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### **TUESDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2022**

### PRIME CATTLE - 18

A smaller show than expected with trade producing similar returns, to a top of 298.5pkg (£2011.89) for a super 674kg Limousin from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg, which was top gross of the day and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop. More Bullocks forward to a top of 284.5pkg (£1877.70) for a Limousin weighting 660kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and purchased by Tony Harrison for his Main Street Butchers Shop, Cockermouth

Bulls to a top of 260.5pkg (£1607.29) for a Limousin weighting 617kg from RE Miller, West Farm. Top gross bull from the same home sold to £1906.21 (254.5pkg) and weighed in at 749kg

Overall Averages - Bullocks 248.85pkg Heifers 272.29pkg Bulls 232.11pkg

Bullocks	Sold	Averages	Max
551-650kgs	1	255.50	255.5
651+kgs	6	247.91	284.5
<b>Heifers</b>	Sold	Averages	Max
501-590kgs	4	285.39	293.5
591+kgs	7	266.03	298.5
<b>Bulls</b> 551-650kgs 651+kgs	<b>Sold</b> 5 1	<b>Averages</b> 226.63 254.50	<b>Max</b> 260.5 254.5

Weight	Breed	Vendor
660	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
652	Charolais	JS Wilson & Son, Bowscale
576	Charolais	JS Wilson & Son, Bowscale
671	Limousin	A & C Park, Sea View
678	Limousin	D Hodgson, Croft Farm
	660 652 576 671	660 Limousin 652 Charolais 576 Charolais 671 Limousin

Top 5 Heifers			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
298.5	674	Limousin	JJ Crichton, Loughrigg
285.5	547	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
284.5	646	Limousin	JJ Crichton, Loughrigg
283.5	556	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
279.5	565	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm

Top Bulls Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
Perice per kg	weight	breeu	venuor
260.5	617	Limousin	RE Miller, West Farm
257.5	604	Limousin	RE Miller, West Farm
254.5	749	Limousin	RE Miller, West Farm
224.5	618	British Blue	I Grainger, Kiln Close
199.5	585	Friesian	I Grainger, Kiln Close
PER KILO			

#### **BULLOCKS - 7**

Limousin 284.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 254.5 Sea View (Park) 253.5 Croft Farm (Hodgson) 201.5 Pow Bank (Bowman)

Charolais 259.5 255.5 Bowscale (Wilson) 240.5 Sea View (Park)







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#### **HEIFERS - 10**

**Limousin** 298.5 284.5 Loughrigg (Crichton) 285.5 283.5 279.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 268.5 256.5 253.5 Mechi (Bowe)

British Blue 254.5 247.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

BULLS - 6

Limousin 260.5 257.5 254.5 West Farm (Miller)

British Blue 224.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Friesian 199.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Simmental 191.5 High Woodend (Dickinson)

#### **PER HEAD**

#### **BULLOCKS - 7**

Limousin £1877.70 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £1718.73 Croft Farm (Hodgson) £1707.70 Sea View (Park) £1515.28 Pow Bank (Bowman)

Charolais £1691.94 £1471.68 Bowscale (Wilson) £1625.78 Sea View (Park)

#### **HEIFERS - 11**

**Limousin** £2011.89 £1837.87 Loughrigg (Crichton) £1641.60 £1619.06 £1543.82 Mechi (Bowe) £1579.18 £1576.26 £1561.69 Greenhill Farm (Little)

British Blue £1819.13 £1758.60 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

BULLS - 6

Limousin £1906.21 £1607.29 £1555.30 West Farm (Miller)

British Blue £1387.41 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Simmental £1217.94 High Woodend (Dickinson)

Friesian £1167.08 Kiln Close (Grainger)

# SPRING LAMBS – 1115

More about and a significant lift in quality and trade with 87 pens in excess of £135, producing an SQQ of 281.07pkg and a top of 407.3pkg for a 41kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm, whose average run of 34 lambs averaged £143.34

Top gross per head £190 for a 49kg Beltex from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall and her run of 13 averaged £157.69

Top average today at £168.63 for a run of 8 went to Messrs A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm

Pleasing to see a much improved show of quality easily handled by an increased ring of buyers. Commerical lambs also benefitting from the rise in trade with 1st cross £110-£120 depending on the weight.

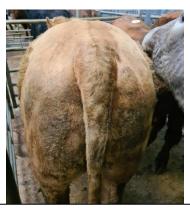
Overall Averages - Prime Lambs 276.27pkg

 Prime Lambs
 Sold
 Averages pkg
 Max pkg

 25.5-32kgs
 1
 231.25
 231.30



On the left lot 323 a Limousin Heifer, 256.8pkg (£1641.60) weighing 640kg from Messrs Bowe, Mechi and on the right lot 324 a Limousin Heifer, 284.5pkg (£1837.87) weighing 646kg from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg, both Heifers purchased by the Harrison Brothers for their Butchers Shops in Wigton and Cockermouth



Lot 326 A Charolais Steer, weighing 676kg selling to 240.5pkg (£1625.78) from Messrs A & C Park, Sea View, St Bees and selling to Jamie Chapman Butchers Ltd, Wishaw







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32.1-39kgs	48	273.77	405.40
39.1-45.5kgs	803	281.50	407.30
45.6-52kgs	256	263.82	387.80
Over 52.1kgs	10	234.45	259.30

£168.63 for 8 from A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm Top Five Lambs Averages £:

£157.69 for 13 from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£152.56 for 52 from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge £149.36 for 25 from D Batty, Cobble Croft

£148.83 for 6 from D Jones, The Croft

Top Seven Lambs £: £190 for 1 weighing 49kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£181 for 1 weighing 47kg from A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm

£175 for 1 weighing 44kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall £170 for 1 weighing 47kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£169 for 1 weighing 45kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

£169 for 1 weighing 45kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£169 for 1 weighing 46kg from A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm

Top Five Lambs pkg: 407.3 for 1 weighing 41kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

405.4 for 3 weighing 37kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

397.7 for 1 weighing 44kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall 387.8 for 1 weighing 49kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

386.0 for 8 weighing 39.25kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

#### **PER HEAD**

Beltex £190 £175 £170 £169 £163 £160 £157 £151 £143 Greenah Hall (Rae) £181 £169 £168 x 2 £159 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford) £169 £162.5 £156 £155 £149 West Farm (Miller) £168 x 2 £161 £160 £158 £156 £153 £151.5 £150 £145 £143 £140 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £167 £160 £158 £154 £152 £151 £150 £147.5 £144 x 2 £143 £141.5 £141 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) £163 £143 Holly Barn (Peile) £158 £146 £145 £140 The Croft (Jones) £153 £150 Low Aketon (Gate) £145 £143 £140 x 2 West Micklethwaite (Scott)

Dutch Texel £166 £160 £152 £151 £128 Cobble Croft (Batty) £146 £142 £135 £124 Mechi (Bowe)

Messrs GN Bowe, Bothel Parks sold 13

Texel Lambs to a top of £158 and an

average of £139.77

A run of 34 Beltex Lambs sold to a top of 407.3pkg and an average of £167 for WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

Texel £158 £148 £142 £139 £137 £135 £134 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £152 Prospect Farm (Gray) £141 £130 £126 £125 £123.5 £121 Heggle Lane (Richardson) £140 x 2 Mechi (Bowe) £140 £126 £124.5 Pasturewood (McCrone) £139 £137 £128.5 £123 x 2 The Thwaites (Dixon) £139 £127 £121 Hill House (Harrison) £137 £124 £120 x 3 Allerby Hall (Miller) £134 x 2 £126.5 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £133.5 £124 £120 West Farm (Miller) £133 £128 £125 Dockray Hall (Ramsay) £130 £123 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £130 £122 £120.5 £120 Low Blaithwaite (Bell) £130 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £129 £126 x 2 £121.5 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £126 x 2 £125.5 £124 £123 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £123 Prior Hall (Hall) £122.5 £122 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £122 Holly Barn (Peile) £120.5 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Charollais £140 Mechi (Bowe £127.5 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Suffolk £120 £117.5 Prior Hall (Hall) £114 £108 Cape Farm (Hunter) £112 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £104 Hill House (Harrison)

Cheviot £115 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Mule £110 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £108 Newlands Farm (Gill) £105 Fell View Farm (Fearon) £100 £94.5 Brownrigg Farm (Benn)

Herdwick £84.5 Low Blaithwaite (Bell)





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#### **PER KILO**

Beltex 407.3 366.7 357.1 356.3 353.8 353.5 352.5 351.2 351.1 347.5 342.9 339.2 333.3 325.9 322.1 320.9 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) 405.4 386.0 373.7 361.0 360.0 357.1 353.7 353.1 336.0 326.5 326.4 325.5 Inglewood Edge (Hall) 397.7 387.8 375.6 363.6 361.7 354.3 343.2 341.3 326.5 Greenah Hall (Rae) 385.1 373.3 367.4 365.2 338.3 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford) 377.9 375.6 371.4 337.0 327.5 West Farm (Miller) 370.5 Holly Barn (Peile) 359.9 354.4 x 2 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 347.3 The Croft (Jones) 343.8 333.3 Low Aketon (Gate)

Texel 376.2 330.1 321.7 319.0 308.7 295.7 295.1 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 342.1 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 320.5 298.4 282.1 281.6 280.9 Heggle Lane (Richardson) 319.5 302.8 The Thwaites (Dixon) 318.6 295.2 290.3 287.8 287.5 285.7 283.3 x 2 280.3 Allerby Hall (Miller) 314.3 313.1 303.2 297.2 284.8 283.2 Hill House (Harrison) 310.2 Prospect Farm (Gray) 304.9 Dockray Hall (Ramsay) 300.0 289.3 284.2 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 298.8 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) 297.8 294.5 281.1 Anthorn Farm (Irving) 291.7 288.2 Pasturewood (McCrone) 285.7 Mechi (Bowe) 284.4 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 284.0 283.5 West Farm (Miller)

Dutch Texel 369.9 368.9 334.1 310.2 Cobble Croft (Batty) 335.6 329.3 322.7 316.2 Mechi (Bowe)

Charollais 280.0 Mechi (Bowe) 252.5 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Cheviot 258.4 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Suffolk 249.7 Anthorn Farm (Irving) 242.6 225.0 Cape Farm (Hunter) 237.4 218.2 Prior Hall (Hall) 230.1 Hill House (Harrison)

Mule 239.5 Fell View Farm (Fearon) 225.0 Newlands Farm (Gill) 222.6 221.8 Brownrigg Hall (Benn) 220.0 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Herdwick 224.3 Low Blaithwaite (Bell)

#### PRIME EWES - 109

Although fewer Ewes forward, trade up on the week +20p, to a top of £138 for a Dutch Texel for David Batty, Cobble Croft. Suffolks to £122 from Fotheringham Fairfield Farm, Pica and Mules to £81 from the same home More Ewes required, contact David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500173273.

Dutch Texel £138 £128 £126 £125 Cobble Croft (Batty) £118 Grange View (Monkhouse)

Texel £131 £130 £120 Heggle Lane (Richardson) £130 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £126 £120 Mechi (Bowe) £118 Prior Hall (Hall) £116 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £116 Birkmire Farm (Irving)

Rouge £125 Prior Hall (Hall)

Suffolk £122 £116 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Cross £100 Fernlea (Girvan)

Mule £81 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Herdwick £79 Fernlea (Girvan)

Swaledale £52 Brownrigg Hall (Benn)

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Dutch Texel £145 Grange View (Monkhouse)

Beltex £100 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £90 Grange View (Monkhouse)



