SOUTH EAST MARTS – HAILSHAM MARKET
Primestock report for
WEDNESDAY, 30th JANUARY 2019

PRIME CATTLE (UNDER AGE & OVERAGE (8)  Auctioneer: Roger Waters
Still at the top, Exors. of Mary Jones, trading as John and Mary Jones’ butcher weight heifers 182p and 180p. John Ayres has Aberdeen Angus cross steers close to £1,200 and Chris Williams has Aberdeen Angus heifer over £1,200. Little change in price levels.

CULL COWS (9)  Auctioneer: Roger Waters
Demand very much on a par with previous weeks, looking for that lift. Chris French’s Charolais cross cow to 114p and gross £894 and Chris Williams Aberdeen Angus cross to 108p and gross £718. Hereford cross cows for further feeding 90p per kilo.

CALVES (--)  Auctioneer: Roger Waters
No calves on offer today.

Next Wednesday, 6th February – In the Calf Shed
at approx. 11 a.m.
2 British Blue cross steers, 1 Aberdeen Angus cross rig,
1 Friesian rig, 2 Sussex steers and 1 Sussex heifer,
all approx. 8/9 months old from a 4 year parish.

PIGS (3)  Auctioneer: Roger Waters
John Brooker’s quality assured cutter weight Landrace gilts to 101p, he promises more for next week along with 4 white cutters and 1 white sow entered from J. Pedder.

SHEEP (1255)  Auctioneer: Nick Young
“Frosty wind made moan, earth stood hard as iron, water like a stone”

HOGGETS (360) Overall average 180p per kilo
Undoubtedly a better trade. “Meat Matters Most” with Team Ainslie top at £103, in close attendance the Fountain & Sewell Foundation rock solid at £100

Leading prices per head:- AGL Ainslie £103, £93, £89, CA Fountain & S Sewell £100, £96.50, £89, FW & MJ Akehurst £99, £94, £90.50, £89, GN & J West £97.50, £95, FG Coles £93, R & S Carr Farms £92, £89 (twice), SB & RA Sewell £90.

Top price per kilo:- M Grove 200p, GN & J West 191.3p, B Walker 190.2p, 183.8p AGL Ainslie 190p, 188.3p, 185.5p, 181.3p, 180.9p (twice).FG Coles 185.9p, CA Fountain & S Sewell 185.4p, 181.4p, R & S Carr Farms 185.4p, Plumpton College 185.2p, 185.1p.

STORE HOGGETS (573)
It is impossible to describe the level of the store hogget trade which is currently being experienced. Quite simply the dictionary does not have sufficient superlatives. Whatever the store hogget, the demand is explosive. Our firm recommendation is to sell your store hoggets now rather than wait for the inevitable confusion of a no deal Brexit. The results speak for themselves. Topping the leader board again Plumpton College £81, closely followed by Elliott Meader £80.

Other leading prices:- Plumpton College £78.50, £77, £75, J Gasson £78, £74, NJC & P Clouting £76.50, £74, J Field £75, I Williams £74.50, G Isden £74.50, J Morson £74.50, S Wilkins £74, Mrs MAE Clark £72.50, R & L Haines £71.
CULL EWES (322)
A good show way in front of the appalling national price. South East Farmer’s favourite correspondent Monica Akehurst tops at £88
Others - CF Fuggle £85, £80, £72, £68, J Gasson £85, Plumpton College £77, Mr & Mrs S Witheridge £75, GW Gribble £75, D Sutton £74, Freshfield Mill £73, £70, RD Thomas £71, AGL Ainslie £68.

Next Wednesday, 6th February - 120 Mixed draft and grazing ewes, 4/5 rams and 40 store lambs from one consignor.
More breeding ewes and ewes generally are wanted, please let us know what you have

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

The Next STORE CATTLE SALE
is to be held on

WEDNESDAY, 6th FEBRUARY at approx. 1.15 pm

Entries include:- 8 Simmental cross steers and heifers, 6/9 mos from D Hobbs & Sons, 8 Kiwi cross steers, 18/19 mos from S Sargent; 3 Sussex cross steers, 22 mos from Mrs LP Brash; and 4 British Blue cross steers and heifers, 24/26 mos and a Beef Shorthorn bull, born Oct. ‘15 from I May

also on the same day in the Calf Shed
at approx. 11 a.m.
2 British Blue cross steers, 1 Aberdeen Angus cross rig, 1 Friesian rig, 2 Sussex steers and 1 Sussex heifer, all approx. 8/9 months old from a 4 year parish.

The first COLLECTIVE SALE FOR 2019
at
ARDINGLY SHOWGROUND of
AGRICULTURAL & GARDEN MACHINERY, BUILDERS’ & CONTRACTORS’ PLANT

Entries now being invited for this sale and already include:-
M/F 35 tractor/digger; Yanmar M1601 compact tractor and rotovator; 2 child’s quad bikes; 2 Bailey compact tractor trailers; Ifor Williams livestock trailer; Box trailer with roller shutter and an 8’ tipper trailer; 14’ boat; McHale bale spike; Vicon fert. spreader; Browns yard scraper; Richard Western 1000l water bowser; Logic multi feeder for quad bike; pig ark; hen houses; sheep roll over crate; fencing stakes, gates, chain saws, lawnmowers, inc. ride-ons, MTD TA4120 Yardman ride on; Sisis Autocore Aerator; Saxon 25” flail; strimmers, hedgecutters, blowers; pressure washers, generators, engines, garden tools & sundries, small tools (as new) and 250 lots of flowering trees, shrubs and roses inc. bush, standard and weeping, Almond, Cherry, Forsythia, Rhododendrons, Weeping Willows, Ribes, Hydrangeas, Clematis, Camellias, Conifers, Azaleas, Laburnum, Magnolia, Honeysuckle, Lilac, etc. Dwarf and Ornamental conifers ideal for rockery, tubs or borders also Leylandi fastest growing hedge, Fruit trees, bushes, plants inc. Apples, Plums, Pears, Gooseberries,
Blackcurrants, Raspberries, Strawberries, **Hedging and screening plants** inc. Privet, Quickthorn, Poplars and Perennial plants inc. Dicentras, Delphiniums, Lupins, Pyrenthrums, Heathers, Paeonies, etc., all subject to availability, also ducks and geese

on **SATURDAY, 16th FEBRUARY** at 10 a.m.
Entries close this Friday, 1st February

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and then spring sales thereafter

**SATURDAY, 16th MARCH** and **SATURDAY, 27th APRIL**

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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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**FARM DIRECT**

**BULL DIRECT**

Aberdeen Angus bull - available to hire
- modest charge to a good home

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**WANTED**

Aberdeen Angus stock bull to buy

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Available soon

**DAIRY DIRECT**

Twelve Friesian in-calf heifers
calving March onwards

**Twenty five Young Friesian cows**
also calving March onwards

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**BEEF BREEDING DIRECT**

Seven Young Native Bred Beef cows
with Aberdeen Angus cross calves at foot,
inc. one British Blue cross.
Born late Nov/early Jan.

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**FODDER IN THE STORE**

Haylage, Big Round Bale Hay and Straw,
plus square baled silage
mostly in Lewes/Hailsham locations

*New on the market*

Big square, big round and small bales of hay
Mid Sussex area
and
Round bales of silage - Polegate area

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You are invited to celebrate the start of a new farming year

PLOUGH SUNDAY

SUNDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY
at 11am
at Ashburnham Village Hall
(Akehurst Field, Brownbread Street TN33 9LW)
Followed by lunch
with donations to Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution
and Farming Community Network
For more details, please contact
Tina French: 01424 892580 or Jennifer Oldroyd: 01323 832748
Arranged by Ashburnham Parish Church.
Children very welcome.
Please feel free to bring along a gardening tool or a packet of seeds which can be blessed during the service, acknowledging our need for God’s help in the year ahead.
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