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TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2023

PRIME CATTLE - 33

A bigger and better show of quality stock on offer today, with trade harder work but remaining on a par with last week's show. The greatest lift was reflected for the Steers in the heavy weighted section 651+kg, showing a lift in trade of +8.20pkg on the week.

Topping today at 312.5pkg (£2034.38) a super 24-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 651kg from DA Harrison & Company, Hill House.

Top gross of the day at £2152.80 (292.5pkg) went to a 25-month-old Charolais Heifer, weighing 736kg from JJ & J Benson, Kirkland Hall, with their run of five heifers averaging a very respectable £2026.26 and 291.72pkg.

Top Steer, at 289.5pkg (£2009.13) went to Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall with a 25-month-old Limousin, weighing 694kg. Top gross Steer £2011.88 (277.5pkg) went to a 29-month-old Charolais from JJ Dixon, The Thwaites, both steers were purchased by regular buyer Jamie Chapman for his Wishaw Butchers Shop.

Top Bull today at 264.5pkg, on two occasions went to Messrs Bowe, Mechi, with two 16-month-old Bulls, weighing 624kg and 689kg and grossing at £1650.48 and £1822.41 respectively.

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

Overall Averages -	Bullocks 270.05p	kg Heifers 277.46p	okg Bulls 238.61pkg
Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kgs	1	237.50	237.50
651+kgs	8	273.20	289.50
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
330-500kgs	1	249.50	249.50
501-590kgs	6	266.58	290.50
591+kgs	11	283.98	312.50
Bulls	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
370-550kgs	4	221.49	224.50
551-650kgs	1	264.50	264.50
651+kgs	1	264.50	264.50
Top 5 Bullocks			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
289.5	694	Limousin	Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall
277.5	725	Charolais	JJ Dixon, The Thwaites
272.5	726	Charolais	R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall
272.5	696	Limousin	JJ Dixon, The Thwaites
270.5	725	British Blue	R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall
Top 5 Heifers			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
312.5	651	Limousin	DA Harrison & Co, Hill House
295.5	677	Limousin	JJ & J Benson & Sons, Kirkland Hall
292.5	694	Charolais	JJ & J Benson & Sons, Kirkland Hall
292.5	736	Charolais	JJ & J Benson & Sons, Kirkland Hall
290.5	583	Limousin	DA Harrison & Co, Hill House
Top 5 Bulls			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
264.5	624	Limousin	Messrs Bowe, Mechi
264.5	689	Limousin	Messrs Bowe, Mechi
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224.5	496	Aberdeen Angus	J & J Messenger, Adamgill
223.5	497	Aberdeen Angus	J & J Messenger, Adamgill
220.5	492	Aberdeen Angus	J & J Messenger, Adamgill

PER KILO

BULLOCKS - 9

Limousin 289.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) 272.5 269.5 The Thwaites (Dixon) 267.5 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

Charolais 277.5 The Thwaites (Dixon) 272.5 Arkleby Hall (Miller)

British Blue 270.5 Arkleby Hall (Miller) 266.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Aberdeen Angus 237.5 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

HEIFERS - 18

Limousin 312.5 290.5 273.5 Hill House (Harrison) 295.5 Kirkland Hall (Benson) 278.5 Loughrigg (Crichton) 274.5 270.5 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood) 261.5 Croft Farm (Hodgson) 249.5 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

Charolais 292.5 x 2 289.5 Kirkland Hall (Benson) 282.5 West Farm (Miller)

Saler 288.5 Kirkland Hall (Benson)

British Shorthorn 285.5 Loughrigg (Crichton)

British Blue 264.5 West Farm (Miller) 260.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Aberdeen Angus 204.5 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

BULLS - 6

Limousin 264.5 x 2 Mechi (Bowe)

Aberdeen Angus 224.5 223.5 220.5 217.5 Adamgill (Messenger)

PER HEAD

BULLOCKS - 9

Limousin £2009.13 Allerby Hall (Miller) £1921.54 £1896.60 The Thwaites (Dixon) £1805.63 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

Charolais £2011.88 The Thwaites (Dixon) £1978.35 Arkleby Hall (Miller)

British Blue £1993.42 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £1961.13 Arkleby Hall (Miller)

Aberdeen Angus £1308.63 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)



Topping today at 312.5pkg (£2034.38) this cracking Limousin Heifer, weighing 651kg from DA Harrison & Company, Hill House









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HEIFERS - 18

Charolais £2152.80 £2046.77 £2029.95 Kirkland Hall (Benson) £2000.10 West Farm (Miller)

Limousin £2034.38 £1854.33 £1693.62 Hill House (Harrison) £2000.54 Kirkland Hall (Benson) £1712.12 £1555.38 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood) £1506.69 Loughrigg (Crichton) £1391.18 Croft Farm (Hodgson) £1190.12 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

British Blue £1927.70 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £1891.18 West Farm (Miller)

Saler £1901.22 Kirkland Hall (Benson)

British Shorthorn £1681.60 Loughrigg (Crichton)

Aberdeen Angus £1024.55 Stockbridge Farm (Pitts)

BULLS - 6

Limousin £1822.41 £1650.48 Mechi (Bowe)

Aberdeen Angus £1113.52 £1110.80 £1089.68 £1084.86 Adamgill (Messenger)



Top gross of the day at £2152.80 (292.5pkg) went to this 25-month-old Charolais Heifer, weighing 736kg from JJ & J Benson, Kirkland Hall

PRIME LAMBS - 825

A fantastic show of lambs forward this week, with quality proving very easy to sell, wholesale average 283.63pkg and an SQQ of 288.25pkg. The biggest lift in trade for the best end fed sheep with plenty in excess of £160.

Top gross today at £190 (404.3pkg) a fantastic single Beltex Lamb, weighing 47kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm and purchased by local butcher Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton. Messrs RE Miller, West Farm also took the top pence per kilo section at 420.9pkg for a pair of Beltex Lambs, grossing at £181 and weighing 43kg. This good farming family sold a fantastic run of 36 Lambs which went on to average a very respectable £156.31.

Top average of the day was taken by WW Gate, Low Aketon, who sold a fantastic run of 12 Beltex Lambs to an average of £163.08.

Dutch Texel Lambs sold to 382.7pkg (£168.5) for a pair, weighing 40.5kg from Messrs Bowe, Mechi and Suffolks, weighing 58kg sold to £139 for Messrs J Dixon, The Thwaites.

More Lambs required each week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

Overall Averages - Prime Lambs 283.63pkg

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
32.1-39kgs	3	283.93	297.40
39.1-45.5kgs	580	288.27	420.90
45.6-52kgs	222	276.04	404.30
Over 52kg	20	249.41	268.50

Top Five Lambs Averages £: £163.08 for 12 from WW Gate, Low Aketon

£156.31 for 36 from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm £148.00 for 11 from K Hodgson, Prospect House £147.52 for 23 from Messrs LF Raven, Priestcroft

£145.76 for 17 from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks







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Top Eight Lambs £: £190 for 1 weighing 47kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

£181 for 2 weighing 43kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

£178 for 1 weighing 46kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall £175 for 1 weighing 45kg from PD Wybergh, Borranshill £171 for 2 weighing 43.5kg from WW Gate, Low Aketon £171 for 2 weighing 44kg from G & JE Bell, Far Broom £171 for 1 weighing 46kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£171 for 2 weighing 41.5kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

Top Five Lambs pkg: 420.9 for 2 weighing 43kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

412.0 for 2 weighing 41.5kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm 404.3 for 1 weighing 47kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm 397.6 for 4 weighing 42.25kg from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm

393.1 for 2 weighing 43.5kg from WW Gate, Low Aketon

PER HEAD

Beltex £190 £181 £171 £169.5 £168 £166 £158 £154 £148 £138 £133 West Farm (Miller) £178 £171 £161 £158 £157 £155 £150 £147 £145 £144 £140 £139 £137 Greenah Hall (Rae) £175 £166 £150 £148 £143 x 2 Borranshill (Wybergh) £171 £169 £168 £161 £158 £155 Low Aketon (Gate) £171 £162 £156 £153 £144.5 £140 £139 Far Broom (Bell) £165 £152 £149 £148 £146 £144.5 £142 x 3 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £156 £154 £153 £152 £131 Prospect House (Hodgson) £150 £143 £139 x 2 £133 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman)

Dutch Texel £168.5 £160.5 £160 £155 £149.5 £149 £148 x 2 £140 Mechi (Bowe)

Texel £166 x 2 £160 £157 £155 x 2 £148 £146 £140 £139 £131 £129 Priestcroft (Raven) £165 £164 £155 £148 £139 £138 £129 £126 Kirkland Guards (Cape) £161 £135 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £158 £140 £133.5 £126 £125 Greensyke Farm (Palmer) £149 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) £146 £142 £134.5 £130 £129 x 2 Mechi (Bowe) £146 Prospect Farm (Gray) £143 £132 West Farm (Miller) £140 £137 £132 £127 Allerby Hall (Miller) £140 £131 x 2 Jenkin Cross (Rudd) £140 £127 The Thwaites (Dixon) £139 £138 £134 £129 £127.5 Moor Platt Farm (Butler) £139 High Pow (Jefferson) £138 £130 £129 £126 £125 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £137 £134 £128 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £132 £131 £129 School Farm (Wannop) £130 £126.5 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) £130 Park Road (Todhunter) £129 £128 £125 East Park (Donaldson) £126 Orton Rigg Farm (Hennessy)

Suffolk £139 The Thwaites (Dixon) £136 Park Road (Todhunter) £130 £120 Lessonhall (Steel) £130 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) £120 Stoneraise (Armstrong)

Charollais £127 Stoneraise (Armstrong) £127 Greenah Villa (Rae) £123.5 Lessonhall (Steel)

Mule £110 Newlands Farm (Gill) £108 Wellington Farm (Harrington) £106.5 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman)

Kerry Hill £109 Greenah Villa (Rae) £107.5 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Clun £106 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

Herdwick £97.5 Newtown Farm (Thompson) £94 Amazon House (Faulder)



WW Gate, Low Aketon sold 12 Beltex Lambs to £171 and an average of £163.08.



G & JE Bell, Far Broom sold these two Beltex Lambs, weighing 44kg for £171, and 25 lambs sold averaged £145.48.





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Zwartble £87 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

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Beltex 420.9 412.0 404.3 397.6 380.9 374.5 366.7 356.6 355.1 West Farm (Miller) 393.1 379.8 365.2 350.0 Low Aketon (Gate) 388.9 383.1 348.8 338.9 334.5 332.6 Borranshill (Wybergh) 388.6 351.7 346.7 330.6 328.4 Far Broom (Bell) 387.0 374.4 371.7 356.8 329.2 328.4 Greenah Hall (Rae) 358.7 328.4 326.4 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 334.8 331.9 330.4 Prospect House (Hodgson) 327.5 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman)

Dutch Texel 382.7 362.1 361.0 358.5 346.5 345.0 Mechi (Bowe)

Texel 381.4 370.8 361.0 329.8 313.1 307.1 Kirkland Guards (Cape) 364.8 352.0 348.9 337.0 322.9 321.7 319.2 314.6 307.4 Priestcroft (Raven) 357.8 314.0 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 350.0 Jenkin Cross (Rudd) 320.9 302.3 Mechi (Bowe) 315.9 High Pow (Jefferson) 312.5 310.8 East Park (Donaldson) 311.9 302.3 School Farm (Wannop) 311.6 Moor Platt Farm (Butler) 307.7 307.0 Allerby Hall (Miller)

Pat Rae, Greenah Hall sold 22 Beltex Lambs to 387.0pkg (£178) and averaged £144.18 (309.16pkg)

307.4 Prospect Farm (Gray) 304.9 304.3 303.8 Greensyke Farm (Palmer) 304.5 304.4 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 304.1 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) 301.2 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) 300.0 x 2 Anthorn Farm (Irving)

Suffolk 277.6 Park Road (Todhunter) 257.3 252.9 Jenkin Cross (Rudd) 257.1 Jenkin Cross (Miller) 254.9 250.0 Lessonhall (Steel) 250.0 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) 240.0 Stoneraise (Armstrong) 239.7 The Thwaites (Dixon)

Charollais 268.5 Lessonhall (Steel) 257.7 Greenah Villa (Rae) 249.0 Stoneraise (Armstrong)

Herdwick 242.5 Newtown Farm (Thompson) 229.6 Amazon House (Faulder)

Mule 239.3 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 220.4 Wellington Farm (Harrington) 207.5 Newlands Farm (Gill)

Kerry Hill 237.0 Greenah Villa (Rae) 233.7 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Clun 212.0 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

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PRIME EWES - 112

A good show of strong meated Ewes forward today, making for a cracking trade.

A super run of Beltex Ewes from GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks selling to a top of £182 for a single Ewe and their run of 6 Ewes selling to an average of £153.50.

Suffolk Ewes sold to £130 for a single Ewe from Daniel Raven, Priestcroft and Clun Ewes sold to £96 for AJ Dixon, Hill House.

Rams sold to £138 for a single Beltex from G Stamper, The Heads, and his run of 14 Rams sold to an average £112.86. More Ewes required each week please to meet buyers' requirements, contact David Fearon on 07500 173273

Beltex £182 £168 £156 £144 £136 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £111 x 2 Low Aketon (Gate)

Texel £150 £147 £116 x 2 East Park (Donaldson) £144 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £143 Mechi (Bowe) £136 £119 Priestcroft (Raven) £135 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £134 £127 £115 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) £130 £120 Borranshill (Wybergh) £124 £119 New House (Watson) £118 Stoneraise (Armstrong)

Suffolk £130 Priestcroft (Raven) £110 Hill House (Dixon) £108 Stoneraise (Armstrong) £97 New House (Watson)





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Dutch Spotted £116 Hill House (Dixon)

Charollais £116 The Heads (Stamper)

Leicester £114 Fellside House Farm (Pears)

Clun £96 Hill House (Dixon)

Mule £87 Birkmire Farm (Irving) £86 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg)

PRIME RAMS - 14

Beltex £138 £116 The Heads (Stamper)

Texel £128 £122 £110 The Heads (Stamper)

Kerry Hill £99 Greenah Villa (Rae)



