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TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2023

PRIME CATTLE - 14

Some quality cattle were on offer today, selling to vendors advantage as the trade was much improved across the board, showing the greatest lift for the Steers section, with Steers averaging 274.39pkg and Heifers averaging 293.23pkg.

Topping today at a very respectable 326.5pkg (£1805.55) a 19-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 553kg for W Miller, High Aketon and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton.

Top gross Heifer at £1962.27 (300.5pkg) went to a Limousin, weighing 653kg from DA Harrison & Co, Hill House and was purchased by Jamie Chapman (Butchers) Ltd for his Wishaw Butchers Shop.

Top gross of the day at £2065.84 (263.5pkg) a cracking 24-month-old British Blue Steer, weighing 784kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and again purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street customers.

Top pence per kilo Steer at 287.5pkg (£1871.63) went to an 18-month-old Limousin, weighing 651kg from A & C Park, Sea View and was purchased by RA & EJ Harrison Ltd for their Main Street Butchers Shop, Cockermouth.

More cattle required for future sales please contact David Fearon on 07500 173273.

Overall Averages -	Bullocks 274.39pkg	Heifers 293.23pkg
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Bullocks 651+kgs	Sold 2	Average pkg 274.39	Max pkg. 287.50
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
501-590kgs	7	297.38	326.50

Top 2 Bullocks

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
287.5	651	Limousin	A & C Park, Sea View
263.5	784	British Blue	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall

Top 5 Heifers

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
326.5	553	Limousin	W Miller, High Aketon
319.5	591	Limousin	DA Harrison & Company, Hill House
306.5	572	Limousin	DA Harrison & Company, Hill House
300.5	653	Limousin	DA Harrison & Company, Hill House
299.5	555	Limousin	W Miller, High Aketon

PER KILO

BULLOCKS - 2

Limousin 287.5 Sea View (Park)

British Blue 263.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

HEIFERS - 12

Limousin 326.5 299.5 289.5 High Aketon (Miller) 319.5 306.5 300.5 290.5 277.5 Hill House (Harrison) 292.5 287.5 279.5 Greenhill Farm (Little)

British Blue 259.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)



This 19-month-old Limousin Heifer, weighing 553kg, topped the days sale at 326.5pkg (£1805.55) for W Miller, High Aketon and was purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton







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BULLOCKS - 2

British Blue £2065.84 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Limousin £1871.63 Sea View (Park)

HEIFERS – 12

Limousin £1962.27 £1888.25 £1882.44 £1753.18 £1731.60 Hill House (Harrison) £1805.55 £1662.23 £1595.15 High Aketon (Miller) £1705.28 £1573.59 £1523.75 Greenhill Farm (Little)

British Blue £1915.11 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

PRIME LAMBS - 1053

A super show of lambs with a more commercial feel with the very best in short supply to a top of £187 for a single 60kg Beltex Lamb from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm and selling to RJ Harrison & Sons Ltd, King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton. Pence per kilo section was taken by Messrs Bowe, Mechi with a single Beltex Lamb, weighing 40kg at 390.0pkg.

Top gross of the day £2065.84 (263.5pkg) this 24-month-old British Blue Steer, weighing 784kg for J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and again purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Customers

More Lambs of all classes easily handled with amounts short today as trade continues apace, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

Overall Averages – Prime Lambs 277.56pkg

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
32.1-39kgs	22	300.24	324.40
39.1-45.5kgs	699	279.79	390.00
45.6-52kgs	212	270.55	353.20
Over 52kg	20	263.52	322.80

Top Five Lambs Averages £: £163.00 for 2 from Miss CE Harrison, Aikhead House

£160.40 for 10 from Messrs J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall £155.92 for 25 from Messrs R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

£153.63 for 8 from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside £148.55 for 11 from K Hodgson, Prospect House

Top Seven Lambs £: £187 for 1 weighing 60kg from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm

£184 for 1 weighing 57kg from CE Harrison, Aikhead House £174 for 1 weighing 52kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall £166 for 2 weighing 47kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall £165 for 2 weighing 50.5kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall £165 for 5 weighing 44.2kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge £165 for 2 weighing 47kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall

Top Five Lambs pkg: 390.0 for 1 weighing 40kg from Messrs Bowe, Mechi

388.1 for 1 weighing 42kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge 385.7 for 1 weighing 42kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside 373.3 for 5 weighing 44.2kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge







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366.3 for 4 weighing 41.5kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

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Beltex £187 £148 £147 £138 £135 £134 £131 £129 £126 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £174 £166 £165 x 2 £145 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £165 £163 x 2 £157 £154 £152 £143 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £162 £154 £143 Hillside (Stoddart) £160 £151 £149 £146 £125 Prospect House (Hodgson) £156 £130 Mechi (Bowe) £150 £143 £142 £141 £133 £131 Greenah Hall (Rae) £146 £145 x 3 £139 £137 £135 x 2 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £144 x 2 £140 £138 £137 £131 Far Broom (Bell) £139 £138 £135.5 £135 x 2 £131 Kirkland Guard (Cape) £137 £132.5 £131 x 2 £127.5 £125.5 Greensyke Farm (Palmer) £137 £130 £129 x 2 Allerby Hall (Miller) £126.5 Whitehead Brow (Richardson)

Texel £184 £149 £145 £142 £134 Aikhead (Harrison) £158 £149 £146.5 £139 £137 £135.5 £135 £134 £125 x 2 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper) £151 £132 x 2 £129 High Blaithwaite (Spark) £148 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £145.5 £136 £135 £134 £133 x 2 £132 x 2 £130 £125.5 £122.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) £144 £143 £131 £129 £127 High Laws House (Gilroy) £140 £137 £127 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) £140 £124.5 Mechi (Bowe) £132 Westward Parks (Brockbank) £130 £122 £120 Riggwood (Harrington) £125 West Park Farm (Brough) £123 Flaggstaff Farm (Holliday) £123 Drumburgh Castle Farm (Hodgson) £121 Fellside House Farm (Pears) £121 Greenah Villa (Rae) £120.5 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £120 Upmanby (Hunter)

Dutch Texel £146 £134 £122 Mechi (Bowe)

Suffolk £130 £125 £118.5 Red Gable (Bowe) £119 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £116.5 £113.5 Bridge Mill (Hunter) £116 Drumburgh Castle Farm (Hodgson)

Charollais £129 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Mule £109 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Hampshire £109 Carwath (Coulthard)

Herdwick £108 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

PER KILO

Beltex 390.0 325.0 Mechi (Bowe) 388.1 373.3 366.3 362.0 361.5 356.8 351.8 Inglewood Edge (Hall) 385.7 359.6 Hillside (Stoddart) 353.3 327.9 321.4 311.7 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 353.2 351.1 334.6 326.7 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 343.9 340.9 340.5 324.4 322.7 319.5 Greenah Hall (Rae) 339.5 329.3 326.2 321.4 319.9 313.0 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 333.3 325.9 317.0 312.5 Prospect House (Hodgson) 324.4 Whitehead Brow (Richardson) 323.3 316.0 310.3 Kirkland

John Harrington, Riggwood sold a run of 65 Texel Lambs to £130 (298.9pkg)

Guard (Cape) 318.5 315.5 312.1 Allerby Hall (Miller) 311.4 Greensyke Farm (Palmer) 310.3 Far Broom (Bell)

Texel 341.5 309.8 293.6 291.4 283.5 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) 331.1 329.2 325.6 315.1 311.4 296.7 289.6 271.7 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper) 322.8 289.8 Aikhead (Harrison) 316.3 310.6 305.9 302.4 295.6 287.3 283.0 281.3 280.9 278.0 277.9 276.2 274.1 x 2 Allerby Hall (Miller) 314.6 274.5 High Blaithwaite (Spark) 306.4 291.8 284.8 High Laws House (Gilroy) 298.9 277.3 Riggwood (Harrington) 297.3 Leesrigg (Carr) 288.8 275.6 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) 280.9 271.6 Westward Parks (Brockbank) 279.1 Upmanby (Hunter) 277.1 Mechi (Bowe) 274.6 Broadness (Hodgson) 271.3 Fellside House Farm (Pears)

Dutch Texel 331.8 311.6 297.6 Mechi (Bowe)



Texel Lambs sold to £144 (306.4pkg) for TA & E Gilroy, High Laws House and purchased by RJ Harrison & Sons for their King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton







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Suffolk 260.9 254.4 Bridge Mill (Hunter) 256.2 250.0 240.7 Red Gable (Bowe) 250.4 Drumburgh Castle Farm (Hodgson) 247.9 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Charollais 256.7 Greenah Villa (Rae)

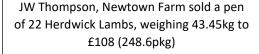
Herdwick 248.6 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

Mule 237.8 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

Hampshire 230.3 222.0 Carwath (Coulthard)

PRIME EWES - 151

More Ewes forward today and a sharper trade with better bred types good to sell to a top of £170 for a pure Texel from JB & EJ Peile, Greystoke Castle



Smarter, smaller ewes good to cash with a pair of Dutch Texels selling to £158 and a pen of three selling to £157 from David Batty, Cobble Croft.

Hill Ewes to £87 for Cheviots from Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm and Swaledales to £42 for a pen of 13 from Messrs Pears, Fellside House Farm.

More Ewes required each week to meet increased orders, contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

Texel £170 £131 £117 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £155 £131 £125 Prospect House (Hodgson) £145 £121 £114 £110 Mechi (Bowe) £142 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £133 £115 High Laws House (Gilroy) £120 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £116 £111 High Blaithwaite (Spark) £116 £110 Riggwood (Harrington)

Suffolk £164 Leesrigg (Carr) £126 Riggwood (Harrington) £108 West Park Farm (Brough) £105 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Dutch Texel £158 £157 £145 Cobble Croft (Batty)

Beltex £142 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)

Blue Texel £116 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Mule £90 £79 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £85 Riggwood (Harrington) £75 West Park Farm (Brough)

Cheviot £87 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)

Swaledale £42 Fellside House Farm (Pears)



