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Tuesday 20th April 2021

PRIME CATTLE – 25

A mixed show forward with a super Limousin Heifer topping at 283.5pkg for Messrs JE Studholme & Son, Nealhouse Farm, grossed at £1505.39. Top gross price today was a fantastic British Blue Heifer from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall, weighing 742kg and grossing to a top £1955.17. Top Bullock was a 700kg Limousin from Messrs Cape, Kirkland Guards grossing at £1739.50 More cattle required each week to for fill buyers requirements please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

STEERS

Limousin 254.5 Lessonhall (Steel) 248.5 243.5 Kirkland Guards (Cape)

Aberdeen Angus 245.5 Lessonhall (Steel)

HEIFERS

Limousin 283.5 Nealhouse Farm (Studholme) 269.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 268.5 233.5 West Farm (Miller) 258.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 249.5 242.5 233.5 x 2 Mechi (Bowe) 249.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) 230.5 Lessonhall (Steel) 229.5 226.5 East Mill (Gray)

British Blue 263.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Charolais 236.5 Greenhill Farm (Little)

YOUNG BULLS

A good show of Bulls to a top of 212.5pkg for a handy weighted Charolais from JJ Dixon, The Thwaites, which also reached top gross price at £1612.88.

Limousin 211.5 207.5 The Thwaites (Dixon) 211.5 Mechi (Bowe)

British Blue 207.5 203.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Charolais 212.5 The Thwaites (Dixon)

Belted Galloway 201.5 Mechi (Bowe)

Friesian 167.5 Newby Hall (Murray)



A super Limousin Heifer topped the pkg section at 283.5, weighing 531kg and grossing at £1505.39 from Messrs JE Studholme & Son, Nealhouse Farm



Two Prime Heifers from Regular Consignor Messrs J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall, Average Weight 700.5kg, Average Pkg 261.15, Average £1829.35





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PRIME LAMBS - 45

A nice show of lambs with some quality coming forward averaging 410pkg well in front of any other centres. Sale topped at £208 and 483.7p for a smart 43kg Beltex from Adam & Amy Bell, Thethwaite, Raughton Head.

Per Head

Beltex £208 £190 £189 £172 £169 x 2 £166 £165 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £180 £177 Sea View (Park) £180 Loughrigg (Crichton)

Texel £177 £139 Brayton Road (Atkinson) £168 £150 £149 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £141 Loughrigg (Crichton)

Suffolk £179 Loughrigg (Crichton) £163 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £154 Brayton Road (Atkinson)

Charollais £178 £146 Loughrigg (Crichton) £142 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

Dorset £147 £140 £135 Orton Rigg Farm (Hennessy) £147 Sea View (Park)

Per Kilo

Beltex 483.7 467.6 452.4 444.8 444.7 439.5 423.1 417.3 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 444.4 Loughrigg (Crichton) 437.0 413.8 Sea View (Park)

Texel 425.3 405.4 397.3 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 391.7 Loughrigg (Crichton) 370.7 361.2 Brayton Road (Atkinson)

Suffolk 416.3 Loughrigg (Crichton) 415.3 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 354.0 Brayton Road (Atkinson)

Charollais 423.8 384.2 Loughrigg (Crichton) 355.0 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

Dorset 358.5 Sea View (Park) 350.0 346.2 Orton Rigg Farm (Hennessy)



A single Charollais Lamb from Caleb Todhunter, Greyrigg House



A consignment of six Lambs from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg which averaged £167.33

Top Five Lambs £:£208 for a 43kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm
£190 for a 42kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm
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£180 for a pair of 43.5kg from A & C Park, Sea View
£180 for a pair of 40.5kg from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg

Top Five Lambs Pkg: 483.7 for a 43kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm 467.6 for a pair of 35.5kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm 452.4 for a 42kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm





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444.8 for a trio of 38.67kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm 444.7 for a pair of 38kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm

Top Averages for Lambs			
		Av	
Name	No	gross	Av Pkg
A & C Park, Sea View	5	£172.2	411.96
JJ Crichton, Loughrigg	6	£167.33	418.33
Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm	25	£167.08	429.73
l Atkinson, Brayton Road	5	£152.6	361.61
C Todhunter, Greyrigg House	1	£142.00	355.00
Mrs BS Hennessy, Orton Rigg Farm	3	£140.67	337.60

PRIME HOGGS – 1100

A more mixed show of quality with returns slightly less than the previous week yet the best end and well fleshed hoggs still commanding a premium. Sale averaged an astonishing 334.72p despite a dip in the trade nationwide. Sale topped at £220 for an outstanding meaty Beltex weighing 50kg and 462.2p for a smart 37kg Beltex both from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside, Wigton.

- 15 Spring Lambs sold in excess of £170
- 68 Pens & 374 Hoggs sold in excess of £160
- 27 Pens & 66 Hoggs sold in excess of 400ppkg
- 46 Pens & 160 Hoggs sold in excess of 380ppkg
- Top Six Hoggs £:£220 for a 50kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside
£216 for a 52kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
£200 for a pair of 46kg from Messrs Fell, Stanger Hill
£193 for a 47kg from JP Mason & Sons, East Farm
£190 for a 50kg from Messrs Fell, Stanger Hill
£190 for a 50kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside
- Top Five Hoggs Pkg: 462.2 for a 37kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside 442.7 for a pair of 37.5kg from CW Foster, Fordham Farm 441.2 for a 34kg from Skelton Contractors Ltd, New Hall Farm 440.0 for a 50kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside 438.1 for a 42kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside





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L W Aconley & Son, East Cawthorne sold a tremendous pen of 25 45kg Beltex to £170 & a pen of 22 40kg Beltex to £165 (412.5pkg).

J P Mason & Sons, East Farm sold a pen of 3 53kg Beltex to £188 & a 42kg Beltex to £182.

R N Scott, West Micklethwaite sold a smart 43kg Beltex to £173

C W Foster, Fordham Farm sold a smart pair of 37.5kg Beltex to £166 (442.6pkg) & a pen of 20 44kg Cheviots to £135

Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall sold 43kg Texel hoggs to £159, a pen of 12 42kg commercial type Texels to £139.50 and 46kg Suffolks to £137.50.

R E Miller, West Farm sold a 39kg Texels to £153

Messrs Rae, Greenah Villa sold heavy Suffolk hoggs to £150

D Tiffin, Swinsty Farm sold a pen of 37 Suffolk hoggs to £138.50 & a pen of 19 Mules to £130.

More Hoggs required each week contact Rory Livesey on 07827966377

Top Averages for Hoggs			
		Av	
Name	No	gross	Av Pkg
Messrs Fell, Stanger Hill	4	£193.50	403.13
J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall	25	£180.07	386.78
GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside	63	£170.00	394.03
JP Mason & Sons, East Farm	109	£169.46	345.91
Messrs S & D Peile, Parkgate	3	£167.33	353.52
LW Aconley & Son, East Cawthorne Farm	168	£163.97	374.83

Per Head

Beltex £220 £190 £188 £185 x 2 £184 £182 £180.5 £176 £173 x 2 £172 £171 £170 £169 £165 Hillside (Stoddart) £216 £188 £186 x 2 £185 £181 £179 £175 £168 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £193 £188 £186 £182 £180 £179 £177 £176 x 2 £175 x 2 £169 £166 £165 x 2 East Farm (Mason) £173 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £170 £169 £165 East Cawthorne Farm (Aconley) £169 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £166 £165 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) £166 Fordham Farm (Foster)

Texel £181 £170 x 2 £155 £154 £150 £149 x 2 £148 £146.5 £146 £145 x 2 £142 £140 New Hall Farm (Skelton) £159 £155 £144 £140 Allerby Hall (Miller) £157 £154 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) £155.5 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £153.5 Fordham Ford (Foster) £153 £152 £150 £147.5 £147 x 3 £146 £143 £140 West Farm (Miller) £147 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)

Blue Texel £200 £190 £184 Stanger Hill (Fell)

Suffolk X £155 £136 New Hall Farm (Skelton) £150 Greenah Villa (Rae) £140 x 2 Fordham Farm



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(Foster) £138.5 £127 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) £137.5 £124 Allerby Hall (Miller)

Charollais £157 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £134 £129 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Cheviot £145 £141.5 New Hall Farm (Skelton) £135 Fordham Farm (Foster) £128 Allerby Hall (Miller)

Mule £130 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) £117 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Kerry Hill £130 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Herdwick £88 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Per Kilo

Beltex 462.2 440.0 438.1 434.2 425.3 x 2 422.4 419.5 415.9 405.6 402.3 400.0 x 2 397.5 385.4 383.3 380.0 Hillside (Stoddart) 442.7 Fordham Farm (Foster) 433.3 410.6 389.1 376.5 East Farm (Mason) 427.3 423.4 415.4 410.0 404.3 389.5 387.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 411.6 391.3 387.0 383.6 373.1 East Cawthorne Farm (Aconley) 402.6 402.3 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 397.3 384.7 380.5 376.8 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) 390.5 Fir Trees Farm (Phillips) 384.1 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

Texel 441.2 414.3 377.1 358.1 356.4 356.1 353.8 350.9 342.9 336.1 333.9 x 2 330.1 New Hall Farm (Skelton) 392.3 385.1 384.8 359.8 352.0 346.8 West Farm (Miller) 369.8 359.8 337.0 335.0 Allerby

Hall (Miller) 340.8 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 339.1 Fordham Farm (Foster) 337.5 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Blue Texel 434.8 380.0 368.0 Stanger Hill (Fell)

Suffolk X 327.7 New Hall Farm (Skelton) 294.1 291.8 Allerby Hall (Miller) 287.0 x 2 Fordham Farm (Foster) 277.8 275.7 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) 259.2 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Charollais 339.5 287.7 Kiln Close (Grainger) 296.2 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Cheviot 322.2 312.4 New Hall Farm (Skelton) 305.8 Fordham Farm (Foster)

Mule 263.1 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) 247.2 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Kerry Hill 288.9 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Herdwick 258.8 Beck Farm (Harrison)

A pen of 37 Suffolk Hoggs from Dan & Pam Tiffin, Swinsty Farm reached £138.50

PRIME EWES – 43

A similar show in quantity as last week but trade still raising and up £15 on the previous week. Best Ewes to £160 for a Beltex from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall and Beltex Rams to £127 from the same home.

More Ewes of all categories required each week please contact David Bowman on 07721616786



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Beltex £160 £146 £138 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £149 Fordham Farm (Foster) £117 Holly Barn (Peile)

Texel £158 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin) £156 Loughrigg (Crichton) £132 £122 £114 High Hall (Thompson) £125 Kiln Close (Grainger) £120 Holly Barn (Peile) £114 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Suffolk £146 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman)

Charollais £111 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

RAMS - 2

Beltex £127 Parkgate Hall (Peile)



