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THURSDAY 17TH AUGUST 2023 SALE OF CALVES & STIRKS, DAIRY CATTLE AND STORE LAMBS

CALVES & STIRKS - 75

Another great sale of Calves and Stirks presented for sale today, selling to a packed ringside of buyers, with a good mixture of all sorts, something for all buyers.

Regular consignor Messrs Eilbeck & Son, Plumbland Farm, who usually sells calves, today produced a run of 14 Stirks and topped the market today at £820 with a strong British Blue Heifer, closely followed by £760 for a British Blue Heifer from M & L Peile, Holly Barn, with their run of 4 Stirks topping the averages at £740 for four animals sold.

Bull Stirks sold to a top of £505 for a five-month-old British Blue from DG & BE Hurst, The Hill Farm.

Steers sold to £770 for a ten-month-old British Blue from M & L Peile, Holly Barn

Younger Calves topped out at £420 for a super two-month-old British Blue Bull Calf from Kate Bailey, Moorhouse Hall Farm.

Younger Heifer Calves topped out at £290 for a two-month-old British Blue from Messrs Harrington, Flatt Bank More Calves and Stirks required for our next sale please, to be held on Thursday 31st August 2023.

Overall averages: -Bulls Averaged: £300.40

Heifers Averaged: £411.09 + £3.67 on the fortnight. Steers Averaged: £549.44 + £99.06 on the fortnight.

Leading Averages: Messrs M & L Peile, Holly Barn - £740 for 4

Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House - £570 for 2

Messrs Hughes, Seaville Farm - £527.50 for 8

Messrs Eilbeck & Son, Plumbland Farm - £522.50 for 14 RG & W Whitfield, Balladoyle Farm - £487.50 for 8

British Blue Bull Stirks £505 The Hill Farm (Hurst) £500 £490 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £420 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

British Blue Heifer Stirks £820 £500 £495 £470 £440 £420 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £760 £740 £690 Holly Barn (Peile) £500 £460 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £470 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £445 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

British Blue Steer Stirks £770 Holly Barn (Peile) £600 £590 x 2 £580 £570 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £590 £560 x 2 £540 £530 £510 £460 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £520 Fairladies Farm (Clark)

British Blue Bull Calves £420 Moorhouse Hall Farm (Bailey) £380 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £350 Greenrigg Farm (Graham) £315 Fairladies Farm (Clark)



Kate Bailey sold a lovely two-monthold British Blue Bull Calf to £420

British Blue Heifer Calves £290 x 2 Flatt Bank (Harrington)







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Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirks £420 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calves £255 x 2 £165 x 2 Annshill Farm (Steel)

Aberdeen Angus Steer Stirks £570 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves £345 £310 £280 x 3 Annshill Farm (Steel)

Limousin Heifer Stirks £495 x 2 £480 x 2 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £460 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Limousin Bull Calves £340 Greenrigg Farm (Graham)

Limousin Heifer Calves £265 x 2 Greenrigg Farm (Graham) £250 The Hill Farm (Hurst)

Fleckvieh Steer Stirks £490 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Hereford Bull Stirks £270 x 3 £240 £220 Southwaite Farm (Dawson)

Hereford Heifer Stirks £310 x 2 £250 x 2 £215 Southwaite Farm (Dawson)

Holstein Bull Stirks £190 x 2 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

Holstein Bull Calves £95 Flatt Bank (Harrington)

Holstein Steer Stirks £290 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

DAIRY CATTLE - 12

Another good show of Dairy Cows and Heifers from regular consignor Messrs Harrison, Round Hill Farm, Aldoth whose run of 12 Cattle averaged £1376.67 and sold to a top of £1600 for a classy looking fresh calved Heifer giving 28 litres. Second Calvers sold to £1350 for a Cow giving 35 litres, with third calvers giving 40 litres selling to £1500. Next sale of Dairy Cattle will be held on Thursday 31st August 2023, please advise entries for advertising purposes.

Holstein Heifers £1600 £1450 x 2 £1350 £1250 £1200 £1100 Round Hill Farm (Harrison)

Holstein Cows £1500 x 2 £1420 £1350 Round Hill Farm (Harrison)

Friesian Cows £1350 Round Hill Farm (Harrison)

STORE LAMBS - 1015

A super entry of store lambs today, selling to a top of £132 for a pen of four Beltex Lambs from M & M Byrne, Thornthwaite Close, Wigton.

Texel Lambs sold to £110 for a pen of two from G & HJ Bell, Moss Hill, with Suffolks selling to £114 for a pen of two from TR & EA Milburn, Wallend Farm.

Top average of the day went to Messrs M & M Byrne, Thornthwaite Close with 13 Lambs averaging a very respectable £116.77.

More required either privately or for our next sale on Thursday 31st August, please contact David Fearon on 07500173273 for any further information.





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Beltex £132 £110 x 2 Thornthwaite Close (Byrne) £126 £118 £110 £109 £108 £105 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £121 £114 x 2 £109 £108 High Hall (Thompson) £121 Prospect House (Hodgson) £120 £111 £106 Lees Hall Farm (Howard) £114 Clea Hall (Bland) £111 £109 £108 Stone Garth (Ostle) £108 Great Easby Farm (Pitchford) £107 £105 Low Houses (Bell) £105.5 Prospect House (Hodgson)

Suffolk £114 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £91 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough)

Texel £110 £99 £98 £96 £90 Moss Hill (Bell) £106 £95 x 2 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) £106 £94 Dockray Hall (Ramsay) £104 £99 £98 £96 £92 Hill House (Dixon) £101.5 £100 £92 £91.5 Yew Tree Farm (Peile) £98.5 £94 Sycamore House (Skelton) £98 Fell End (Norwood) £95 £92 Long Park Farm (Thomlinson) £95 High Moss Thorn (Ambler)



T Howard, Lees Hall Farm, Haltwhistle sold a run of 24 Beltex Lambs to £120 and averaged £110.88

Blue Texel £109 £101 £94 £90 Stone Garth (Ostle) £101 Great Easby Farm (Pitchford)

Mule £74 Wythop Hall Farm (Emmott)



Messrs Pitchford, Great Easby Farm, Brampton sold a cracking run of 37 Beltex Lambs to £108 and averaged £100.19.



