SOUTH EAST MARTS – HAILSHAM MARKET
Primestock report for
WEDNESDAY, 16th JANUARY

PRIME CATTLE (UNDER AGE & OVERAGE (15))  
**Auctioneer:** Roger Waters

Mixed entry, mixed trade. Graham and Julie Beck’s homebred Sussex cross steer top call at 182p and gross approaching £1,200. Harold and Tom Turner are double top with their Aberdeen Angus x British Friesian heifers at 180p twice. Looking for prime cattle please for next week.

CULL COWS (6)  
**Auctioneer:** Roger Waters

Short entry, no real change, plenty of interest at a price. The French family’s Limousin and Charolais cross 120p, 107p and 104p twice, etc. and Graham and Julie Beck’s Limousin cross 108p. No dairy culls on offer.

CALVES (10)  
**Auctioneer:** Roger Waters

A January trade - not that exciting. Lower Claverham Farm’s Aberdeen Angus cross bulls to £95 and heifers to £75. Small Limousin cross bull to £95 and heifers to £67.

PIGS (16)  
**Auctioneer:** Roger Waters

A shade more interest. John Brooker’s quality Landrace 96p per kilo and £85 per head. Pork weight Saddleback gilts to £53 per head and Standean Farm’s Large White cross cutters to 78p per kilo. Small Kune Kune cross store gilts £5 each!

Entered for next Wednesday, 23rd January - 8 cutters and 1 sow

SHEEP (1401)  
**Auctioneer:** Nick Young

As usual big numbers at Hailsham

MILK LAMBS (473)  
*Overall average 178p per kilo*

The trade nationally and other local centres is far from wonderful. Hailsham fared very adequately, in particular for the quality on offer. The best rang the bell albeit quietly, whilst the others survived. The message is consistent if you have lambs to sell it is better to sell as stores unless they are “perfect meat”. Candidly with the current high level of demand from the warring buyers the store section is definitely the place to be. As one buyer leaves on a jet plane, a new buyer rolls up in a BMW next week!! Fred and Monica Akehurst take top slot at £93 with their superb offering, with Richard and William Brown £89.50 joint second with Jeremy West (who has the best) Other leading prices per head:- GN & J West £85 (twice), £82, R & W Brown £88.50, £83.50, D Blake & Partners £87, £81, AR Uridge £84.50, AGL Ainslie £84 (twice), FG Coles £81.50, R & S Carr Farms £81.

Top price per kilo:-  R & W Brown 198.5p, R & S Carr Farms 195.7p, 173.2p, AJ Skinner & Son 190.2p, GN & J West 187.6p, 186.4p, 182.4p, AA & M Woolgar 186.6p, 178.5p, P Ballard 185.7p, D, S & P Humphrey 180.4p, HC Grissell 178.7p, 173.5p, AGL Ainslie 178.4p, FG Coles 174.8p, FW & MJ Akehurst 178.3p.

STORE LAMBS (601)  

A truly terrific entry with over 600 on offer and a sublime trade and the West Sussex “David’s” in the ascendancy surely this is the way to go! The Hailsham store trade cannot be replicated anywhere in the country. The moderate finished price is self-explanatory and the store trade remains competitively excellent it makes sense to sell your store lambs in Hailsham now during the Brexit turmoil. The prices are explosively
axiomatic.
FP Russell Farms (Laughton Brooks) superb run top at £79.50, closely followed by
Mrs. A.M. Eales £79, Dunstars Farm £75, £69, AR Uridge £74, £73, RG Whyman
£71.50, R & L Haines £70, A Clouting £70, CD & J Jeffries £69 (twice), Mrs MAE Clark
£68.50.
CULL EWES (301)
The big useful entry was well received. The national price is a dismal £56 per head,
the Hailsham average was £61.
The Norton Farm Partnership £89, AR Uridge £87, £80, £74, D Blake & Partners £84,
FS Major & Sons £79, £70, £65, Mrs PM Bignell £75, A Almeida £74, K Foreman £69,
AJ Skinner & Son £66.
BREEDING SHEEP (26)
A rock solid trade, many more wanted. M Teear's Cross bred in lamb ewes to £81
Already entered 10 Cheviot x Mule ewes, in-lamb to Texel

Next Sale of
STORE CATTLE
to be held on
WEDNESDAY, 23rd JANUARY
Entries include:- 34 Charolais and Sussex cross steers and heifers, 8/20 mos from
I Williams, 12 Hereford, Simmental and Limousin cross steers, 22/23 mos from
CJ Berry & Son; 12 Limousin cross heifers, 14 mos from Exors of DJ Nichols, 10
Hereford cross steers and heifers, 9/16 mos from H Baker & Son; 5 Aberdeen Angus
cross steers, 10/12 mos from RJ Turner & Son and 5 Simmental cross steers, 24/26
mos from T Griffiths
Sale to commence at 1.15p.m. immediately following the sale of
Prime Cattle, OTM and Cull Cows

THE 2019 HAILSHAM MARKET CALENDARS
ARE NOW AVAILABLE ON REQUEST
Please let us know if you would like one and we'll be happy to send you a copy

† BOB SHERWOOD
Bob’s funeral is to be held on Friday, 1st February at 3.15 pm
at Tunbridge Wells Crematorium, no flowers

† MARY McCUBBINE
It is with regret we have to report the sad passing of Mary McCubbine of Broadlands
Farm, Smallfield. Long term supporter of Haywards Heath and Hailsham Markets.
Her funeral to take place on Wednesday, 23rd January
at 10.15 a.m. at Leatherhead Crematorium.
Donations to St. Catherine’s Hospice or RABI

COLLECTIVE SALE DATES
FOR 2019
at ARDINGLY SHOWGROUND
on
SATURDAY, 16th FEBRUARY
Entries close Friday, 1st February
and then at ARDINGLY on
SATURDAY, 16th MARCH
SATURDAY, 27th APRIL
SATURDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER
SATURDAY, 12th OCTOBER

also at
HERSTMONCEUX on SATURDAY, 18th MAY
and
OSNEY LODGE FARM on SATURDAY, 22nd JUNE
Entry forms now available for these sales

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