



THURSDAY 11TH JANUARY 2024 SALE OF CALVES & STIRKS, FOLLOWED BY STORE LAMBS

CALVES & STIRKS – 88

A super Opening Sale of Calves and Stirks, selling to a top of £690 for a 9-month-old Charolais Steer Stirk from CN Evans, Wheyrigg House. Five-month-old Bullocks to £630 for Limousins from RG & W Whitfield, Balladoyle Farm and Heifers to £640 on two occasions for 7-month-old Blues from Messrs Hughes, Seaville Farm.

Younger milk Calves a more selective trade with a full range forward. Topping at £460 for a 6-week-old Blue Bull from regular consignors Messrs Bailey, Moorhouse Hall Farm, with Heifers to £420 from the same good farming home.

Next sale of Calves and Stirks will be held on Thursday 25th January 2024, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786.

Overall averages: - Bulls Averaged: £389.58
 Heifers Averaged: £382.11
 Steers Averaged: £593.57

LEADING AVERAGES

Name	Total Heads	£ Average
Mr CN Evans, Wheyrigg House	3	£665.00
Messrs Hughes, Seaville Farm	7	£608.57
Messrs RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm	8	£585.00
Miss K Evans, Wheyrigg House	2	£567.50
Messrs GN Hetherington, Crookdake House	4	£492.50

Charolais Steer Stirks £690 Wheyrigg House (Evans)

British Blue Steer Stirks £675 £645 £630 Wheyrigg House (Evans) £580 x 2 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £320 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Bull Stirks £590 x 4 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £480 Beech House (Dixon)

British Blue Heifer Stirks £640 x 2 £580 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £620 x 2 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £600 Hazel Head (Harrison) £550 Beech House (Dixon)

British Blue Bull Calves £460 £430 £310 x 2 Moorhouse Hall Farm (Bailey) £400 £350 Oulton Grange (Carruthers) £370 £340 £330 £265 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £345 Gerrard House Farm (Carter) £330 £325 Beech House (Dixon) £330 £290 Greenrigg (Graham)

British Blue Heifer Calves £450 £435 £420 £290 Moorhouse Farm (Watson) £440 £400 £360 £300 £290 £160 x 2 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck) £420 £380 Moorhouse Hall Farm (Bailey) £410 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £405 £380 Hazel Head (Harrison) £375 £300 x 2 £295 Greenrigg (Graham) £310 £270 £195 Oulton Grange (Carruthers) £130 x 2 Beech House (Dixon)

Limousin Bull Stirks £630 £600 x 2 £490 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)





Limousin Bull Calves £320 £300 x 2 £160 Greenrigg (Graham)

Limousin Heifer Calves £260 x 2 Greenrigg (Graham) £185 Hazel Head (Harrison)

Charolais Bull Stirks £520 Beech House (Dixon)

Charolais Heifer Stirks £490 Wheyrigg House (Evans)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirks £480 £350 Croft House (Hunt)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirks £620 x 2 Seaville Farm (Hughes) £400 x 2 £345 x 2 Croft House (Hunt)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves £270 Gerrard House Farm (Carter) £260 x 2 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calves £265 x 2 Gerrard House Farm (Carter) £260 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Holstein Bull Calves £150 Hazel Head (Harrison) £130 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)

STORE LAMBS – 463

A larger entry than expected were forward, with a much more commercial show than seen in previous weeks, but all Lambs selling beyond expectations.

Top price of the Day was a pair of tremendous Beltex cross lambs from Sarah Pigg, Reathwaite Farm, topping at a very respectable £136.

Messrs Teasdale, Doddick Farm, consigned a tremendous run of Swaledale and Cheviot Lambs, proving any breed of sheep is no challenge at Hopes, with pens of 20+ selling up to £91 for Cheviots and £55 for Swaledale wether lambs.

More Store Sheep of all classes are required for our next sale on 25th January, please contact David Fearon on 07500 173273 to book in.

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Name	Total Heads	£ Average
JM & L Graham, Guard House	9	£119.11
BJ Harrison, Beck Farm	37	£114.24
Messrs Thirlwall, Bothel Craggs	40	£111.95
MA & S & BJ Lister, Grange Farm	2	£111.00
MA & J Thompson, High Hall	27	£110.52
WR Pigg & Son, Reathwaite Farm	19	£109.58

Beltex £136 £120 £110 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) £130 Beck Farm (Harrison) £128 Guard House (Graham) £123 £118 £117 £114 £111 High Moss Thorn (Ambler) £120 £117 £115 £111 Bothel Craggs (Thirlwall) £120 £115 £114 Walton Wood Head (Oliver) £120 High Hall (Thompson) £116 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £115 Braithwaite Farm (Clark)

Texel £120 £119 £104 £100 Fell End (Norwood) £118 x 2 Guard House (Graham) £118 £115 £113 £102 Beck Farm (Harrison) £117 £105 £104 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg) £116 £115 £112 £111 x 2 High Hall (Thompson) £111 x 2 Grange Farm (Lister) £103 Whins Farm (Hunter)





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Suffolk £112 £104 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £108 Whins Farm (Hunter) £106 High Hall (Thompson)

Mule £95 Doddick Farm (Teasdale) £75 Reathwaite Farm (Pigg)

Cheviot £91 £84 Doddick Farm (Teasdale)

Continental £85 £80 £75 Doddick Farm (Teasdale)

Swaledale £55 £53 Doddick Farm (Teasdale)



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