

# Exmoor Farmers Livestock Auctions Ltd

## Market Report

### Tavistock Sale of Store Cattle, Cows and Calves 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2011

Exmoor Farmers report an electric trade at Tavistock on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August with 35 buyers in attendance and many more leaving the sale without a successful purchase. Trade held even throughout all categories with some new records set. Store cattle sold to £1,100 for a Blonde D'Aquitaine steer from Messrs KH Squire & Son. A trio of Charolais steers from Messrs RE Doige & Son claimed second best price at £1,090 however Charolais heifers from the same home topped the market at £988. Steers averaged at £712 and heifers £593.

A strong entry of stock bulls of varying ages sold to a high of £1,400 for a South Devon from Mr PJ & M Hearn. This was closely followed by a Charolais from Messrs Hatherley & Rendle selling for £1,330.

In the Cow & Calf Section top price went to Mr AP Legassick selling a Limousin Cow and calf for £1,155. Roskilly Farms sold a further six animals with calf at foot all of which made over £1,000 topping at £1,140.

Type	Qty	Average/Head (£)	Min/Head (£)	Max/Head (£)	Vendor of Top Price
Store Steers	158	712	280	1100	Messrs KH Squire & Son, Ireland Farm
Store Heifers	128	593	20	988	Messrs RE Doidge & Son, Underhill Farm
Store Cow	3	621	475	795	Mr M Dance, Dockwell Farm
Stock Bull	5	997	695	1400	Mr PJ & M Hearne, Oakley Farm
Cow & Calf	13	956	355	1155	Mr AP Legassick, Torfields

**The next sale at Tavistock will be the Special Sale of Early Breeding Ewes, Rams and First Season Store Lambs and Grazing Ewes on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2011.**

**Next Cattle Sale will be St Johns Cattle Fair on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September**

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