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THURSDAY 27TH OCTOBER 2022

Calves & Stirks – 97

Another bumper show of Calves and Stirks were on offer at Hopes Auction Co, with qualities forward for all requirements.

Topping today, a 5-month-old Limousin X Heifer from John Greenop, Bridgebank, Wigton, selling for £680 to noted farmers Messrs Watson, Cunningarth.

The Calves throughout the sale saw a mixed demand with British Blue Calves and Aberdeen Angus Calves particularly good to sell. Topping the Calves, still on milk was a pen of three 10-week-old British Blue Heifers from Messrs Wright, Tarnrigg Moor selling to a very respectable £390

More Calves and Stirks required for our next Sale on Thursday 10th November 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 NJ & JM Todhunter, Greyrigg House	2	£570.00
Messrs Hughes, Seaville Farm	4	£512.50
Messrs Law, Noble Croft	2	£485.00
Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House	3	£470.00
Messrs RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm	8	£408.75

Limousin Bull Stirks £430 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Heifer Stirks £680 Bridgebank (Greenop) £570 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £480 x 2 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £480 Noble Croft (Law)

Limousin Bull Calves £295 £270 £260 £170 Greenrigg (Graham Farms) £200 Hazel Head (Harrison)

Limousin Heifer Calves £220 Greenrigg (Graham Farms)

British Blue Steer Stirk £600 £440 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Bull Stirk £580 £560 Greyrigg House (Todhunter) £490 Noble Croft (Law) £360 Syke House (Watson) £350 £340 £310 Pelutho Grange Farm (Whitfield) £350 £330 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £330 £300 £285 £270 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £330 Dykesfield (Armstrong) £310 Greenrigg (Graham Farms)

British Blue Heifer Stirk £400 x 3 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £395 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £370 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £300 £290 Pelutho Grange Farm (Whitfield) £260 Oulton Grange (Carruthers) £230 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £220 Dykesfield (Armstrong)

British Blue Steer Calves £370 x 3 £310 x 2 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright)

British Blue Bull Calves £310 £220 Greenrigg (Graham Farms) £300 x 2 £250 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £290 Hazel Head (Harrison) £290 Syke House (Watson) £215 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

British Blue Heifer Calves £390 x 3 £360 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright) £240 £230 £160 Hazel Head (Harrison) £230 Tallentire Hill Farm (Brough) £220 x 2 £190 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £160 £150 Flatt Bank (Harrington)







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Simmental Heifer Stirks £510 Seaville Farm (Hughes)

Hereford Steer Stirk £485 x 2 Seaville Farm (Hughes)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirk £390 x 2 £345 x 2 £310 Annshill Farm (Steel) £385 £280 Dykesfield (Armstrong) £290 x 2 £245 Pelutho Grange Farm (Whitfield)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirk £310 x 2 £250 x 2 £240 Annshill Farm (Steel) £235 x 2 Pelutho Grange (Whitfield)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves £200 x 2 Tallentire Hill Farm (Brough)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calves £160 Tallentire Hill Farm (Brough)

Montebelaird Bull Stirks £160 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

Dairy Cattle - 2

Top today at £1800 for a very fresh calved Red Ayrshire Heifer from Crosshill Farm Ltd, Wigton. A 6th Calved Cow from Messrs Armstrong, Stoneraise grossed at £1180 More Dairy required for our next Sale on Thursday 10th November 2022, please contact David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500173273

Ayrshire Heifer £1800 Crosshill Farm Ltd (Wilson)

Holstein Cow £1180 Stoneraise (Armstrong)

Store Lambs - 1200

Wigton's Store Lambs saw a very respectable show of Lambs forward with a slightly quieter ringside of buyers.

Thursday 27th October saw the Show and Sale of 1200 Store Lambs very aptly judged by Mr Thomas Skelton, ably assisted by his father Mr Anthony Skelton, who awarded the first prize rosette to Messrs Hewson Wood, Well Head Farm, Dean.

Trade from start to finish was steadier as a knock-on effect to the Prime Ring.

Top price of the day was paid for a Beltex weather from Messrs Richardson, Low Garth, Bewaldeth and sold to £150, with their second pen also selling for £138.

The first prized pen of 10 continental lambs from Messrs Wood went on to sell for a very respectable £130, which sold to the Judge on behalf of Mr T Mason, East Farm, Malton. The second pen from Well Head was a pen of 11 also selling for a very respectable £132, with their run of 42 lambs averaging £128.45

A consignment of 90 Herdwick X Texel Lambs from Geoff Thompson, Newtown Farm, Silloth went on to average £74.25

More Store Lambs are required for the next sale which will be held on Thursday 10th November 2022, for further details please contact David Fearon on 07500173273

TOP 4 AVERAGES – STORE LAMBS		
Name	No	Av gross
WH & F Wood, Well Head Farm	42	£128.45
K Hodgson, Prospect House	10	£127.60
Messrs Richardson, Low Garth	18	£121.89
Messrs Cape, Kirkland Guards	21	£116.67







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SHOW AND SALE OF STORE LAMBS					
	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize		
Pen of 10 Lambs	WH & F Wood, Well Head Farm	TR & EA Milburn, Wallend Farm	MA & J Thompson, High Hall		





Champion Store Lambs

Pen of 10 Continental Lambs from Messrs WH & F Wood, Well Head Farm, Dean sold to £130 and their run of 42 averaged £128.45

Hewson Wood with Judge Mr Thomas Skelton

Beltex £150 £138 £128 Low Garth (Richardson) £133 £119 Kirkland Guards (Cape) £132 £130 £127 £121 Well Head Farm (Wood) £130 £129 £120 Prospect House (Hodgson) £125 High Park Foot (Telford) £120 £116 X 2 High Hall (Thompson) £118 £116 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £117 £111 Flimby Hall Farm (Kirkbride) £117 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £115 Mill Street (Hague) £112 Grange Farm (Lister) £111 Grange View (Monkhouse) £111 Sycamore House (Skelton)

Texel £113 £107 £100 £97.5 £94.5 £90 The Height (Irving) £110 £107 Grange View (Monkhouse) £108 £107 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £101 £96 £91 High Park Foot (Telford) £100 £94 Mill Street (Hague) £98 Row Brow Park (Hartley) £96 £92 Homilton Farm (Hickson) £92 Stone Garth (Ostle)

Dutch Texel £113 £105 £103 £100 Birchcraig Farm (Rayson) £112 High Fell Farm (Bell) £110 £106 £101 Low Houses (Bell)

Blue Texel £111 Stone Garth (Ostle)

Dutch Spotted £105 £93 Grange View (Monkhouse)







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Charollais £88 Flimby Hall Farm (Kirkbride)

Mule £76 Stone Garth (Ostle)

Herdwick £74.5 £74 Newtown Farm (Thompson)



A run of 90 Herdwick X Texel Lambs from Geoff Thompson, Newtown Farm, Newtown, Silloth, averaged £74.25



