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We are just 2 minutes from Junction 1 off the M27. All orders for day olds, 8 weeks olds and 18 week olds must be picked up in your own boxes from the home address. Eggs can also be collected. From the home address or posted. The birds are kept on our rearing field which unfortunately due to security reasons is not available to visit. If you let us know a few days in advance what you require we will bring the birds from the field to our home address for your inspection. You can then decide whether you are happy with the birds and take them home or we will return them to the rearing field.

About page

Mark and Heather Simmonds kept poultry for 20 year while living on the Broadlands Estate at Romsey rearing turkeys, ducks and chickens. After a gap of 15 years they got back into poultry 6 years ago and suffered so many problems buying fertile eggs and quality brood stock that once they had accomplished their mission to find the very best utility brood stock in the popular breeds and some of the best bloodlines in the country in our special breeds from the country's top breeders they set up New Forest Poultry in the hope that people would not suffer at the hands of con merchants and unscrupulous breeders charging ridiculous money for substandard stock like we did.

In the last 12 months we have expanded the breeding field so we can now supply Bantam Pekin stock from the country's top lines. Including Silver Laced, Gold Laced, Chocolate Laced, Blue Laced, Blue Gold Laced and Splash Pekins. We have also ventured into American Silkies with stock from the country's top importers and producers and are able to supply stock and eggs from Black, Blue, Blue Gold, Painted and Blue Splash in American Silkies. We are continuing the European lines of White and Black large fowl Silkies and Bantam Red Silkies.

HATCHING EGGS

Our hatching eggs are available from February to September and can be sent by post or collected from our home address. In the post the eggs can be sent express to be signed for next day delivery or first class. All our eggs are freshly collected and of the best quality and are sent in new polystyrene specially made boxes between Monday to Friday to avoid weekend postal delays. Whilst the eggs sold by us have been proven fertile this year with excellent hatching rates owing to the postal service we cannot guarantee the hatch rate or fertility. When receiving eggs in the post they should be left to stand pointed end down for 24 hours before placing in an incubator or under a broody.

Postage costs

Next day signed for delivery £10.00 for 6 eggs £11.00 for 12 eggs. (Please note Royal Mail charge £5.00 more on a Friday for Saturday delivery!) First Class £5.50 for 6 eggs, £7.00 for 12 eggs.

Rearing page

We Incubate all our own eggs collected daily from our brood stock pens and only our best eggs are selected to be incubated. Once the chicks are hatched they are reared inside on shredded paper until they are off heat at around 4 weeks (depending on weather conditions) the birds are then transferred to our 15 acre rearing field where the birds are reared in large grass pens on fresh ground. All our 8 week old birds are wormed before they are sold.





A pen of mixed breed 12 week old cockbirds on the rearing field

Day old chicks in the brooder house



A large pen of Black and White Silkies enjoying the rearing field

Our breeds page

Copper French Black Marans which consist of 8 hens running with 2 unrelated cockbirds that have been hatched by us from the best utility stock available in Dorset. The breed are friendly creatures that are very suitable to roam free range or for runs. The hen birds are black with gold edging to their hackle feathers along with some reddish brown on the chest while the cockbirds have a lovely coppery head, saddle and shoulders. Both our cocks and hens have lightly feathered legs. Our hens lay a lovely dark brown egg which will wow your neighbours, family and friends.





Black French Copper Marans

Copper French Blue Marans more friendly and less flighty than our pen of blacks, our blues are superb specimens and lay the most amazing dark brown eggs. Our stock came from the best Welsh stock available. We are at present running 8 hens with 2 cockbirds and getting excellent fertility in 2020. The hens are blue with copper neck hackles, while the cockbirds have copper head and neck hackles with copper saddles. Although bred from a pen containing only blues the chicks will be 50% blue and 50% black or splash.





Blue French Copper Marans

Wheaten Marans without doubt the layers of the biggest and brownest of all the eggs we produce. We have picked what we think are some of the best Wheatens in the country from several sources and are at present running 2 pens of brood stock. One contains 6 second year hens and an unrelated cockbird, while the other pen contains 10 pullets with 2 second year cockbirds. Believe me you won't be disappointed by these birds and they regularly lay huge double yokers the size of duck eggs!





Wheatens and their double yoker

Cuckoo Marans everybody loves these large friendly marans that lay lovely brown speckled eggs. We have 10 pullets running with 2 unrelated cockbirds from a Devon strain that has been breeding them for 10 years.



Cuckoo Marans

Cream Crested Legbars

These lovely birds are one of the few varieties that are auto sexing at day old with the males being distinguishable by being a lighter shade with a yellow spot on their heads and the females have a darker back and darker stripes. They are a very friendly chicken which do well free range. They are very much in demand due to them laying blue or olive coloured eggs, of which they lay around 180 to 200 a year.



Cream Crested Leg Bars

White Leghorns

These birds lay the most exceptional pure white large eggs and lay for most of the year, averaging 280 eggs. They rarely go broody and are good flyers so make sure your pen is secure.



White Leg Horn Eggs



White Leghorns

Light Sussex no chicken run would be complete without a few Light Sussex hens which are one of the oldest and most popular breeds. Our stock comes from one of the best show strains in Hampshire and are outstanding birds in confirmation and colour. Apart from plenty of good size eggs the cockbirds can be reared on for the table and this year we produced some cracking birds between 8 lb and 10 lb at Christmas.



Light Sussex

Speckled Sussex we tracked down our fabulous Speckled Sussex from a Devon breeder who has specialised in these fabulous birds for a number of years. Both the hens and cockbirds are of a deep reddish brown with many feathers having a black bar and ending in white tips which get whiter with each moult with age. The egg numbers produced are excellent and the unwanted cockbirds make good table fayre.



Speckled Sussex

White Silkies a must for somebody who wants to hatch some eggs under a broody. After laying around 130 eggs a year their minds will turn to raising a family. Our stock are from exhibition stock and are of a good size and confirmation. White Silkie eggs and stock always command a high value and are an excellent choice. Please note due to the very difficult task of sexing silkies they are only available as hatching eggs, day olds as hatched and as pol.



White Silkies

Black Silkies a lot more of large fowl black silkies are about these days but most tend to be nothing more than large bantam silkies. Our pen of 4 second year hens and an unrelated cockbird are of good size and conformation for large fowl Black silkies. Please note due to the very difficult task of sexing silkies they are only available as hatching eggs, day olds as hatched, and as pol.



Black Silkies

Red Bantam Silkies A spectacular looking bantam red silkie, these birds are very eye catching with the usual traits of silkies i.e. making good mums etc. . Please note due to the

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Red Bantam Silkies

Welsummers we are running 2 breeding pens with hens and unrelated cockerels. One pen contains 6 hens and 2 cockbirds and the other pen 4 hens and a cockbird. The hens are from one of Dorset's top strains of Welsummers, while the cockerels are from a Welsh strain that lay the most fantastic brown eggs of excellent size and quality. Laying close to 230 eggs a year for those looking for quality brown eggs the Welsummer is a must.



Welsummers

Guinea Fowl we sell these birds in a variety of colours, white, Chocolate, Porcelain and Lavender. They are well known for their alarm call alerting householders to anything out of the ordinary. They are fantastic egg layers, producing a very hard shelled rich egg.

Bronze Turkeys. We have a small pen of Bronze Turkeys that regularly produce 100 plus eggs a year. The stags make 16 lb to 20 lb at Christmas and the hens 10 lb to 12 lb. We only have limited eggs and day olds so order early.



Price List

NEW FOREST POULTRY PRICE LIST 21/22 UTILITY BREEDS LARGE FOWL

	Fertile Eggs Each	Day Old Each	8 Week old pullets Each	18 Week old pullets Each			
French Copper Black Marans	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
French Copper Blue Marans	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
French Wheaten Marans	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Cream Crested Legbars. All day olds are female	£2.00	£6.00	£11.50	£23.00			
White Leghorns	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Cuckoo Marans	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Light Sussex	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Speckled Sussex	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Welsummers	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
European White Silkies	£2.50	£5.00	£15.00 (12 week olds)	£30.00			
European Black Silkies	£2.50	£5.00	£15.00 (12 week olds)	£30.00			
European Red Bantam Silkies	£2.50	£5.00	£15.00 (12 week olds)	£25.00			
Guinea Fowl, White, Chocolate, Porcelain and Lavender £1.80 £3.50 £10.00 £20.00							
Bronze Turkeys	£3.00	£5.00	£15.00	£40.00			

New Large Breeds

Araucana Blacks and Lavenders £2.00		£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Swedish Flowers Multi colours	£2.00	£3.50	£11.50	£23.00			
Our new lines of Pekin Bantams							
Blue Laced	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
Gold Laced	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
Blue Gold Laced	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
Silver Laced	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
Chocolate Laced	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
Splash	£4.00	£6.00	£15.00	£25.00			
American Silkies							
Black	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			
Blue	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			
Blue Splash	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			
Painted	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			
Blue Gold	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			
Chocolate	£4.00	£7.00	Not available	£30.00			

Stud cockerels of all breeds can be supplied at between £10.50 and £25.00 each for all breeds at 18 weeks. Older birds may be available (prices on application).

Price is for collection from Cadnam, New Forest, eggs can be sent by post at cost price £5.50 first class delivery for 6 or £7.00 for 12, or £10.00 next day signed for 6 eggs or 12 eggs £11.00 (Please note Royal Mail charge £3.00 more on a Friday for Saturday delivery!). All live birds are collection.