.....	£500, £400, £400, £400
R Partridge & Son Ltd (Blue).....	£450
CF Fuggle	£460, £420, £400
C Langrish.....	£400
T Blunt & T Smith.....	£380
AB Goldsmith	£360

Other Leading Ram Prices

BJ Baker's Charollais	£500, £450, £380, £380
AL Brown's Charollais	£400, £390
K Tucker's Charollais	£380
N Page's Beltex	£380, £350

RJ & SE Whitcombe's Border Leicester.....	£350
P Furneaux's Lleyn	£350
Manor Farm East Marden's Lleyn	£350
M & JA Brashill's Herdwick	£200
D, S & P Humphrey's Southdown	£180
VP & L Coleman's Ryeland.....	£150

No show this year for the Fair and likewise for
the South Eastern Texel Group or
the South Eastern Area Suffolk Sheep Breeders -
hopefully back to normal in 2021

ACT offered mineral and vitamin tubs
for the top price purchasers of
shearling ewes, ewe lambs and rams

Mark Thorpe ACT Wessex Animal Health
will be contacting
Nick Hedges purchaser of the top price shearlings
P & E Andreozzi purchasers of the top price ewe lambs
TR Tupper Farms & T Doherty purchasers of the top price rams

Still looking for a Ram?
Charollais Shearling Rams available in East Sussex
favourably priced
Contact N Young 07803 237047

Livestock Auctions/COVID-19 Regulation Update

Updated 21st August 2020

Clarification on Face-Coverings

**Government confirms that face coverings MUST be worn by all customers and
other visitors attending English Indoor Markets**

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 and Store Stock.

As from Monday 27th April

Similar conditions will also apply to the

Sale of Breeding stock

ie Beef Cows and Calves, Ewes with Lambs at Foot

**THIS IS NOT A RELAXATION OF EXISTING COVID 19 RULES/PROTOCOL ALREADY IN PLACE - JUST
AN EXTENSION**

All Purchasers must register on entering the market.

Social distancing must be strictly adhered to, i.e. 2 metres apart around the sale ring or sale pens.

Gathering points MUST be prevented.

IMPORTANT UPDATE

Face coverings MUST be worn by everyone attending indoor livestock markets this includes our Cattle Ring

South East Marts will be implementing a “Drop & Go” policy for vendors. Vendors **MUST** remain in their vehicles on arriving at the market and when delivering animals to the loading docks must stay in their vehicles, market staff will unload the vehicle and take animals to their sale pens.

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

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 for simply that only one purchaser should collect their invoice in the usual queuing 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.

Livestock Auctioneers nationwide have assured the Government that Social Distancing will be applied at all times - Please abide by this

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

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SATURDAY 26th SEPTEMBER

Sale to commence at 10.00 a.m

Double selling will take place

COVID 19 Guidelines Will Apply

Please abide by

TWO METRE SOCIAL DISTANCING

WE ASK THAT ONLY PROSPECTIVE BUYERS ATTEND

THIS IS NOT A SOCIAL GATHERING

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**ARDINGLY SHOWGROUND**

Auction of  
AGRICULTURAL & GARDEN MACHINERY  
BUILDERS & CONTRACTORS PLANT

**SATURDAY 10th OCTOBER 2020**

**Entries now Closing please let us  
have your entries by Monday 28th**

All subject to COVID 19 Guidelines

Not a social gathering

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NYMANS FARM

Henfield West Sussex
Important Dispersal Sale of
TRACTORS, MACHINERY & LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT
plus STRAW & SILAGE

SATURDAY 17th OCTOBER 2020

On the instructions of Blyth Model Dairies
changing their farming policy

Entries close Monday 28th September

All subject to COVID 19 Guidelines

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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
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