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# **Tuesday 15th February 2022**

## **PRIME CATTLE - 14**

Fewer cattle forward today than last week and overall quality easing, however trade at similar levels. Topping the pence per kilo section at 273.5pkg as well as the top gross section at £1777.50, a cracking 22-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 650kg from Messrs J Dixon & Son Ltd, Lesson Hall and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton. Closely followed by another 22-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 599kg, grossing at £1775.07 (264.5pkg) for DA Harrison & Co, Hill House and again purchased by local butcher Paul Harrison. Brother Tony Harrison purchased the third top pence per kilo of the day, a Charolais Heifer, weighing 624kg at 260.5pkg (£1625.52) for his Main Street Butchers Shop, Cockermouth, again from local vendor DA Harrison, & Co, Hill House.

Top Steer today at 233.5pkg, a 20-month-old Limousin, weighing 616kg from Messrs Gray & Sons, East Mill

All classes good to sell and more cattle required next week to match growing demand please Contact David Bowman on 07721 616786.

#### **HEIFERS - 10**

**Limousin** 273.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 264.5 Hill House (Harrison) 246.5 243.5 238.5 Mechi (Bowe) 233.5 232.5 Greenhill Farm (Little)

Charolais 260.5 Hill House (Harrison) 244.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Blonde 227.5 Mechi (Bowe)

## STEERS - 4

Limousin 233.5 231.5 East Mill (Gray)

Hereford 225.5 Sea View (Park)

Aberdeen Angus 223.5 Sea View (Park)

## BULLS - 2

Top Bull today, at 224.5pkg a 14-month-old British Blue, weighing 613kg from Ian Grainger, Kiln Close

British Blue 224.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

**Aberdeen Angus** 212.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

#### **PRIME HOGGS - 1283**

A respectable number forward with something for everyone, handy weights continue to command the highest premium yet hoggs with weight were a stronger trade than anticipated. The whole sale averaged 296pkg (-15p) SQQ 309pkg and a respectable £129.80 per head. Topping at £178 for an outstanding 43kg Beltex from T Trafford & Son, Peter House, Bassenthwaite and 436.1ppkg for a smart 36kg Beltex from J M Wharton & Son, Snade, Dunscore.







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Young James Lawson, Pasture House Farm, Bolton Low Houses kindly donated a tremendous 49kg Texel Hogg where all sale proceeds were donated to Abbeytown Football Club. It went on to sell for £240 to Paul Harrison of his King Street Butchers Shop.

32 Pens sold in excess of £160 per head

73 Pens & 245 Hoggs sold in excess of £150 per head

48 Pens & 125 Hoggs sold in excess of 370pkg

J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall sold a pair of 43.5kg Beltex to £176

J M Wharton & Son, Snade sold a pair of 45kg Beltex to £169

The Laurels, Dundraw sold a pair of 44kg Dutch Texels to £166

GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside sold a pen of 6 43.6kg Beltex to £166

R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge sold a pair of 44.5kg Beltex to £165 and a pen of 4 36kg to £154.50

D.A Harrison & Co, Hill House sold a 43kg Beltex to £165

RL & AR Phillips, Fir Trees Farm sold a 43kg Black Beltex to £165 and a pair of 42.5kg to £160.50

Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm sold a trio of 42kg Beltex to £163

T Greenbank, The Faulds sold a trio of 44.6kg Beltex to £163

W & SE Dickinson & Son, Kirkbarrow sold a pair of 41.5kg Beltex to £162.50

T Trafford & Son, Peterhouse Farm sold a pen of 5 42.6kg Beltex to £160

All classes of hoggs can be sold to advantage at Hopes Auction on a weekly basis to our growing ringside of buyers.

More Prime Hoggs of all classes required for next week contact Rory Livesey – 07827 966 377

Top Six Hoggs Averages £: £156.24 for 17 from Messrs Trafford & Son, Peterhouse Farm

£155.97 for 36 from Messrs J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall £151.35 for 43 from Messrs GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside £149.82 for 36 from Messrs A & B Fisher, Lairdlaugh £148.40 for 67 from Messrs R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

£148.27 for 30 from Messrs W & SE Dickinson & Son, Kirkbarrow

Top Five Hoggs £: £240 for a 49kg from James Lawson, Pasture House

£178 for a 43kg from Messrs Trafford & Son, Peterhouse Farm £176 for a pair of 43.5kg from Messrs J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall

£171 for a 40kg from Messrs JM Wharton & Son, Snade

£169 for a pair of 45kg from Messrs JM Wharton & Son, Snade







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Top Five Hoggs Pkg: 489.8 for a 49kg from James Lawson, Pasture House

436.1 for a 36kg from Messrs JM Wharton & Son, Snade

429.2 for a pen of 4 36kg from Messrs R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

427.5 for a 40kg from Messrs JM Wharton & Son, Snade

414.0 for a 43kg from Messrs Trafford & Son, Peterhouse Farm

#### Per Head

**Beltex** £178 £161 £160 £155 £154 £150 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) £176 £166 x 2 £161 £160 £157 £150 £146 £145 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £171 £169 £157 £156 Snade (Wharton) £166 £164 x 3 £160 £156 x 2 £155 £151 x 2 £147 Hillside (Stoddart) £165 £164.5 £154.5 £153.5 £152.5 £149.5 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £165 £160.5 £159 £158 £157 £156.5 £156 £155.5 £155 £150 £149.5 £146 £140.5 Fir Trees Farm (Phillips) £165 Hill House (Harrison) £163 £152 £143.5 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £163 The

Faulds (Greenbank) £162.5 £159.5 £155.5 £147.5 £147 £146 £142 £140 Kirkbarrow (Dickinson) £159.5 £158 £154.5 £153 £150 £148.5 £145.5 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) £156.5 £147.5 £145.5 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £155 £153 Pasturewood (McCrone) £150 £144 Low Aketon (Gate) £149 Grapes Barn (Strong) £145.5 £142.5 £141.5 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) £141 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

Texel £240 £151 £136 £132 Pasture House (Lawson) £154.5 £152.5 £146.5 £145.5 £145 £126 £125 High Hall (Thompson) £146.5 £144 £140 £136 £131 £130 x 3 £125 Allerby Hall (Miller) £142.5 £139 £130 £129 x 2 £125.5 Wellington Farm (Harrington) £141.5 West End Farm (Carrick) £137.5 £129 £126 Hill House (Harrison) £136 The Laurels Farm (Steel) £135 £134 £133 £128 £125 New House (Watson) £134.5 £126 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £129 £126.5 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £128 Pasturewood (McCrone) £125.5 Park House Farming (Blamire) £125 Micklethwaite Farm (Paisley)

**Dutch Texel** £166 £145 x 2 £140 £139 x 2 £120 The Laurels Farm (Steel)

**Charollais** £123 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £108 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

Suffolk £122 Hill House (Harrison)

**Mule** £112.5 £110 x 2 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £108.5 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Black Face £107.5 West End Farm (Carrick)

Jacob £106 The Laurels (Steel)



James Lawson standing proud with his 49kg
Beltex x Texel Hogg, which he kindly donated to
Abbeytown Under 9's Football Club, later went
on to sell to £240 and was purchased by Paul
Harrison for his King Street Butcher Shop.
James wanted to help toward the cost of a new
team strip for the under 9's football team.









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Herdwick £89 Grapes Barn (Strong)

#### Per Kilo

Beltex 436.1 427.5 400.0 375.6 Snade (Wharton) 429.2 411.2 403.0 378.9 Inglewood Edge (Hall) 414.0 375.6 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) 407.7 400.6 393.4 383.7 380.5 380.4 377.8 377.6 373.2 Fir Trees Farm (Phillips) 404.6 383.1 382.9 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 400.0 384.3 380.1 379.1 Hillside (Stoddart) 391.6 Kirkbarrow (Dickinson) 388.1 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 383.7 Hill House (Harrison) 382.8 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) 382.1 Grapes Barn (Strong)

**Texel** 489.8 368.3 Pasture House (Lawson) 363.1 348.8 342.4 335.9 High Hall (Thompson) 344.7 325.6 321.8 320.2 311.9 302.4 302.2 300 x 2 294.8 Allerby Hall (Miller) 329.1 West End Farm (Carrick) 326.3 New House (Watson) 323.5 Hill House (Harrison) 316.7 308.9 302.3 290.7 Wellington Farm (Harrington) 305.7 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Charollais 327.3 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

Suffolk 245.3 Hill House (Harrison)

**Dutch Texel** 377.3 315.2 269.0 The Laurels (Steel)

Black Face 254.1 West End Farm (Carrick)

**Mule** 242.3 238.7 238.4 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) 239.4 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) 230.2 Newton Field (Beaty)

Jacob 220.8 The Laurels (Steel)

Herdwick 211.9 Grapes Barn (Strong)

## PRIME EWES - 58

More ewes forward and trade back slightly on the previous week. All classes finding ready enquiry. Ewes to £171 for a Texel from Messrs LF Raven, Priestcroft.

Tups to £127 for a Charollais from Messrs Steel, Lessonhall.

More Ewes required each week to fill demand please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

Beltex £149 £139 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

**Texel** £171 £159 £146 £131 Priestcroft (Raven) £163 £143 £136 £122 £110 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £135 Kiln Close (Grainger) £129 Riggwood (Harington) £114 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)



Messrs Dickinson, Kirkbarrow sold a lovely run of 30 Hoggs to an average of £148.27 and a top of £162.50







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Suffolk £156 £139 Lessonhall (Steel) £120 Hill House (Harrison) £111 Newby Hall (Murray)

Mule £100 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £94 Riggwood (Harrington)

Swaledale £75 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

RAMS - 2

Charollais £127 Lessonhall (Steel)

Texel £118 Kiln Close (Grainger)





