



MONDAY SALES Prime Sheep and Cull Ewes Prime Cattle and Mature Beef	FRIDAY SALES Store Cattle 10.00a.m. Calves & Stirks 10.30 a.m. Pigs (Fortnightly) 10.45 a.m. Store and Breeding Sheep 11.00 a.m. Dairy Cattle 12.00 noon
SALE COMMENCES 9.45 a.m. with Prime Lambs followed by Prime Hogs then Cattle & Cull Ewes.	
GATES OPEN 7 A.M.	

STORE MARKET REPORT – FRIDAY 23rd JULY 2010

STORE CATTLE (116)

Steers to £840, Heifers to £795

No Better Place to Sell Your Store & Finishing Cattle

With the grass growing again a further improvement in trade was seen especially for the younger cattle. Top price of the day was £840 for a Charolais and Limousin steers consigned by **Mr G R Vallance of Ashburton**. **Mr Vallance** also sold the top price heifer at £795 for a smart Limousin.

PLEASE NOTE – From FRIDAY 7TH MAY we have commenced the sale with Grazing Cows.

Pre-Movement Testing – The 60 day period starts from the vet's FIRST visit.

Store Cattle Vendors – If you are not Farm Assured please try to sell your cattle with at least 90 days to go so that they can qualify for Farm Assured for finisher buyers.

STORE CATTLE BREED	NO	TOP PRICE STEERS	VENDOR	NO	TOP PRICE HEIFERS	VENDOR
Charolais	14	780	W Bromell	13	605	L Hole & Son
Simmental	1	840	G R Vallance			
Limousin	7	840	G R Vallance	4	795	G R Vallance
Belgian Blue	3	510	R Folly			
Hereford	8	500	T M & A White & Co	8	510	T M & A White & Co
South Devon	7	640	P D Rogers	6	570	P D Rogers
Aberdeen Angus	3	630	W Hext & Son	4	440	P R & R Hill
Friesian	29	478	L Hole & Son			
Devon				1	440	P D Rogers

STORE SHEEP

Store Lambs (612) A better number entry as numbers begin to build for the season. Trade was again better and well in front of the prime trade with the overall average up £2.50 on the week. The overall average of £53.28 was exceptional considering that a large contingent of the entry were small lambs. Top price was £67.00 for a pen of Dorsets from **Mr N J Williams**.

	Maximum Price /Head	Price Range
Best Lambs	67.00	57.00 to 67.00
Medium Lambs	58.00	48.00 to 58.00
Small/Plain Lambs	47.00	33.00 to 47.00
Overall Average Price	53.28	
Top Price	67.00	Vendor Mr N J Williams

Breeding Ewes & Rams (11)

A small entry following Tuesday's large sale with ewes to £70 for a pen of Lleyne ewes from **Mr D Bardon**. Rams sold to £145 for a 6 tooth Suffolk from **Mr A P Nuthall of Crediton**.

Grazing Ewes (23)

A small entry but a very strong trade selling to £77 for a pen of Lleyne ewes from **Mr H Llwyd of Okehampton**. Overall average was £58.20.

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CALVES (58)

A good quality entry met a selective trade with Friesians and young heifers a serious trade but some better bulls looking slightly easier than of late.

Beef Breeds Top price of the day was £290 for a Limousin from **Messrs J & H Sexton** with **Messrs F Arscott & Son** at £285 also for a Limousin and **D Mortimer** also at £285 for a young British Blue with many good rearing bulls at £240 to £270. Heifers peaked at £207 for a 13 day old Charolais from **H G Harvey & Son** with other notables being £198 for a Limousin from **J & H Sexton**, £195 each for **C Steer & Sons** with a Charolais, **A L & D L Bolt** had a Limousin and **F Arscott & Son** a Limousin. **J W Baker** sold a British Blue at £194 and **F Arscott & Son** a Limousin at £192.

Dairy Breeds Holstein Friesians sold to £142 from **Messrs A L & D L Bolt** with **Messrs G J & L A Mock** at £130. Best sorts at £100 to £140 with mediums at £70 and plainer sorts at around £40. Overall Black & Whites averaged £70.

STIRKS (19)

A larger entry than expected dominated by cattle showing the effects of the lack of grass recently. A tidy bunch of 12 month old South Devon steers at £425 from **J Dyer**. Heifers sold to £302 for a real shiny coated May 10 born Limousin r from **A L & D L Bolt**. Of note were young 2010 born Limousins and Angus from **I D & E Ellicott** and £302 and £270 respectively. Younger types generally well sought after.

TOP PRICES				CALVES			STIRKS		
BREED	SEX	NO	TO	VENDOR	SEX	NO	TOP	VENDOR	
Charolais	Bulls	1	215	C Steer & Sons, Avonwick					
	Heifers	3	202	HG Harvey & Son, Kingsbridge					
Simmental	Bulls	2	240	B T Moore, Diptford					
	Heifers	1	190	B T Moore, Diptford					
Limousin	Bulls	5	290	J & H Sexton, Morchard Bishop	Steers	2	362	J Dyer, Trusham	
	Heifers	7	198	J & H Sexton, Morchard Bishop	Heifers	2	302	J Dyer, Trusham	
British Blue	Bulls	4	285	D Mortimer & Co., Sowton					
	Heifers	4	194	J W Baker, Whimble					
Hereford	Bulls	1	105	G Parkman, Stoodleigh					
Aberdeen Angus	Bulls	2	172	B T Moore, Diptford					
	Heifers	4	140	B T Moore, Diptford	Heifers	1	270	I D & E Ellicott, Kentisbeare	
South Devon	Bulls				Bulls	1	160	R & S Perryman, North Bovey	
	Heifer				Steers	5	425	J Dyer, Trusham	
					Heifers	7	160	R & S Perryman, North Bovey	
Holstein Friesian	Bulls	22	142	A L & D L Bolt, Cadeleigh	Bulls	1	75	A L & D L Bolt, Cadeleigh	
British Friesian	Bulls	2	80	M W & J M R Dobin, Exeter					

PIGS (79)

A good entry of quality store pigs sold very well with many buyers keen and a top price of £51 for some quality forward store pigs. 17 finished pigs again sold very well with quality sorts making to 119.3p/kg liveweight. A sow and 12 small pigs sold to £190. Cull sows and boars followed a very similar trade to previous weeks with a top of £178 and 70.10/kg liveweight.

NOTE VENDORS OF FINISHED PIGS AND CULL SOWS & BOARS MUST PROVIDE AN FCI FORM (FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION) TOGETHER WITH THEIR USUAL PIG LICENCE. We have forms available at the market. Please phone Gordon Chambers for more information.

STORE PIGS	MAX/HEAD (£)	MAX/KG (p)	VENDOR
7-9 weeks old	21.00		R C Daniel, Holsworthy
10-12 weeks old	46.00		R C Daniel, Holsworthy
13-16 weeks old	51.00		S Younger, Exeter
Sows & Litters	190.00		F R Gillard, Exeter
Finished Pigs	84.00	119.30	D Kirst, North Tawton
Cull Sows	178.00	70.10	A Stephens, Tavistock
Cull Boars	184.00	55.40	E Dunn, Plymouth

