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THURSDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 2022

Calves & Stirks - 109

Calves and Stirks again on fire, selling to a packed ringside of buyers, with a full range of ages, ensuring there was something for all purchasers

Topping at £585, a pen of three 15-month-old British Blue Steer Stirks from Messrs Carr, Richmond Plains, 8-month-old British Blue Steers Stirks selling to £540 from Messrs Carruthers, Oulton Grange. Heifers Stirks selling to £560 for a pair of 10-month-old British Blues from Messrs Evans, Wheyrigg House, closely followed by a pair of 15-month-old Blues from Messrs Carr, Richmond Plains Bull Stirks selling to £410 for a pen of three 4-month-old Limousin Bulls from regular consignor RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm

Younger Calves topping at £360 for a cracking 3-month-old British Blue Heifer from Messrs Eilbeck, Plumbland Farm

Limousin Bull Calves selling to £290 for a 7-week-old from Graham Farms Ltd, Greenrigg Bulls averaged £263.89 Heifers averaged £274.69 Steers averaged £445.45



Please note our next sale of Calves and Stirks will be our Christmas Show and Sale on Thursday 8th December 2022, with Judging commencing at 10am and the classes are as follows: -

Heifers under 3 months Heifers over 3 months Males under 3 months Males over 3 months

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 Carr, Richmond Plains	5	£571.00
Messrs Evans, Wheyrigg House	2	£560.00
Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House	4	£515.00
Messrs RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm	6	£447.50
Messrs Steel, Annshill Farm	12	£377.50

British Blue Steer Stirk £585 x 3 Richmond Plains (Carr) £540 Oulton Grange (Carruthers) £525 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £435 £400 £370 Gaterigg Farm (Watson)

British Blue Heifer Stirk £560 x 2 Wheyrigg House (Evans) £550 x 2 Richmond Plains (Carr) £505 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £335 £220 x 2 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)







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British Blue Bull Calves £310 x 2 £285 £280 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £290 £285 £255 Oulton Grange (Carruthers) £255 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £210 Greenrigg (Graham Farms) £150 Wheyrigg House (Evans)

British Blue Heifer Calves £360 £195 x 2 £190 x 3 £165 £160 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £350 Gaterigg Farm (Watson) £230 £210 £170 Greenrigg (Graham Farms) £220 Dykes Field (Armstrong)

Limousin Bull Stirks £410 x 3 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £300 Dykes Field (Armstrong)

Limousin Heifer Stirks £490 £485 £480 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Bull Calves £290 Greenrigg (Graham Farms) £200 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Limousin Heifer Calves £265 x 2 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £150 x 2 Greenrigg (Graham Farms)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirk £385 x 2 £380 x 2 Annshill Farm (Steel) £300 Thackthwaite Hall (Sanderson)

Aberdeen Angus Steer Stirk £175 x 2 Gaterigg Farm (Watson)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirks £390 x 2 £375 x 4 £360 x 2 Annshill Farm (Steel)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calves £155 x 2 Gaterigg Farm (Watson)

Fleckvieh Bull Calf £150 Fairladies Farm (Clark)

Dairy Cattle - 2

A small show of Dairy today but not lacking in any quality, with a super 14 days, 2nd Calved Holstein Cow, giving 36ltrs topping the market at £2150 for Messrs Harrington, Flatt Bank

A fresh calved Holstein Heifer giving 26ltrs selling to £1550 from the same home



Please note our next sale of Dairy Cattle will be our Christmas Show and Sale on Thursday 8^{th} December 2022, with Judging commencing at 11am and the classes are as follows: -

Holstein Heifer
Any Other Breed Heifer
Holstein Cow
Any Other Breed Cow

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Holstein Cow £2150 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

Holstein Heifer £1550 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

Sale of Store Lambs - 858

The fortnightly sale of store lambs at Hopes Saw a very two-tiered show forward. A strong ring side of buyers were forward ensuring the top quality and stronger lambs exceptionally good to sell but the smaller weathered lambs slightly harder to sell with a larger proportion forward. Top price of the day was achieved twice, firstly for a Beltex weather from Hewson and Tracey Wood, Well Head and secondly, another Beltex from Messrs Harrington, Riggwood, Bewaldeth.





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Top quality Beltex are still very strongly bid for, with more required, but smaller weathered lambs still looking well sold for the quality

TOP 4 AVERAGES – STORE LAMBS		
Name	No	Av gross
B Strong, Grapes Barn	23	£119.70
S Dalton, Greenside	44	£116.86
WC & E Bell, Low Houses	56	£115.23
E & P Skelton, Sycamore House	51	£113.06

Beltex £137 £124 £116 Well Head Farm (Wood) £137 Riggwood (Harrington) £135 x 2 £129 £126 £116 Sycamore House (Skelton) £131 £128 Grapes Barn (Strong) £129 x 2 £126 Low Houses (Bell) £127 £122 £120 Greenside (Dalton) £122 £117 £116 x 2 £115 High Hall (Thompson) £120 Low House (Dickinson) £119 Grange View (Monkhouse) £119 £114 Birchcraig Farm (Rayson) £118 Braithwaite Farm (Clark) £116 Grange Farm (Lister) £114 Hunley (Errington)

Dutch Spotted £120 £112 x 2 £102 Thornbarrow Farm (Gibson)

Dutch Texel £119 Low Houses (Bell)

Texel £111 £105 £92 Wardhall Guards (Mounsey) £97 £91 £90 £88 £86 x 2 £80 Low Blaithwaite (Bell) £88 High Hall (Thompson) £86 Riggwood (Harrington) £82 x 2 Whins Farm (Hunter) £80 Hudscales (Cowx)

Suffolk £94 High Hall (Thompson) £81 Whins Farm (Hunter)

Mule £82 £80 Rosemount (Jackson)

Herdwick £66 Low Blaithwaite (Bell)



