



## STAGS REPORT

The first new season lambs of the year through the ring at 202ppk

### \*\*\*\*\* OLD SEASON HOGGS

As it stands all old season hoggs found with ruptured teeth will regretfully still be classed as mature sheep until we receive further notification from the LAA & FSA

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### MARKET STAFF VACANCY

South Molton market require reliable staff for picking, penning and droving sheep

- Every Thursday
- 7.30am—2pm approx.
- Paid hourly, rate dependent on experience

For more information contact Chris Clapham 01769 572042

### MARKET PRICES

We will now be emailing prices of stock to all vendors on Thursday afternoons.

Therefore if you wish to receive you prices by email please ensure it is written upon your entry form on arrival at market.

For more information speak to Jess

FOR UP TO DATE PRICES, TRADE OR TO BOOK YOUR STOCK IN CONTACT:-

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## SOUTH MOLTON LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

THURSDAY 21ST FEBRUARY 2019

1165 SHEEP SOLD

**884 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS & 281 CULL EWES & RAMS**

### 884 PRIME HOGGS & LAMBS

An expected smaller entry of hoggs than of late met a mixed trade with the handyweights slightly dearer than previous weeks; the light types also a touch dearer but the heavies not change. The first new season lambs of the year also go under the hammer.

Top of the day at 202ppk to the first new season lambs of the year from Mr B Hold of Nomansland being a pen of 40.6kg Texel crosses. Best hoggs peaked at 197ppk twice; the first to 40.5kg Charollais crosses from Mr J Cowle of Winkleigh and the second to 43.3kg Charollais crosses from Mr AA Milton of Chapelton. 196ppk to 44kg Charollais crosses from Messrs GF & PJ Warne of Umberleigh with 195ppk four times; the first to Messrs Warne's second 40.7kg pen; the second to 42.9kg Charollais crosses from Mr RC Huxtable of Bickelton; the third to 41kg Charollais crosses from Mr S Stentiford of South Molton and the fourth to 42.5kg Texel crosses from Messrs Irwin & Sons of Mariansleigh. 193ppk three times; the first to 40.8kg Texel crosses from Mr MW Pearce of Harracott with the second and third pens both to 44.3kg Texel crosses from Mr G Dart & Sons of Molland. 192ppk three times; the first to 42.5kg Texel crosses from Messrs MJ & DM Lake of South Molton; the second to 42.8kg Charollais crosses from Mr G Webster of Umberleigh and the third to Messrs Irwin & Son's second pen of 40.7kg Texel crosses. 191ppk twice; both to 45.6kg pens of Texel crosses from Mr ME Snell & Son of Knowstone.

A hat trick at the top for Mr D Farr of Yarnscombe with his best pen of 62kg Charollais crosses at £94; 59kg Charollais crosses at £93 and 56kg Texel crosses at £92. 56kg Suffolk crosses from Messrs Keely & Stevens of Burrington rose to £91 whilst 54kg Charollais crosses from Mr MA Milton of Chapelton peaked at £90.20. £89.80 to 55kg Charollais crosses from Mr EF Thorne of

Tawstock closely followed at £89.50 to 62kg Charollais crosses from Mr G Dart & Sons of Molland. £88.80 to Mr Milton's second pen of 48.5kg Suffolk crosses with £88.20 to Mr Thorne's second pen of 47.5kg Charollais crosses. £88 three times; the first to 46.4kg Charollais crosses from Mr W Milton of Chapelton; the second to 50kg Suffolk crosses from Messrs DW & J Jones of Heasley Mill and the third to 53.8kg Charollais crosses from Messrs P & J Ley of Alverdiscott.

### 281 CULL EWES & RAMS

Another smaller entry of cull sheep met a very similar trade to the last month. Few best ewes on offer but those that were there met the most demand. A few more buyers around the ring looking for grazing ewes ensured the plainer, grazing types were a sensible price. A no show of cull rams for the first week in a long while.

Best today at £126 to a shapely Pure Texel from Mr MC Yeo of Yarnscombe whose second pen of further shapely types rose to £107.50. Suffolk crosses from Messrs BJ & DE Griffiths of Burrington rose to £94 with £90 twice; the first to Mr Yeo's third pen of this time Suffolk crosses and the second to a shapely Charollais from Mrs C Irwin of Umberleigh. £88 to further Texels from Mr Yeo with £86.50 to Suffolk crosses from Messrs MH & CB Ayre of Black Dog. £84 to Suffolk crosses from Messrs Beer Brothers of Warkleigh whose second pen of Texels followed closely at £82. £80 to Suffolks from Mr EF Thorne of Tawstock.

**A REQUEST FROM ABATTOIRS  
STRAPPY, LONG WOOLED HOGGETS  
NEED TO BE BELLIED AND DOCKED  
PRIOR TO DELVIERY AT MARKET  
MANY THANKS**

HOGGS	Sold	Ave	Top	Ave	Top	CULL SHEEP	Sold	Ave	Top
		Pence	Per kg	£	per head	ALL CULL & DRAFT EWES	281	£58.18	£126.00
STANDARD 32.1-39	81	180.82	189.00	£66.87	£71.80	MEAT EWES	88	£77.66	£126.00
MEDIUM 39.1-45.5	314	188.97	197.00	£80.11	£86.20	MULE EWES	43	£48.10	£58.00
HEAVY 45.6-52	405	176.54	191.00	£84.63	£88.80	GRAZING TYPES	150	£49.23	£62.00
HEAVY + 52+	80	159.67	167.00	£86.36	£94.00	CULL RAMS	0	0	0
SQQ	395	Between	32 and	45.5kg	187.48				

**PLEASE NOTE  
PROMPT ARRIVAL AT THE MARKET IS  
APPRECIATED & HELPS TO EASE CONGESTION**



# Agricultural Sales

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## CATTLE THROUGH BOTH CENTRES LAST WEEK

35 Prime Cattle to £1386.63  
35 Cull Cows to £1162.82  
(260ppk for R3, R4L DW, 245ppk O-3 O-4L at 300kg+)

## FARM WORKER VACANCY

General Farm worker wanted

- Working on a mixed Beef & Sheep Farm
- 1—2 days a week available
- Located near Meshaw, South Molton

### Contact

Jess Maynard—  
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REF: JM/M106

## GRASS KEEP WANTED \*URGENTLY\*

Short term grass keep required for 100 ewes in the North Devon area

If you have anything suitable please contact Harvey Pile: -

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### ON SITE & FORTHCOMING SALES

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*Full details of all sales updated regularly including photos on the Stags website*

Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> – Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Online Timed Collective Sale of Modern and Vintage Tractors, Vehicles, Farm Machinery & General Equipment
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Sale of Tractors, Manitou, Landrover, Full Range of Farm Machinery & Implements at Foxbeare Farm, Colyton EX24 6TY on behalf of The Selway Partnership
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Dispersal Sale of Tractors, Farm Machinery & Implements at Barton Farm, Aylesbeare, Exeter, EX5 2FF on behalf of Messrs KR & FM Hawkins
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Dispersal Sale of Tractors, Farm Machinery & Cattle/Sheep Equipment at Trewithen Farm, Laneast, Launceston PL15 8PW on behalf of Messrs Colwill & Wickett (having sold the farm)
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March– Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	Online Timed Collective Sale of Modern and Vintage Tractors, Vehicles, Farm Machinery & General Equipment
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Spring Collective Sale of Modern & Vintage Tractors, Vehicles, Farm Machinery, Agricultural, Horticultural & General Equipment at Honiton Showground
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Retirement Sale of 8 Tractors, Combine and Full Range of Modern Grassland & Tillage Machinery with Farming Related Items at Highfields, Sheldon, Cullompton, EX14 4QW on behalf of DB Hawkins & Son (retiring and selling the farm)
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	Exceptional Sale of Modern & Collectable Tractors (20) to 15 Massey Fergusons, 3 88" Land Rovers, Range of Farm Machinery, Vintage & Bygone Farming Effects and Antique Furniture at Higher Eastbrook Farm, Burlescombe, Tiverton, EX16 7JT on behalf of the admins of JWH Bussell (deceased)
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	Dispersal Sale of Farm Machinery, Implements & General Equipment at Ireland Farm, Coryton, Okehampton EX20 4PG on behalf of Messrs CJ Squire & Sons

### TAVISTOCK LIVESTOCK CENTRE

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*Catalogues for all sales available on the Stags website or by post prior to sale*

Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	March Cattle & Sheep Fair to include Dispersal Sale of 124 Store Cattle
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	April Cattle & Sheep Fair
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Special Show & Sale of Couples & Sale of Store Lambs & Grazing Ewes
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	May Cattle & Sheep Fair

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Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Sale of Mixed Poultry, Chicks, Sitting Eggs, Poultry Sundries and New Tools.
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Sale of Mixed Poultry, Chicks, Sitting Eggs, Poultry Sundries and New Tools.
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Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>*NEW FOR 2019*</b> - Easter Show & Sale of Suck Lambs
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Spring Devon Connections Sale of Pedigree, Purebred & Crossbred Red Ruby Devon Cattle
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> August	The Great Annual Sheep Fair Sale of Breeding Ewes, Ewe Lambs & Rams