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#### **TUESDAY 15TH AUGUST 2023**

### PRIME CATTLE - 20

A super show of classy cattle forward today, giving purchasers plenty of choice, with something for all, therefore the trade returned an increase on both Heifers +17.57pkg on the week and Bullocks +14.38pkg on the week. The greatest lift was reflected in the Bullocks 551-650kg medium weight group +39.12pkg, with Heifers showing the greatest lift in the Heavy section 591+kg +20.04pkg on the week.

Topping today at 331.5pkg (£1823.25) a cracking 16-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 550kg from JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm and purchased by Steven Wilson Ltd for his Corby Hill Butchers Shop.

Top gross Heifer of the day at £2095.62 (329.5pkg) went to a super 27-month-old Limousin, weighing 636kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton.

Top Steer at 298.5pkg (£2047.71) went to a 27-month-old Limousin, weighing 686kg for J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and this animal was purchased by Jamie Chapman (Butchers) Ltd for his Wishaw Butchers Shop.

Overall top gross of the day at £2205.99 (289.5pkg) went to a magnificent Limousin Bullock, weighing 762kg from R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall and was purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Customers

#### PRIME BULLS - 6

A nice show of Prime Bulls selling to a top of 234.5pkg on two occasions, firstly for a 15-month-old Limousin, weighing 558kg (£1308.51) which was top gross Bull and secondly for a 14-month-old Limousin, weighing 511kg (£1198.30) both from regular vendor, Ian Grainger, Kiln Close

More cattle required each week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786.

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Overall Averages -	Bullocks 278.05pk	g Heifers 304.27p	kg Bulls 222.03pkg
Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kgs	2	283.62	287.50
651+kgs	8	276.91	298.50
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
501-590kgs	4	304.31	331.50
591+kgs	6	304.25	329.50
Bulls	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
370-550kgs	5	219.32	234.50
551-650kgs	1	234.50	234.50
Top 5 Bullocks			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
298.5	686	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
296.5	660	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
289.5	762	Limousin	R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall
288.5	684	Limousin	A & C Park, Sea View
287.5	586	Limousin	Messrs Tinniswood, Cockbridge House
Top 5 Heifers			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
331.5	550	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
329.5	636	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
328.5	611	Limousin	DA Harrison & Co, Hill House
312.5	589	Limousin	DA Harrison & Co, Hill House
301.5	660	Limousin	JJ Crichton, Loughrigg
Top 5 Bulls			. 3 33
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor

Limousin

I Grainger, Kiln Close



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234.5	511	Limousin	I Grainger, Kiln Close
225.5	516	Aberdeen Angus	J & J Messenger, Adamgill
222.5	485	Aberdeen Angus	J & J Messenger, Adamgill
212.5	534	Swedish Red	J & J Messenger, Adamgill

### **PER KILO**

#### **BULLOCKS - 10**

**Limousin** 298.5 296.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 289.5 285.5 Arkleby Hall (Miller) 288.5 Sea View (Park) 287.5 279.5 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

British Blue 256.5 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

Aberdeen Angus 251.5 247.5 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

HEIFERS - 10

**Limousin** 331.5 285.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 329.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 328.5 312.5 295.5 Hill House (Harrison) 301.5 294.5 Loughrigg (Crichton) 279.5 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

Aberdeen Angus 285.5 Greenhill Farm (Little)

BULLS - 6

**Limousin** 234.5 x 2 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Aberdeen Angus 225.5 222.5 Adamgill (Messenger)

Swedish Red 212.5 202.5 Adamgill (Messenger)

## **PER HEAD**

## **BULLOCKS - 10**

**Limousin** £2205.99 £1972.81 Arkleby Hall (Miller) £2047.71 £1956.90 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £1973.34 Sea View (Park) £1684.75 £1542.84 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

British Blue £1839.11 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

Aberdeen Angus £1665.68 £1662.42 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

HEIFERS - 10

**Limousin** £2095.62 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £2055.61 £1989.90 Loughrigg (Crichton) £2007.14 £1956.21 £1840.63 Hill House (Harrison) £1858.68 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood) £1823.25 £1573.11 Greenhill Farm (Little)

Aberdeen Angus £1430.36 Greenhill Farm (Little)



Lot 314 – Topping at 331.5pkg (£1823.25) this 16-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 550kg from JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm, purchased by Steven Wilson Ltd for his Corby Hill Butchers Shop.



Lot 322 – Top gross of the day at £2205.99 (289.5pkg) for this super Limousin Heifer, weighing 762kg from Messrs R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton





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#### BULLS - 6

Limousin £1308.51 £1198.30 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Aberdeen Angus £1163.58 £1079.13 Adamgill (Messenger)

Swedish Red £1134.75 £1065.15 Adamgill (Messenger)

### PRIME LAMBS - 569

A smaller show of Lambs today, the standard weighted section 32.1-39kg showing +5.04pkg lift. Overall sale average 281.17pkg and an SQQ of 281.65pkg.

Topping today at £175 (380.4pkg) a single Beltex Lamb, weighing 46kg from K Hodgson, Prospect House, whose run of 12 Lambs averaged £144.50.

Top pence per kilo section at 383.7pkg (£165) was taken by another single Beltex Lamb, weighing 43kg for Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks, with their average of 18 lambs taking the top spot at a very respectable £146.28. Both top gross and top pence per kilo of the day were purchased by local Butcher Paul Harrison for his King Street Shop. More Lambs required each week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

### Overall Averages - Prime Lambs 281.17pkg

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
32.1-39kgs	17	275.86	342.10
39.1-45.5kgs	457	281.84	383.70
45.6-52kgs	95	279.05	380.40

**Top Five Lambs Averages £:** £146.28 for 18 from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

£144.50 for 12 from K Hodgson, Prospect House £143.36 for 11 from TA & A Jefferson, Aspatria Hall

£139.30 for 10 from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

£137.21 for 14 from Messrs Rae, Greenah Villa

**Top Five Lambs £:** £175 for 1 weighing 46kg from K Hodgson, Prospect House

£168 for 2 weighing 45kg from K Hodgson, Prospect House

£165 for 1 weighing 43kg from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks £160 for 1 weighing 43kg from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

£156 for 1 weighing 47kg from G & D Benson, Swallows Barn

**Top Five Lambs pkg:** 383.7pkg for 1 weighing 43kg from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

380.4pkg for 1 weighing 46kg from K Hodgson, Prospect House 373.3pkg for 2 weighing 45kg from K Hodgson, Prospect House

373.2pkg for 1 weighing 41kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm 372.1pkg for 1 weighing 43kg from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

### **PER HEAD**

**Beltex** £175 £168 £144 £137 Prospect House (Hodgson) £165 £160 £153 £150 £145 £143 £141 x 2 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £153 £149 £148 £139 £133 x 2 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) £149 £148 £130 Aspatria Hall (Jefferson) £144 £139 £133 x 2 £129 £127 Moor Platt Farm (Butler) £142 £139.5 £137 x 2 £134 £131 x 2 £126 Borranshill (Wybergh) £139.5 Lessonhall (Steel) £135 £131 £130 x 2 £126.5 £125 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)

Texel £156 £132 £129.5 £122.5 Swallows Barn (Benson) £148 Bothel Craggs (Thirlwall) £146 £145 x 2 £144 £137 £134





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£126 £124 £120 Hill House (Harrison) £146 £137 Greenah Villa (Rae) £144 £136 £120 Round Hill Farm (Harrison) £143 £133 £128 £123 Upmanby (Hunter) £138 £127 x 2 £121 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £136.5 £120 High Waverbridge (Bowness) £136 £127 Allerby Hall (Miller) £135 £129 High Blaithwaite (Spark) £135 Biglands House (Fosker) £129 Riggwood (Harrington) £128 Home Farm (Parkin) £125 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

Charollais £132 Greenah Villa (Rae) £115 Lessonhall (Steel)

**Suffolk** £129 Prospect House (Hodgson) £128.5 £115 Hill House (Harrison) £128 £106 Wath Head (Horsley) £118 Drumburgh Castle Farm (Hodgson) £111 Lessonhall (Steel) £108 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Mule £113 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £88 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

Hampshire £109 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge)



Messrs Thirlwall, Bothel Craggs sold 23
Texel Lambs to £148 (328.9pkg) with this
Lamb being purchased by Paul Harrison
for his King Street Customers

# PER KILO

**Beltex** 383.7 372.1 364.3 344.8 341.2 332.6 330.4 318.1 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 380.4 373.3 320.0 Prospect House (Hodgson) 373.2 354.8 341.0 334.9 322.4 321.7 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) 346.5 341.0 302.3 Aspatria Hall (Jefferson) 342.1 341.8

333.1 318.4 314.1 311.2 309.7 303.8 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 340.2 Lessonhall (Steel) 338.1 334.1 324.2 321.4 317.0 315.7 309.0 300.0 Borranshill (Wybergh) 332.5 331.8 302.2 Moor Platt Farm (Butler)

Texel 365.0 329.5 315.0 313.0 298.5 297.8 x 2 292.9 281.8 Hill House (Harrison) 331.9 279.5 272.0 Swallows Barn (Benson) 328.9 290.6 272.1 Bothel Craggs (Thirlwall) 327.6 285.5 274.3 High Waverbridge (Bowness) 322.5 321.4 273.8 High Blaithwaite (Spark) 318.4 306.0 290.8 273.0 270.6 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 316.5 302.0 Round Hill Farm (Harrison) 314.0 Biglands House (Fosker) 304.8 286.0 283.6 Upmanby (Hunter) 302.7 297.6 297.4 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 302.2 295.3 292.5 278.6 271.3 Allerby Hall (Miller) 289.1 283.5 Greenah Villa (Rae) 287.0 Home Farm (Parkin) 278.4 Riggwood (Harrington)

**Suffolk** 282.5 Prospect House (Hodgson) 275.6 255.6 Hill House (Harrison) 274.1 Lessonhall (Steel) 272.3 258.5 Wath Head (Horsley) 259.3 Drumburgh Castle Farm (Hodgson) 252.3 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Charollais 271.2 Greenah Villa (Rae) 264.4 Lessonhall (Steel)

Hampshire 247.7 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge)

Mule 237.8 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 235.4 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)



Messrs Rae, Greenah Villa sold a run of Texel Lambs to £146 and Charollais Lambs to £132 and an average of £137.21 for 14 Lambs in total.

## PRIME EWES - 104

Ewes sold to a top of £160 for a single Beltex from Messrs GN Bowe and Sons, Bothel Parks, whose run of 6 Ewes averaged £137.33. Messrs WR & JM Cowx & Son, Hudscales sold a run of 29 Texel and Zwartble Ewes to an average of £119.72. Suffolks sold to £114 for PD Wybergh, Borranshill and Mules sold to £107 for Oliver Thomlinson, Croft House, Aikton. More Ewes required each week please to meet buyers' requirements, contact David Fearon on 07500 173273

Texel £160 £118 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £144 Allerby Hall (Miller) £140 £136 £122 Croft House (Thomlinson) £140 £130 £113



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New House (Watson) £131 £116 Borranshill (Wybergh) £129 £128 High Blaithwaite (Spark) £127 £118 x 2 £110 Hudscales (Cowx) £127 Prospect House (Hodgson) £114 West Park Farm (Brough) £113 Riggwood (Harrington)

Beltex £148 £132 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £138 Croft House (Thomlinson) £100 New House (Watson)

Blue Texel £140 £126 Bothel Parks (Bowe)

Zwartble £122 Hudscales (Cowx)

Suffolk £114 Borranshill (Wybergh)

Mule £107 Croft House (Thomlinson)

Black Texel £104 Riggwood (Harrington)

Cross £104 Wyndham House (Todd)

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Charollais £140 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

Beltex £124 £100 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Texel £122 New House (Watson)



