



THURSDAY 7th FEBRUARY 2019

Anniversary show and sale of Dairy Cattle together with
Sale of Calves & Stirks and Breeding Cattle

Calves and Stirks – 32

A good show of calves forward to a large crowd of buyers with several new faces in attendance pushing trade to a top of £535 for a July born blue bull from Messrs Hornsby, Rose Farm. Reared heifer stirks to £475 for blues from Messrs Hetherington, Crookdake House who also had blue steers to £465. Younger calves to £290 for Annshill Farm with blue bulls and heifers to £265 from the same home. More required next sale please.

Limousin Bull Stirk £420 £340 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Heifer Stirk £390 £375 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £370 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

Limousin Steer Stirk £390 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Bull Stirk £535 £500 £450 £440 £425 Rose Farm (Hornsby) £450 £420 Annshill Farm

British Blue Heifer Stirk £475 £465 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Steer Stirk £465 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirk £400 £370 Annshill Farm

Limousin Bull Calf £90 Yew Tree Farm (Peile)

Limousin Heifer Calf £155 £95 £90 Yew Tree Farm (Peile)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf £265 £230 Annshill Farm

British Blue Heifer Calf £265 £230 Annshill Farm

British Blue Bull Calf £290 Annshill Farm





Dairy – 22

The 5th Anniversary Show & Sale of Dairy Cattle produced a super entry of dairy cows and a large ringside of potential customers.

Competing for the Calvo Cup (kindly presented by the Bowe Family) Judge Shaun Sowray, Harrogate eventually picked a strong heifer from RH Carter & Son, Gerrard House as Champion and later backed his judgement at sale time to secure this 34kg heifer for £2000. Trade a useful go given the contractions in the milk price and this reinforced with 3rd calvers selling to £1780 for Messrs Richardson, Low Bank End.

Another good result and proving yet again that Wigton is an excellent venue to both purchase and sell dairy cattle.



Champion heifer consigned by RH Carter, Gerrard House together with Judge Shaun Sowray and sponsors Jack Male, Shire Leasing.





Holstein Dairy Heifer £2000 £1720 Gerrard House (Carter) £1700 Townend (Mounsey) £1550 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £1480 £1300 Jenkin Cross (Miller)

Holstein Dairy Cow £1820 £1780 Low Bank End (Richardson) £1350 Gerrard House (Carter)

Montbeliarde Dairy Heifer £1620 £1600 £1300 Townend (Mounsey)

Breeding Cattle

Today's sale of breeding cattle consisted of two herd dispersals, first in the ring was Messrs Foster, Fordham Farm, York who had 20 Limousin and Blue cross cows with angus calves at foot, these cows topped at £1500 on two occasions. This run of regular aged cows averaged £1250. Messrs Foster also had a run of Charolais, Limousin and Angus in calf heifers, these topped at £1350 for a fantastic Limousin heifer.

Next was the local dispersal from Messrs Fox, Gordon House who had a run of 27 cows and heifers pd in calf for late spring onwards. This run of cattle topped at £1170 for a Limousin heifer in calf to the Limousin bull. Top price cow was a second calver which made £1140.

Farmers are requesting more breeding cattle with spring fast approaching. Contact our Auctioneers or Field Staff to advise entries.

Luining Cow & Bull Calf £1100 Fordham Farm (Foster)

British Blue Cow & Bull Calf £1500 £1450 Fordham Farm (Foster)

South Devon Cow & Bull Calf £1080 £1040 Fordham Farm (Foster)

Limousin Cow & Bull Calf £1250 Fordham Farm (Foster)

British Blue Cow & Heifer Calf £1500 £1450 £1400 Fordham Farm (Foster)

Limousin Cow & Heifer Calf £1500 Fordham Farm (Foster)

South Devon Cow & Heifer Calf £1060 £1040 Fordham Farm (Foster)





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Aberdeen Angus In Calf Heifer £990 £970 £930 Fordham Farm (Foster) £880
Gordon House (Fox)

Charolais In Calf Heifer £1060 £1040 £950 Fordham Farm (Foster)

British Blue In Calf Heifer £1050 Gordon House (Fox)

Limousin In Calf Heifer £1350 £1300 Fordham Farm (Foster) £1170 £1140 £1000
Gordon House (Fox)

Aberdeen Angus In Calf Cow £900 Fordham Farm

Limousin In Calf Cow £1140 £1060 £1050 £1000 Gordon House (Fox)



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