



SATURDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER 2019

'WIGTON WHITES'

A Fantastic catalogue entry of almost 5000 head attracted purchasers of continental breeding sheep from all over the country and credit must be given to the vendors for producing an outstanding entry of sheep.

Despite the fluctuations of the prime lamb ring, trade set off brightly and Ewes selling to a top of £310 for a pen of 3 shear pure Texel's from Messrs Armstrong, Highmoor Bungalows, Wigton. Strong competition continued throughout the shearlings to a top of £410 for a single Beltex from Messrs Lawson, Pasture House. Plenty of sheep £280 - £320 at the top end and the next out regularly trading over £200. More commercial sorts £150 - £180 throughout the sale. The Friday night show was kindly sponsored by Belle Vue Vets and ACT and our Judge Mr E Fawcett, Well House placed a super pen of Beltex x from Messrs Murray, Prior House as Champion and backed his Judgement at sale time securing the pen for £310.



Champion – 10 Beltex X Shearlings from Messrs Murray, Prior House





Ewes

Texel £310 £290 £270 (X2) Highmoor Bungalows (Armstrong) £195 £150 Fitz (Bell) £160 £135 Dundraw Farm £155 Browtop (Winter) £150 Thornby Road (Comish)

Beltex £160 Thornby Road (Comish)

Beltex X Texel £190 £185 (x2) £160 New Hall Farm (Skelton) £155 Thornby Road (Comish)

Kerry Hill £100 £60 (x2) Liddore (McNeil)

Shearlings

Texel £410 £210 £200 Pasture House (Lawson) £280 £240 £210 Glebe Court (Bartholomew) £220 Highmoor Bungalows (Armstrong) £220 £200 Durdar Road (Brough) £220 Clea Hall (Hill)

Beltex £310 £240 £215 Prior House (Murray) £280 £250 £220 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £250 £220 Green Farm (Elkington) £210 Snade (Wharton) £210 Loughrigg (Crichton)

Beltex x Texel £300 £290 £280 (x2) £270 £260 Glebe Court (Bartholomew) £280 Upper Cleugh Farm (Aitken) £280 New Hall Farm (Skelton) £260 £255 Derwentdale Farm (Barker)

Suffolk x £180 Glebe Court (Bartholomew) £180 £170 Hillside (Stoddart) £145 (x2) £140 Pasture House (Lawson)

Mule £120 (x2) £115 £110 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

Cheviot x Mule £138 £132 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

Dutch Texel £300 £280 £210 New Hall Farm (Skelton)

Millenium Bleu £130 £105 Foulisyke Farm (Bowe)

Kerry Hill £75 Liddore (McNeil)

Gimmer Lambs

A strong entry of continental Ewe lambs met a spirited trade for the better end with strong prices throughout. More commercial types harder to cash but trade settling at £80 - £90 for first cross lambs and £100 plus for tighter skinned sheep. The Champion pen of Ewe Lambs was produced by Messrs J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall and this outstanding pen sold to the Judge Messrs Stoddart for £190. Smaller pens of lambs finding firm enquiry at the top end selling to £300 from Miss Amy Bell, Kirkland Green with a Beltex x Texel and £280 twice from Messrs Peile, Greystoke Castle and Mr C Brough, Durdar Road.





Champion - 10 Gimmer Lambs from Messrs J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall

Texel £280 £200 Durdar Road (Brough) £155 £145 £125 £112 £108 Highmoor Bungalows (Armstrong) £135 Ivanhoe Livestock £112 Prospect House (Hodgson) £110 Lane End (Jackson)

Beltex £150 £138 £109 Snade (Wharton) £125 £122 £110 £105 Low Farm (Harryman) £99 Seymour Farms £96 £95 Ivanhoe Livestock

Beltex x Texel £300 Kirkland Green (Bell) £280 Greystoke Castle (Peile) £255 Hallrigg Farm (Graham) £220 £200 (x2) £190 £180 Hill Crest (Bell) £200 £190 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Dutch Texel £104 £86 £78 £75 £71 Abbots Close (Storr) £83 £76 Flimby Hall (Kirkbride) £82 Barkbeth (Ewart)

Millenium Bleu £118 £90 £88 £85 £80 Barkbeth (Ewart)

Suffolk x £95 £80 Town Head (Hird)

Charollais £73 Abbots Close (Storr)

Blue Texel £86 (x2) Ivanhoe Livestock

