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TUESDAY 9TH JANUARY 2024 SALE OF PRIME CATTLE AND PRIME HOGGS

PRIME CATTLE - 18

A mixed show of Prime Cattle today, with some smaller types and some larger meated types forward, all cattle in demand pushing the trade to higher heights. Topping at 325.5pkg (£1988.81) for a classy, meated Limousin Heifer, weighing 611kg for T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands, Mawbray and purchased by Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton. The lighter weighted Heifers 501-590kg topped out at 315.5pkg (£1788.89) for a Limousin Heifer, weighing 567kg from P & A Jarman, Brow Top Farm, Branthwaite.

Top gross of the day at £2190.83 (292.5pkg) for a 749kg Limousin Steer from Ian Cape, Kirklands Guards More Cattle required for the next sale, please contact David Fearon on 07500 173273.

Overall Averages - Bullocks 292.50pkg Heifers 292.56pkg				
Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.	
651+kg	1	292.50	292.50	
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.	
501-590kgs	4	293.28	315.50	
591+kgs	13	292.38	325.50	
Top Bullock				
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor	
292.5	749	Limousin	Messrs Cape, Kirkland Guards	
Top 5 Heifers				
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor	
325.5	611	Limousin	T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands	
317.5	655	Limousin	RE Miller, West Farm	
315.5	567	Limousin	P & A Jarman, Brow Top Farm	
311.5	679	Limousin	T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands	
309.5	704	Limousin	T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands	

PER KILO

BULLOCKS - 1

Limousin 292.5 Kirkland Guards (Cape)

HEIFERS - 17

Limousin 325.5 311.5 309.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson) 317.5 West Farm (Miller) 315.5 305.5 Brow Top Farm (Jarman) 295.5 287.5 Mechi (Bowe) 293.5 Rose Farm (Stamper) 279.5 269.5 Lowside (Teasdale) 257.5 239.5 Seacroft (Williamson)

Aberdeen Angus 307.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson)

British Blue 291.5 West Farm (Miller)

Charolais 287.5 Rose Farm (Stamper) 279.5 Mechi (Bowe)



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PER HEAD

BULLOCKS - 1

Limousin £2190.83 Kirkland Guards (Cape)

HEIFERS - 17

Limousin £2178.88 £2115.09 £1988.81 High Plasketlands (Pearson) £2079.63 West Farm (Miller) £2057.44 Rose Farm (Stamper) £1970.99 £1952.13 Mechi (Bowe) £1788.89 £1692.47 Brow Top Farm (Jarman) £1735.55 £1580.70 Seacroft (Williamson) £1467.38 £1347.45 Lowside (Teasdale)

Aberdeen Angus £2124.83 High Plasketlands (Pearson)

Charolais £2024.00 Rose Farm (Stamper) £2020.79 Mechi (Bowe)

British Blue £1944.31 West Farm (Miller)



Top gross of the Day at £2190.83 (292.5pkg) went to this Limousin Steer, weighing 749 from Ian Cape, Kirkland Guards, Mealsgate

PRIME HOGGS - 1087

More forward with premiums paid for meated Hoggs of all classes 36-68kg, to a top of £185 for a 44kg Beltex from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm.

Top pence per kilo honours to 442.0pkg for a pair of 40.5kg Beltex from D Jones, The Croft.

Commercial Hoggs a penny or two easier than last week but with more forward a strong enough trade to average 299.86pkg with all included and an SQQ of 312pkg.

Top average of the day at £170.86 was taken by James Crichton, Loughrigg with 7 Beltex Hoggs, his Hoggs ranging from £162 to £180 (324.0- 383.0pkg) and an average weight of 50.71kg

More Hoggs required next week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

Overall Averages - Prime Hoggs 299.68pkg

Prime Hoggs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
32.1-39kgs	102	358.04	413.70
39.1-45.5kgs	508	304.87	442.00
45.6-52kgs	400	281.40	383.00

Top Five Hoggs Averages £: £170.86 for 7 from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg

£155.57 for 14 from D Jones, The Croft

£152.00 for 5 from Messrs S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall £148.96 for 37 from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite £148.45 for 31 from A & B Fisher, Lairdlaugh

Top Five Hoggs £: £185 for 1 weighing 44kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

£180 for 1 weighing 47kg from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg

£180 for 1 weighing 50kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

£179 for 2 weighing 40.5kg from D Jones, The Croft

£175 for 1 weighing 54kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

Top Five Hoggs pkg: 442.0 for 2 weighing 40.5kg from D Jones, The Croft

420.5 for 1 weighing 44kg from WL Musgrave & Sons, Cardew Hall Farm

413.7 for 4 weighing 36.5kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge

412.2 for 1 weighing 41kg from Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall







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411.8 for 3 weighing 36.67kg from L Skelton & Son, Low House Farm

PER HEAD

Beltex £185 £180 £175 £151 £150 £145 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) £180 £174 £172 £162 x 2 Loughrigg (Crichton) £179 £160 £152 £148 The Croft (Jones) £170 £155 £148.5 £147.5 £146 £140 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £164 £162 £156 £151 £150 x 2 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) £163 £162 £145 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £155 x 2 £151 £150.5 £142 £140 x 2 Low House Farm (Skelton) £155 £141 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £154 £153 £144 £143 £141 x 2 West Farm (Miller) £151 £150 £147.5 £146 Inglewood Edge (Hall)

Texel £171 £137 £130 Round Hill Farm (Harrison) £170 £153 £146 £141 £139 Dufton House (Fisher) £170 £147 £144 £140 £134.5 £130 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £169 £153 £151 £149 £146 £141 x 2 £140 x 2 £139.5 £139 £136 £134.5 £134.5 £133 £132 £130 x 2 Allerby Hall (Miller) £159 £140 £137 Westward Parks (Brockbank) £156 Midtown Farm (Winder) £155 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) £153 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £150 £137 £130.5 £130 Croft House



Rod Scott, West Micklethwaite sold a lovely run of 37 Beltex Hoggs to a top of £170 (410.3pkg) and an average of £148.96 (375.19pkg) with an average weight of 39.7kg

(Thomlinson) £145 £139 £138 High Hall (Thompson) £143.5 £142 £138 £132 £131 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £142 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £138 £137.5 £137 x 2 £134 x 2 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £138 Hudscales (Cowx) £137 £131.5 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £137 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) £137 Mereside Farm (Benson) £136 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £132.5 £130 Kirkland Guards (Cape) £132 Greenah Villa (Rae) £132 Mechi (Bowe)

Blue Texel £166 £148 £144 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave)

Charollais £130 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Dutch Texel £126 Mechi (Bowe)

Suffolk £123 £122.5 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Mule £120 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £117 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £110 Wellington Farm (Harrington)

Black Face £118 £106 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave)

Kerry Hill £116 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Swaledale £92 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

PER KILO

Beltex 442.0 373.0 370.0 The Croft (Jones) 420.5 360.0 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) 413.7 406.6 405.4 388.2 Inglewood Edge (Hall) 411.8 382.7 357.1 350.0 Low House Farm (Skelton) 410.3 395.3 374.4 373.6 367.1 354.4 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 394.9 376.3 351.7 West Farm (Miller) 383.0 Loughrigg (Crichton) 381.8 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 376.7 372.7 351.2 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) 371.8 Parkgate Hall (Peile) 369.0 Bothel Parks (Bowe)

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PRIME EWES - 63

More Ewes forward this week, with trade improved on the week, selling to a top of £172 for a single Beltex from James Musgrave, Cardew Hall Farm. Texels selling to £136 for a pair from W & M Miller, Jenkin Cross, closely followed by £131 for a single Suffolk from the same home. Mules were much improved on the week with a pair selling to £106 again from W & M Miller, Jenkin Cross. Texel Tups sold to £125 for WR & JM Cowx & Son, Hudscales.

More Ewes required each week, contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

Beltex £172 £130 Cardew Hall Farm (Musgrave) £135 Bothel Parks (Bowe)

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Suffolk £131 £116 Jenkin Cross (Miller) £129 Hudscales (Cowx)

Masham £125 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Mule £106 Jenkin Cross (Miller) £90 Greenah Villa (Rae)

Charollais £84 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Kerry Hill £51 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Swaledale £50 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £50 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Leicester £50 Hudscales (Cowx)

<u>TUPS – 4</u>

Texel £125 £122 Hudscales (Cowx) £96 High Blaithwaite (Spark)

Beltex £58 High Blaithwaite (Spark)



