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# THURSDAY 4TH MARCH 2021

## Calves & Stirks - 58

A tremendous entry of calves met the strongest trade this year. From the outset, established buyers competing with new and returning clients creating a very fast trade, to a top of £560 for a four month old British Blue Stirks from J & I Watson & Son, Moorhouse Farm. Heifers to £505 for RG & W Whitfield, Balladoyle Farm and Steer Calves to £500 for Messrs Hetherington, Crookdake House. The top ten in excess of £510 and more could have been easily sold. The highest average today went to RG & W Whitfield, Balladoyle Farm, whose run of six Calves averaged £506.67 per head. Come and have a look, we are on fire and we will be pleased to see you!!

Fresh Calves very good to sell with one month old Limousin Bull Calves to £365 for Messrs Eilbeck, Plumbland Farm and Heifers to £350 from the same home. British Blues to £300 for Bowness Farms, Gilcrux.

More Calves and Stirks required for our next Sale on Thursday 18th March. Please advise entries to the office for catalogue purposes on 016973 42202, David Bowman on 07721616786 or Rory Livesey on 07827966377

**Limousin Bull Stirk** £520 x 2 £510 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £470 Dundraw Farm (Harrison) £450 £435 x 2 £430 x 2 £420 Cobble Hall Barn (Nicholson)

**Limousin Heifer Stirk** £505 £500 £485 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

**Limousin Bull Calves** £365 £350 £345 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £280 £275 Bowness Farms Ltd

**Limousin Heifer Calves** £350 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

British Blue Bull Stirk £560 £550 £530 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £530 £520 £500 Crummock Bank (Young) £470 x 2 £460 x 2 £445 Dundraw Farm (Harrison)

**British Blue Steer Stirk** £500 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Heifer Stirk £475 Crummock Bank (Young) £460 x 3 Dundraw Farm (Harrison) £445 x 2 £440 £425 Dundraw Farm (Harrison)

British Blue Bull Calves £300 Bowness Farms Ltd

Charolais Heifer Stirk £355 Crummock Bank (Young)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirks £360 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £350 Dundraw Farm (Harrison)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves £345 £270 Plumbland Farm (Elibeck)



A consignment of six Limousin Bull Calves from J & L Nicholson, Cobble Hall Barn, Moorhouse, whose run averaged £433.33 per head



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British Shorthorn Heifer Stirks £295 Crummock Bank (Young)

Holstein Bull Calf £120 Bowness Farms Ltd

#### Dairy Cows - 4

A nice show of Dairy and easily sold to a top of £1950 for a 44kg 10 week calved Holstein Heifer from J & I Watson, Moorhouse Farm. 2<sup>nd</sup> Calvers to £1750 for a 42kg Cow from the same home. Friesian bred Heifers to £1750 for a smart fresh Heifer from GM & G Watson, Gaterigg Farm. Friesian Cows to £1750 from Messrs TH & MI Huddleston, The Green

Entries are invited for our next sale which is the Quarterly Show and Sale on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2021. Please advise of entries to the office for catalogue purposes.

Holstein Heifer £1950 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

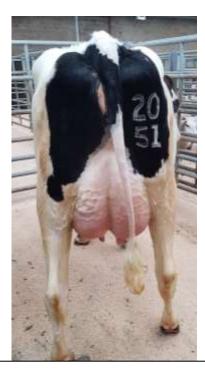
Friesian Heifer £1750 Gaterigg Farm (Watson)

Holstein Cow £1750 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Friesian Cow £1750 The Green (Huddleston)

More Dairy cattle required for our Anniversary Show and Sale on Thursday 18th March 2021.

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Contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or Rory Livesey on 07827 966377



Top priced Holstein Heifer today, giving 44kg and grossing at £1950 from J & I Watson, Moorhouse Farm, Wigton



The first sale of the year for Ewes with Lambs at foot, a consignment from RB & RAG Irving,
Anthorn Farm

### In Lamb Ewes – 118

A Beltex Shearling Ewe with one Beltex tup lamb at foot topped today at £125 per life from Seymour Farms. Four and Five crop Ewes with twins sold to £86 per life and four and five crop Ewes with triplets sold to £72 per life from RB and RAG Irving, Anthorn Farm

Leading Prices:

Beltex Ewe with Single Lamb £125 Seymour Farms

**Texel Ewes with Single Lambs** £98 £90 x 3 £82 Anthorn Farm (Irving)

**Texel Ewes with Twin Lambs** £90 £86 x 2 £84 £80 £76 Anthorn Farm (Irving)

Texel Ewes with Triple Lambs £72 Anthorn Farm (Irving)

