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THURSDAY 2nd MAY 2019

Calves and Stirks - 47

A super show of calves with quality throughout and a bigger proportion of fresh calves finding ready homes. Stirks to £470 for Messrs Hetherington Crookdake House with British Blue Steers (6m) and heifers to £445 from the same home. 4 month Limousin to £395 from Messrs Whitfield, Balladoyle.

Young calves the best of the year so far with continentals £300+ for a very shapey 8 week Limousin bull from Messrs Eilbeck, Plumbland Farm. 2 month heifers to £330 for British Blue from Messrs Donald, The Ling. Herefords to £300 for 9 week old from Messrs Eilbeck, Plumbland Farm.

British Blue Steer Stirk £470 £455 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Heifer Stirk £455 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

Limousin Heifer Stirk £430 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £390 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Bull Stirk £395 £390 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Bull Calf £380 £360 £350 £340 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Limousin Heifer Calf £340 £Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £325 £310 High Pow (Jefferson)

British Blue Heifer Calf £330 £305 The Ling (Donald) £300 £280 High Pow (Jefferson)

British Blue Bull Calf £315 £305 High Pow (Jefferson) £310 £295 The Ling (Donald)

Hereford Bull Calf £300 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Simental Bull Calf £290 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Hereford Heifer Calf £245 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf £260 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf £195 Waverton House (Wannop)







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Dairy - 8

A nice show of dairy and a good trade dominated by a Montbeliarde x heifer from Messrs Mounsey, Townend. This very smart march calved heifer currently giving 34L and achieving £2020 at the same time after strong competition from several bidders. Fleckvieh cross heifers to £1520 for Messrs Pinguey, Haythwaite.

Montbeliarde Heifer £2020 £1400 Townend (Mounsey)

Fleckvieh Heifer £1520 Haythwaite Lane (Pinguey)

Holstein Cow £1380 £1300 Townend (Mounsey)

Ewes and Lambs - 47 Outfits

A nice show of outfits and increased competition around the ring with top prices for quality sheep to a top of £116 for a 3 shr Texel Ewe and super Beltex Tup lamb from Messrs Stoddart, Hillside and plenty of others £80 plus with shapey Beltex lambs.

Hoggs with singles very keenly sought after to a top of £95 for Texels from Messrs Ramsay, Dockray Hall.

Next Sale – Thursday 16th May – Show and Sale of Ewes and Hoggs with Lambs at foot.

Texel Ewes with Beltex Lambs £116 £108 £93 £90 Hillside (Stoddart)

Texel Hogg with Beltex Lambs £92 £89 £88 £86 £85 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)



