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TUESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2018

Prime Cattle - 34

Another good show of cattle and a few more handyweights assisting sales. Heavier cattle (680kg plus) remain selective but 500-620kg finding firm enquiry. Top today 245.5 pence per kilo for a cracking meated 606kg Limousin heifer from DA Harrison, Hill House. 500-600kg trading 220-238 topping at 238.5 pence per kilo for JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm. Steers to 218.5 pence per kilo for T Pearson, High Plasketlands.

Top gross £1617 for DA Harrison, Hill House (727kg Limousin Heifer)

HEIFERS

Limousin 245.50 236.50 228.50 Hill House (Harrison) 235.50 Mechi (Bowe) 238.50 223.50 Greenhill Farm (Little) 237.50 Hundith House (Lawson) 235.50 Nealhouse Farm (Studholme)

British Blue 211.50 Low House Farm (Skelton)

Charolais 217.50 High Plasketlands (Pearson)

Blonde 223.50 Mechi (Bowe) 219.50 Limekiln Nook (Bowman)

Aberdeen Angus 157.50 Limekiln Nook (Bowman)

STEERS

Limousin 218.50 High Plasketlands (Pearson) 203.50 The Thwaites (Dixon)

BULLS - 12

A lot of weight again with the majority over 700kg however top Pence per kilo to Messrs Bowe, Mechi (661kg) 225.5 pence per kilo.

Top gross: £1518 – Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall (773kg).

Limousin 225.50 200.50 Mechi (Bowe) 216.50 200.50 197.50Oughterside Mill (Lister) 208.50Lowside (Teasdale)

British Blue 194.50 Lowside (Teasdale)

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LAMBS - 1070

Todays lambs met a trade sharper than yesterday but easing on the week with the overall average being 190 pence per kilo or £83.50. Fewer Beltex lambs in todays sale with more Mule bred and heavy lambs about but for the moment 44 plus easier to cash for the commercial types. Handyweight Beltex and meated remain good to sell with A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm again leading the sale with a top of £139 for a pair of 42.4 Beltex lambs. This run of 21 lambs averaged £126.80 or 286 pence per kilo. Buyers requesting all classes of lambs contact Jimmy on 07827 966377.

Per Head

Beltex £139 £137 £135 £133 £131 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford)

Texel £100 £98 Highlaws House (Gilroy) £97 £92.50 Whitrigg Hall Farm (Twentyman) £94 High House (Norman) £94 Prospect House (Hodgson) £93 Lords Close (Hewetson) £92.50 Westward Parks (Brockbank)

Dutch Texel £93 £83.50 Mechi (Bowe)

Suffolk £92 £90 Shap Abbey (Bindloss)

Millenium Bleu £86 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Rouge £88 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Charollais £85.50 £85 £81 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Per Kg

Beltex 327.10 321.40 319.50 316.70 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford)

Texel 215.50 Grassgarth (Carruthers) 211.90 204.10 Holly Barn (Peile) 210.20 Whitrigg Hall (Twentyman) 208.50 Highlaws House (Gilroy) 208.30 High Garth Meadows (Pollock) 208.10 Kirkland Guards (Cape)

Dutch Texel 216.30 202.40 Mechi (Bowe)

Suffolk 195.70 180.40 Shap Abbey (Bindloss)

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PRIME EWES - 240

A good show of ewes and with meated types selling well to a top of £115 twice for Messrs Bindloss, Shap Abbey with ewes and Messrs G Spark, High Blaithwaite with a Beltex Tup.

A number of ewes looking lean enough and these harder to cash but returns remaining on par with recent weeks.

Mules to £76 for G Spark, High Blaithwaite

Swales to £53 G & A Watson, Paddigill.

Texel ££114 £105 £100 Inglewood Edge £110 Bog Hall (Robinson) £110 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £104 High Blaithwaite (Spark)

Beltex £115 Shap Abbey (Bindloss) £112 £109 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

Suffolk £111 Shap Abbey (Bindloss) £110 Bog Hall (Robinson)

Charollais £89 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Cheviot £77 £70.50 Inglewood Edge (Hall)

Mule £76 High Blaithwaite (Spark) £74 Paddigill (Watson) £72 Fell End (Taylor & Gill) £68 Shap Abbey (Bindloss)

Leicester £53 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge)

Swaledale £53 Paddigill (Watson)



