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# THURSDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2022

## Calves & Stirks - 106

A big show of Calves and Stirks met a better than expected trade as previous sales at other centres reporting difficult trading.

Stirks selling well to a top of £550 on three occasions for Messrs Evans, Wheyrigg House, for 6-month-old British Blues.

Bullocks and Heifers selling to £600 for Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House, however taking the top price for a 7-month-old suckler bred Limousin Heifer at £645 from Messrs Twentyman, Harrison Farm, Kingside Hill.

Younger Calves to £380 for a 2-month-old British Blue Bulls from Messrs Brough & Son, Bolton Cottage Farm and Heifers to £355 for British Blues from the same home

More Calves and Stirks required for our next Sale on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022, contact the office on 016973 42202, David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500173273

| TOP 5 AVERAGES – CALVES & STIRKS             |    |          |
|--|----|----------|
| Name   | No | Av gross |
| Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House      | 3  | £600.00  |
| Mrs M Carr, Richmond Plains                  | 6  | £552.50  |
| Messrs Evans, Wheyrigg House                 | 3  | £550.00  |
| Messrs Bowness & Spedding, Galemire House    | 4  | £530.00  |
| Messrs RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm | 8  | £451.88  |

**British Blue Steer Stirk** £600 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £595 £585 £545 Richmond Plains (Carr) £535 Galemire House (Bowness & Spedding) £390 £370 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright)

**British Blue Bull Stirk** £550 x 3 Wheyrigg House (Evans) £465 £405 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £355 Annshill Farm (Steel)

**British Blue Heifer Stirk** £600 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £540 £525 x 2 Richmond Plains (Carr) £505 Galemire House (Bowness & Spedding) £390 x 2 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright) £385 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £350 Annshill Farm (Steel)

British Blue Bull Calves £380 £330 Bolton Cottage Farm (Brough) £340 £300 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £330 x 4 Dockray Farm (Pigg) £300 Mid Whinnow (Whinnow Farming Co) £270 £250 Rosewain Farm (Mattinson)

**British Blue Heifer Calves** £355 £350 Bolton Cottage Farm (Brough) £330 x 2 £300 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £290 £245 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd) £290 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright) £235 £200 £160 Rosewain Farm (Mattinson) £220 x 2 Dockray Farm (Pigg)

Limousin Bull Stirks £505 £495 £485 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

**Limousin Heifer Stirks** £645 Kingside Hill (Twentyman) £540 x 2 Galemire House (Bowness & Spedding) £445 £440 £420 x 2 £405 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Bull Calves £300 £275 £255 £245 x 2 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)

Limousin Heifer Calves £340 £280 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £285 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)





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Aberdeen Angus Steer Stirk £330 x 2 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirk £435 x 2 £390 x 2 £385 x 3 £380 x 2 Annshill Farm (Steel)

**Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirk** £410 x 2 £405 x 3 £390 x 2 £320 x 2 Annshill Farm (Steel) £300 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Friesian Bull Calves £145 x 2 Mid Whinnow (Whinnow Farming Co)

Holstein Bull Stirks £145 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright)

**Holstein Bull Calves** £160 x 2 Bolton Cottage Farm (Brough)

Holstein Heifer Calves £95 Mid Whinnow (Whinnow Farming Co)

Simmental Bull Calves £90 Crosshill Farm (Wilson)

Simmental Heifer Calves £120 Crosshill Farm (Wilson)

## **Quarterly Show and Sale of Dairy Cattle - 40**

Our Quarterly Show attracting a super entry of Dairy Cattle with quality throughout the penning and a large crowd of buyers keen to source Dairy Cattle. The pre-sale show was ably judged by Mr Joseph Harrison, Baggrow Farm, who selected a super 34kg Heifer as the days Champion from How End Farms, Thursby. This powerful Holstein x Norwegian Red Heifer attracted much attention prior to being sold for £2550.

How End Farms also produced the highest priced Cow with a 50ltr 3<sup>rd</sup> Calver with 5.2% Butter Fat and 3.8% Protein selling to £2500

Powerful cattle good to sell with a 3<sup>rd</sup> Calver from Gerrard House at £2400

More Dairy required for our next Sale on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022, please contact David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500173273

| TOP 3 AVERAGES – DAIRY CATTLE  |    |          |
|--------------------------------|----|----------|
| Name                           | No | Av gross |
| Gerrard House Farm Ltd, Wigton | 2  | £2025.00 |
| How End Farms, Thursby         | 21 | £2021.50 |
| Whinnow Farming Co, Thursby    | 3  | £2016.67 |

**Holstein Cow** £2500 £2050 x 3 £2000 £1950 x 2 £1500 £1150 x 2 How End Farms (Swainson) £2400 Gerrard House Farm (Carter) £2000 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

Norwegian Red Cow £2350 £2300 £1650 How End Farms (Swainson)

Holstein Heifer £2150 £2000 £1850 x 3 £1700 How End Farms (Swainson) £2100 £2000 £1950 Mid Whinnow (Whinnow Farming Co) £1650 Gerrard House Farm (Carter) £1650 Gaterigg Farm (Watson) £1600 £1500 Stoneraise (Armstrong)

Norwegian Red Heifer £2550 £2100 How End Farms (Swainson)

In Calf Heifers £1450 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)







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# **CHAMPION**

Lot 29 – A half Norwegian Red Heifer, four weeks calved, giving 34ltr, from How End Farms, Thursby, sold to £2550

## Store Lambs - 2031

Once again Hopes Auction Co Ltd had a real buzz about the place and saw every pen filled to the maximum with another large run of Store Lambs, in excess of 2000 were forward taking advantage of the strong ringside of buyers that Hopes Auction offer.

Top price of the day £190 for a tremendous pair of Beltex Lambs from Messrs MA & J Thompson, High Hall, Westward who also followed up with another quality pen at £148.

The Store Lamb ring at Hopes drew numerous first-time vendors, which included the top two averages, Messrs Wood, Well Head Farm, Dean went on the sell a run of 21 to an average of £137.62 and Messrs Parsons, Slealands, Longtown sold a run of 19 to an average of £132.47.

Messrs Blindloss, Shap Abbey forwarded another tremendous run of 223 lambs which were a credit to them, and they went on to average £110.20.

Many more Store Lambs are required for the next sale which will be held on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022, for further details please contact David Fearon on 07500173273

| TOP 5 AVERAGES – STORE LAMBS       |    |          |
|------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Name                               | No | Av gross |
| Messrs WH & F Wood, Well Head Farm | 21 | £137.62  |
| Messrs Parsons, Slealands          | 19 | £132.47  |
| Messrs JM Wharton & Son, Snade     | 61 | £126.33  |
| Messrs Richardson, Low Garth       | 17 | £126.29  |
| K Hodgson, Prospect House          | 17 | £124.88  |







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Beltex £190 £148 £137 £134 £124 £121 £120 High Hall (Thompson) £147 £126 £124 Low Garth (Richardson) £145 £128 Slealands (Parsons) £141 £136 £130 Well Head Farm (Wood) £135 £132 £131 £123 £120 Snade (Wharton) £134 Orton Rigg Farm (Hennessy) £134 Horsley Hill Farm (Hall) £133 £126 £124 Keskadale (Harryman) £131 £130 £128 £126 £124 £123 £123 x 2 Shap Abbey (Bindloss) £130 x 2 £125 £124 £123 £120 Prospect House (Hodgson) £129 £125 £123 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £127 x 2 £124 School Farm (Wannop) £125 Hunley (Errington) £122 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £122 Walton Wood Head (Oliver) £121 Brackenslack (Millman) £120 Sycamore House (Skelton)

**Dutch Texel** £126 £123 £118 £112 Woodhead Farm (Storey) £125 £117 £112 Birchcraig Farm (Rayson) £124 £115 High Fell Farm (Bell) £120 £116 £113 Low Houses (Bell)

**Texel** £124 £108 £105 Hill Green Farm (Naylor) £122 £120 x 2 £115 £113 £108 Stone Garth (Ostle) £117 £114 x 2 Lees Hall Farm (Howard) £116 £111 £102 Haltcliffe Bridge (Tweddell) £114 £110 Roundhill Farm (Harrison) £114 £104 Winston Terrace (Stamper) £110 High Old Shield (Metcalfe) £109 Hudscales (Cowx) £108 Croft End Farm (Fisher) £106 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Suffolk £100 The Cottage (Irving) £80.5 Beck Farm (Harrison)

Millenium Blue £97 £96 £93 Rosemount (Jackson)

**Dutch Spotted** £97 Hunley (Errington)

Mule £66 High Bewaldeth (Meadley)



