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# FRIDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2021

# **'LADS NIGHT OUT AND SINGLE LADIES'**

### Single Ladies (73) - Ewes Sale Average: £330

The show was expertly judged by Miss Chloe Hunter, Cape Farm, Berrier. With a large selection of top quality gimmers to choose from Chloe awarded her Champion to a very powerful and stylish Beltex from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside Farm, Wigton which went on to top the sale selling for £580 to S & J Peile, Parkgate Hall, Waverton. Reserve Champion was awarded to C Skidmore, Needless Hall Farm which sold for £390 to the judge. Breeding females were in high demand with many selling in excess of £300.

Texel Gimmer – 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – J Bland, Clea Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Tanya Graham, Harley Croft

Beltex Gimmer
1<sup>st</sup> Prize & Champion – GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside
2<sup>nd</sup> Prize & Reserve Champion – C Skidmore, Needless
Hall Farm

Any Other Breed Gimmer 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside

#### Non-MV



Champion – GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside & Reserve Champion – C Skidmore with the Judge – Chloe Hunter

**Beltex** £580 £520 £410 (2) £400 £390 (2) £380 £360 (4) £350 (4) £340 £330 (2) £320 (2) £310 (2) £300 (4) Hillside (Stoddart) £390 £310 £300 £290 (2) £280 Needless Hall Farm (Skidmore) £380 £370 £320 £290 Harley Croft (Graham) £290 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £290 £275 Scalerigg House Farm (Armstrong)



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Suffolk £360 Hillside (Stoddart)

Texel £350 Clea Hall (Bland) £280 Balgray Hill (Cornthwaite)

Dutch Texel £300 Kirkhouse (Dean)

# Lads Night Out (118)- Tups Sale Average: £605.85



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1<sup>ST</sup> Prize Lamb from J Dixon & Sons. Lesson Hall

Hopes Auction company sold 118 Shearling and Ram Lambs at their annual show and sale. The judging was in the capable hands of Joanne Hall, Inglewood Edge, Dalston. A tremendous show of quality was put forward to the judging ring and after much deliberation the Champion was awarded to an outstanding shearling Beltex Ram from R. McCrone, Pasture Wood, Highbridge receiving the David Peile memorial cup. This Tup went on to top the sale selling for £3000 to Jonathan Wales, Thackwood, Raughton Head.

Reserve Champion was awarded to a Beltex shearling from KJ & CS Wilson, Wood Farm, Thursby which sold for £800 to Thomlinson, Croft House.

Tups with size and power were in most demand and there was a very high proportion of high prices with 26 Rams selling for over £800. Many averages were up over £100 per head on the year.

Texel Ram Lamb (MV) 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – J Hudson, Rigg House 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – J Hudson, Rigg House

**Texel Shearling** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – R McCrone, Pasture Wood 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – KJ & CS Wilson, Wood Farm Texel Shearling (MV) 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Majestic Texels 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Majestic Texels

**Beltex Ram Lamb** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall

**Beltex Shearling** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize & Champion – R McCrone, Pasture Wood 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize & Reserve Champion – KJ & CS Wilson, Wood Farm

**Any Other Breed** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – W Steel, Lesson Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Alex Bland, Clea Hall **Any Other Breed Ram Lamb** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – CP & J Brough, Buckabank 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – CP & J Brough, Buckabank



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MV

Texel £900 Low Wreah (Majestic Texels) £500 £300 (2) Rigg House (Hudson)

### Non-MV

Beltex £3000 £1200 £1000 £700 £650 Pasture Wood (McCrone) £1300 £1200 £1000 £950 £900 (2) £850 £600 Greystoke Castle (Peile) £1100 £1000 £950 £900 £720 £620 £600 The Green (Merrall) £820 £750 £600 £580 Farewell Grange (McCune) £800 £650 £600 The Croft (Jones) £750 (3) £700 £680 £620 £600 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £800 £650 Wood Farm (Wilson) £600 (2) £580 Hillside (Stoddart) £600 £580 £550 (2) £520 £500 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Dutch Texel £980 £780 £520 £500 £400 Kirkhouse (Dean) £300 (2) £250 Deer Park (Crawford)

Texel £950 £800 £720 £650 £580 Kirkhouse (Dean) £950 £820 (2) Wood Farm (Wilson) £820 £800 £250 Buckabank Farm (Brough) £750 £600 (2) Balgray Hill (Cornthwaite) £700 £580 £520 £480 £300 Dundraw Farm (Harrison) £480 Pasture Wood (McCrone)

Charollais £650 Clea Hall (Bland) £380 £350 Lessonhall (Steel)

Suffolk £400 £320 (2) Buckabank Farm (Brough)

Averages	No.	2020	No.	2021	
E J C Dean, Kirkhouse	5	£582	12	£653	(+125)
J Dixon & Sons, Lessonhall	5	£352	7	£500	(+148)
P McCune, Farewell Grange	5	£544	7	£687	(+143)
J Merrall, The Green	5	£710	7	£841	(+131)
S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall	25	£373	21	£517	(+144)
T, J & L Peile, Greystoke Castle	12	£702	10	£839	(+137)
KJ & CS Wilson, Wood Farm	8	£543	6	£765	(+128)



Champion – R McCrone, Pasture Wood

Reserve Champion – KJ & CS Wilson, Wood Farm

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