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THAME CHRISTMAS PRIMESTOCK SHOW

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2026

15 SHOW CATTLE

Judge: Mr M Morris, South Kilworth
Penned by 10.00am, judging starts at 10.15am

234 SHOW SHEEP

Judge: Mr M Morris, South Kilworth
Penned by 9.00am, judging starts at 9.10am

****ALL ANIMALS MUST HAVE ARRIVED BY PENNING TIMES TO BE ENTERED INTO THE SHOW****

Order of Sale
Show Sheep – 10.30am (starting with champion)
Show Cattle – 12.00 noon (starting with champion)
Store Cattle – Following on from Show Cattle

Chairman: **Mr James Ludgate**
Show Secretary: **Miss Charlotte Baxter**

Auctioneers: Thame Farmers Auction Mart Ltd
The Cattle Market, North Street, Thame, OX9 3FP

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SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Show is open to all with special prizes for Young Exhibitors.

2. Each Animal shall have been in possession of the Exhibitor from 1st November 2026 and must have been on his or her holding during the whole of such period and also it must be the property of the Exhibitor on the day of the Show. **Each animal in Class 1-4 must be under 30 months of age on the day of the sale.**

3. Other than Special Prizes, no animal shall be entered for exhibition in more than one Class and no animal shall be eligible to compete that has taken a Prize at a Christmas Stock Show this year. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.

4. All Cattle must be accompanied by appropriate paperwork, i.e. cattle Passports and the Market's Cattle Movement Documents, along with a copy of your TB test. All Sheep must be accompanied by an AML1 form.

5. All stock must be submitted for sale and sold by auction on the day of the Show, otherwise any Prize Money and/or Trophy will be forfeited.

6. 3rd prize shall only be awarded if there are 4 or more entries except were specifically recommended by the Judge. 4th prize shall only be awarded if there are 5 or more entries except where specifically recommended by the Judge.

7. All sheep to be in the Show Yard on the morning of Show Day no later than 9.15am. The judging will commence at 9.30am. All cattle to be in the Show Yard on Show Day no later than 9.45am. The judging will commence at 10.00am.

8. Any objection to the decision of a Judge must be lodged with the Show Secretary in writing with a deposit of £5 (which will be returned if the objection is upheld) within one hour of the completion of the judging or before the commencement of the Auction Sale of the Class of exhibited stock concerned (whichever is sooner). Such objection or dispute to be settled by the Committee and their decision to be final.

9. Any objection on the grounds of breach of any of the foregoing Conditions may be lodged in writing with the Show Secretary by Saturday immediately following the show.

10. In all cases of dispute the decision of the Committee shall be final



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SUPREME CHAMPION BEAST

£250

With the 'Vale of Aylesbury Cattle' Challenge Cup
Kindly sponsored by Norcal Vets
Restricted to entries in Classes 1-4

RESERVE CHAMPION BEAST

£100

With the 'O J Barley' Challenge Cup
Kindly sponsored by T W Ludgate & Son
Restricted to entries in Classes 1-4

THE 'COUNTY TOWN' CHALLENGE CUP
to the highest point's winner in the show (automatic entry).

IAN MACLAREN CUP
For the Best Aberdeen-Angus or Aberdeen-Angus Cross in Show

THE MIDLANDS AND EAST ANGLIA HEREFORD BREEDERS ASSOCIATION CUP
For the Best Hereford or Hereford Cross in Show

THE 'JOSH TARRY' MEMORIAL TROPHY
will be awarded to the heaviest bullock in the show (automatic entry)

ALL CATTLE TO BE SOLD PER HEAD & MUST BE SOLD TO DRAW PRIZE MONEY

****TO BE PENNED BY 8.45AM****

ALL CATTLE MUST BE TB TESTED & A COPY OF THAT TEST PROVIDED TO THE OFFICE

PRIZE MONEY FOR CLASSES 1 - 4
1st - £100 2nd - £50 3rd - £25

****CATTLE IN CLASSES 1-4 MUST BE UNDER 30 MONTHS OF AGE****
****Cattle to be sold per head****

CLASS 1 Best Unhaltered Steer of a Continental Breed or Cross – any weight, with the 'EW Towler' Challenge Cup
Kindly sponsored by County Insurance

LOT 1 - RAWDING PARTNERS, Marsworth

CLASS 2 Best Unhaltered Maiden Heifer of a Continental Breed or Cross – any weight, with the 'Hughendon Motors' Challenge Cup
Kindly sponsored by Briggs & Stone

LOT 2 – B FRANKLIN, Murcott
LOT 3 – R E GREAVES, Wheatley
LOT 4 – G E HAYNES & SON, Winslow
LOT 5 – LONGWOOD FARM, Princes Risborough
LOT 6 - LONGWOOD FARM, Princes Risborough
LOT 7 - K LUDGATE, Battlesden
LOT 8 - K LUDGATE, Battlesden
LOT 9 – RAWDING PARTNERS, Marsworth

CLASS 3 Best Unhaltered Steer of a Native breed or cross, with the 'New Holland' Challenge Cup
Kindly sponsored by NFU Great Milton
LOT 10 – R E GREAVES, Wheatley
LOT 11 – D PLESTED, Chinnor
LOT 12 – D PLESTED, Chinnor

CLASS 4 Best Unhaltered Heifer of a Native breed or cross, with the 'Hubert East' Challenge Cup
LOT 13 – G E HAYNES & SON, Winslow
LOT 14 – D NIXEY, Chinnor

PRIZE MONEY FOR CLASS 5
1st - £50 2nd - £30 3rd - £20

CLASS 5 Best Unhaltered Cull Cow

LOT 15 – D PLESTED, Chinnor

BOARSTALL MEATS

SUPREME CHAMPION PEN OF LAMBS

£250

With the 'Vale of Aylesbury Sheep' Cup
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RESERVE CHAMPION PEN OF LAMBS

£100

With the 'Sidney Wheeler' Cup
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FUTURE FARMERS CLASS

(Under age of 21)

£200

With the 'Sir Gifford Fox' Cup
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ALL LAMBS TO BE SOLD IN PENS OF 3 AND MUST BE SOLD TO DRAW PRIZE MONEY

****TO BE PENNED BY 9.00AM****

PRIZE MONEY FOR CLASSES 6-9

1st - £50, 2nd - £30, 3rd - £20, 4th - £10

CLASS 6 Continental Sired Lambs Over 42kg
CLASS 7 Continental Sired Lambs Under 42kg
Lambs to be weighed on arrival and sorted into relevant class

AE & FJ CLARIDGE, Middle Claydon	4 PENS
CRADLE FARMS, Wiggington	1 PEN
R H CRUSE, Thatcham	1 PEN
O & L EAST LIVESTOCK, Amersham	1 PEN
D W GURNEY & SON, Stoke Hammond	5 PENS
G E HAYNES & SON, Winslow	2 PENS
N F HODGES & SON, Oving	1 PEN
I HOWE, Swerford	1 PEN
R E HOWE, Duns Tew	2 PENS
G IND, Weston Turville	1 PEN
O JONES, Upper Winchendon	1 PEN
D MARTIN, Wantage	3 PENS
EW & JE MASTERS, Fleet Marston	4 PENS
RJ & JM PRIDDLE, Piddington	2 PENS
C & R RAND, Ashendon	1 PEN
RAWDING PARTNERS, Marsworth	2 PENS
P & E ROADS, Dinton	10 PENS
E & V TOMPKINS, Brill	1 PEN
J WALLINGTON, Ludgershall	8 PENS

CLASS 8 Native Sired Lambs Over 42kg
CLASS 9 Native Sired Lambs Under 42kg
Lambs to be weighed on arrival and sorted into relevant class

E BARLOW, Rowsham	1 PEN
CRADLE FARMS, Wiggington	2 PENS
HARES & SON, Butlers Cross	2 PENS
J HAWES, Launton	1 PEN
RJ & JM PRIDDLE, Piddington	2 PENS
RAWDING PARTNERS, Marsworth	2 PENS

PRIZE MONEY FOR CLASS 10
ALL LAMBS MUST BE SOLD TO DRAW PRIZE MONEY
(Lambs to be paid in the name of the entrant)

1ST - £200, 2ND - £100, 3RD - £50, 4TH – £25

CLASS 10 Future Farmer Class – Lambs of Any Breed or Cross
******Must be aged under 21******

F CLARIDGE, Middle Claydon	1 PEN
G CLARIDGE, Middle Claydon	1 PEN
F FORSYTH, Marsworth	1 PEN
D HODGES, Oving	1 PEN
H HODGES, Oving	1 PEN
O HOWE, Swerford	1 PEN
H WALTON, Weston Turville	1 PEN
O JONES, Upper Winchendon	1 PEN
C RAND, Ashendon	1 PEN
R RAND, Ashendon	1 PEN
Z RAWDING, Marsworth	1 PEN
O WASS, Granborough	1 PEN
T WILKIE, Charlton On Otmoor+	3 PENS
S WHITEHEAD, Chackmore	1 PEN
W WHITEHEAD, Chackmore	1 PEN

PRIZE MONEY FOR CLASSES 11-12
ALL EWES MUST BE SOLD TO DRAW PRIZE MONEY
1st - £25, 2nd - £15, 3rd - £10

CLASS 11 Best Single Continental Ewe

G CLARK, Ashendon	2 EWES
WJR HAYNES & SON, Maidford Grange	2 EWES
O HOWE, Swerford	1 EWE
J M L FARMING, Thame	2 EWES
O JONES, Upper Winchendon	1 EWE
RJ & JM PRIDDLE, Piddington	1 EWE
P & E ROADS, Dinton	5 EWES

CLASS 12 Best Single Native Ewe

E BARLOW, Rowsham	1 EWE
N DOLAN, Hulcott	1 EWE
O & L EAST LIVESTOCK, Amersham	2 EWES
WJR HAYNES & SON, Maidford Grange	1 EWE
J M L FARMING, Thame	2 EWES
O JONES, Upper Winchendon	1 EWE
RJ & JM PRIDDLE, Piddington	1 EWE

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