



**TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2024**  
**SALE OF PRIME CATTLE AND PRIME HOGGS**

**PRIME CATTLE – 25**

A great show of Prime Cattle forward today, with plenty of meat on offer with trade running on a similar par to last week. It was Heifers leading the way today, in the form of a Galloway, weighing 675kg, selling to a top of 321.5pkg and topping the gross section at £2170.13 for JJ Crichton, Loughrigg, closely followed by two Limousin Heifers selling to 319.5pkg, firstly for a Limousin, weighing in at 647kg and grossing at £2067.17 also from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg and secondly for another Limousin, weighing 635kg from T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands, all three Heifers purchased by local Butcher Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton. It was a very close call for the top gross accolade today, a Limousin Heifer, weighing in at 715kg from Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall, grossing at £2170.03 (303.5pkg) just 10p short of James Crichton's' Galloway Heifer taking the top spot at £2170.13.

Top Steer today went to a Limousin, weighing 683kg, selling to 287.5pkg (£1963.63) for R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall

**BULLS – 4**

Top Bull of the day at 229.5pkg for a 17-month-old Friesian, weighing 649kg from I Grainger, Kiln Close.

Top gross Bull went to I Grainger, with his 20-month-old Friesian Bull, weighing in at 721kg and grossing at £1640.28 (227.5pkg)

More Cattle required for the next sale, please contact David Fearon on 07500 173273.

**Overall Averages -    Bullocks 280.40pkg    Heifers 291.38pkg    Bulls 227.04pkg**

Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kg	1	273.50	273.50
651+kg	4	282.00	278.50
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
501-590kg	3	289.50	289.50
591+kgs	17	291.68	321.50
Bulls	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kg	3	226.86	229.50
651+kg	1	227.50	227.50

**Top 5 Bullock**

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
287.5	683	Limousin	R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall
281.5	739	Limousin	R Miller Ltd, Arkleby Hall
280.5	655	Limousin	TB Stamper & Sons, Rose Farm
278.5	691	Simmental	TB Stamper & Sons, Rose Farm
273.5	641	Limousin	TB Stamper & Sons, Rose Farm

**Top 6 Heifers**

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
321.5	675	Galloway	JJ Crichton, Loughrigg
319.5	647	Limousin	JJ Crichton, Loughrigg
319.5	635	Limousin	T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands
303.5	715	Limousin	Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall
299.5	665	Limousin	RE Miller, West Farm
299.5	649	Limousin	T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands





### Top 4 Bulls

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
229.5	649	Friesian	I Grainger, Kiln Close
227.5	721	Friesian	I Grainger, Kiln Close
225.5	644	Montebeliard	I Grainger, Kiln Close
225.5	610	Friesian	I Grainger, Kiln Close

### PER KILO

#### BULLOCKS – 5

**Limousin** 287.5 281.5 Arkleby Hall (Miller) 280.5 273.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

**Simmental** 278.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

#### HEIFERS – 20

**Galloway** 321.5 Loughrigg (Crichton)

**Limousin** 319.5 299.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson) 319.5 Loughrigg (Crichton) 303.5 288.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) 299.5 West Farm (Miller) 289.5 x 2 Greenhill Farm (Little) 283.5 269.5 Mechi (Bowe) 283.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

**Charolais** 293.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 290.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 287.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson)

**Longhorn** 289.5 Greenhill Farm (Little)

**British Blue** 279.5 Mechi (Bowe) 275.5 West Farm (Miller)

**Aberdeen Angus** 256.5 Allerby Hall (Miller)

#### BULLS – 4

**Friesian** 229.5 227.5 225.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

**Montebeliard** 225.5 Kiln Close (Grainger)

### PER HEAD

#### BULLOCKS – 5

**Limousin** £2080.29 £1963.63 Arkleby Hall (Miller) £1837.28 £1753.14 Rose Farm (Stamper)

**Simmental** £1924.44 Rose Farm (Stamper)

#### HEIFERS – 20

**Galloway** £2170.13 Loughrigg (Crichton)



Topping today at 321.5p/kg (£2170.13) this fantastic Galloway Heifer, weighing 675kg from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg, purchased by local butcher Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton





**Limousin** £2170.03 £1886.79 Allerby Hall (Miller) £2067.17 Loughrigg (Crichton)  
£2028.83 £1943.76 High Plasketlands (Pearson) £1991.68 West Farm (Miller)  
£1951.18 £1822.91 Mechi (Bowe) £1871.10 Rose Farm (Stamper) £1600.94  
£1595.15 Greenhill Farm (Little)

**Charolais** £2111.94 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £1758.07 Greenhill Farm (Little) £1719.25  
High Plasketlands (Pearson)

**British Blue** £1889.93 West Farm (Miller) £1858.68 Mechi (Bowe)

**Aberdeen Angus** £1772.42 Allerby Hall (Miller)

**Longhorn** £1603.83 Greenhill Farm (Little)

#### BULLS – 4

**Friesian** £1640.28 £1489.46 £1375.55 Kiln Close (Grainger)

**Montebeliard** £1452.22 Kiln Close (Grainger)

#### PRIME HOGGS – 1198

A bigger show once again with a greater proportion of commercial Hoggs selling to yet another outstanding trade, with first cross lambs £100-£112 over the weights with meated sheep easiest to sell. Best Lambs breaking the £200 barrier on four occasions, to a top of £206 for 43kg twice, firstly for RN Scott, West Micklethwaite and then for S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall.

Plenty of sheep £185 plus.

Top pence per kilo were a pen of eight 36kg Beltex, grossing at £179.50 or 496.8pkg from R Hall & Sons, Inglewood Edge, whose consignment of 67 lambs averaged 453.43pkg (£168.93) for 37.2kg.

Top average of the day at £187.50, went to Messrs Watson, Cunnigarth with their run of 8 Beltex and Texel Lambs selling to £205. More Hoggs required next week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

#### Overall Averages – Prime Hoggs 354.40pkg

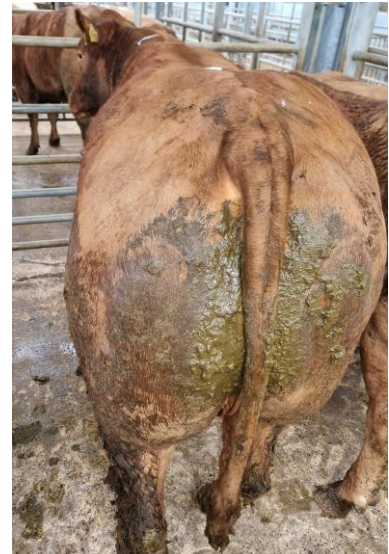
Prime Hoggs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
17-25.4kgs	1	100.00	100.00
25.5-32kgs	4	376.38	396.90
32.1-39kgs	258	400.36	496.80
39.1-45.5kgs	501	355.25	485.40
45.6-52kgs	335	326.27	436.00

#### Top Five Hoggs Averages £:

£187.50 for 8 from Messrs Watson, Cunnigarth  
£180.20 for 5 from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall  
£179.75 for 4 from JJ Crichton, Loughrigg  
£176.33 for 21 from Messrs RE Miller, West Farm  
£175.43 for 42 from A & B Fisher, Lairdlaugh

#### Top Six Hoggs £:

£206 for 1 weighing 43kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite  
£206 for 1 weighing 43kg from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall  
£205 for 1 weighing 47kg from Messrs Watson, Cunnigarth  
£200 for 1 weighing 43kg from Messrs Watson, Cunnigarth  
£199 for 1 weighing 49kg from JM Wharton & Son, Snade  
£199 for 1 weighing 41kg from TA & A Jefferson, Aspatria Hall



This Limousin Heifer, weighing 715kg grossed at £2170.03 (303.5pkg) for Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall



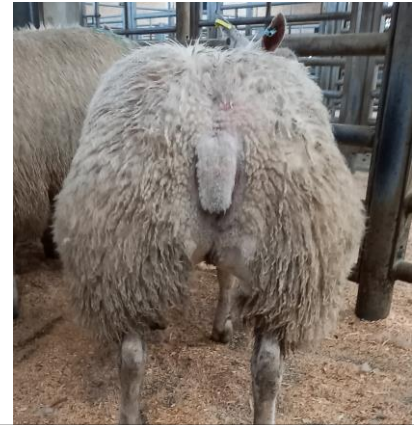


### Top Five Hogs pkg:

496.8 for 8 weighing 36kg from R Hall & Son, Inglewood Edge  
485.4 for 1 weighing 41kg from TA & A Jefferson, Aspatria Hall  
484.6 for 1 weighing 39kg from Jacob Bowe, Bothel Parks  
479.1 for 1 weighing 43kg from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall  
479.1 for 1 weighing 43kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite

### PER HEAD

**Beltex** £206 £196 £174.5 £171 £164 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £206 £190 £189  
Parkgate Hall (Peile) £200 £185 £173 Cunnigarth (Watson) £199 £190 £185 £178  
£177 £174 £168 £167 £160 £151 Snade (Wharton) £199 £188 £179 £171 £167  
Aspatria Hall (Jefferson) £190 £189 £188 £186 £175 £170 £168.5 £168 West Farm  
(Miller) £189 £186 £180 £179 £175 £174.5 £171 £169 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) £189 £167  
£159 £150 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £186 £183 x 2 £167 Loughrigg (Crichton) £185 £170  
£163 £158 Prospect House (Hodgson) £179.5 £176 £174 £168 £163 £160 £157  
Inglewood Edge (Hall) £168 £156 £153 £152 £151.5 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) £167.5  
£163 £151 x 2 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)



Messrs Watson, Cunnigarth sold a run of 8 Beltex and Texel Hogs to £205 (436pkg) for a single Texel weighing 47kg, taking the run to top the averages at a very respectable £187.50 and 404.31pkg

**Texel** £205 £186 £180 Cunnigarth (Watson) £194 £181 £172 £162 Thistle Bottom  
(Paterson) £179 £175 £169 £159 x 2 £145 x 2 Hill House (Harrison) £174 £173.5  
£170 £165.5 £164 £161 x 3 £160.5 £159 £156.5 £156 x 2 £155 £153 £152 x 2 £151.5  
£150 Allerby Hall (Miller) £174 £168 £165 £145.5 The Thwaites (Dixon) £173  
£170 £162 £159 £157 x 3 £149 x 2 £146.5 Westward Parks (Brockbank) £171  
£169 £156 £149 £148 £146 £145 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £171 £154 Croft  
House (Thomlinson) £169 x 2 £164 £162 High Laws House (Gilroy) £160 £154  
Heartsome Cottage (Graham & Fearon) £159 £148.5 £148 £145 x 3 Bromfield  
Farms (Armstrong) £152.5 £148.5 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £150 Powheads  
(Barrow) £145 Netherby Street (Huddleston) £145 Wellington Farm  
(Harrington)

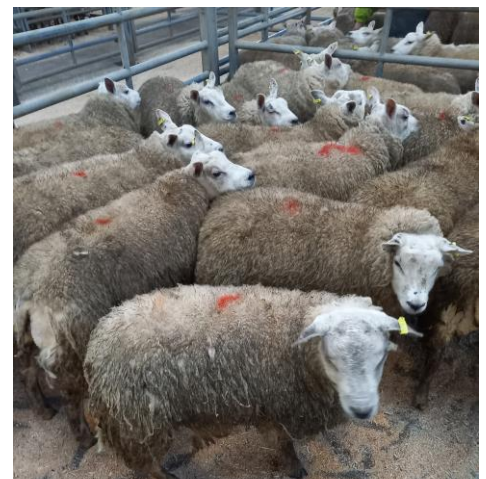
**Dutch Texel** £184 £182 £177 £175 £173 x 2 £169 The Laurels Farm (Steel) £151  
£148 Mechi (Bowe)

**Suffolk** £163 Prospect House (Hodgson) £159 £141.5 £140 Hill House  
(Harrison) £132 West Park Farm (Brough)

**Mule** £130 Hill House (Harrison) £129.5 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

**Hampshire** £127 Hill House (Harrison)

**Swaledale** £114 Whitehead Brow (Richardson)



R & S Nixon & Co, Oakwood Farm sold a run of 56 Beltex Hogs to £168 and 419.2pkg, taking their average to £142.62 and 379.79pkg

### PER KILO

**Beltex** 496.8 460.1 456.3 454.1 444.4 437.3 417.6 Inglewood Edge (Hall)  
485.4 416.3 400.0 Aspatria Hall (Jefferson) 484.6 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 479.1  
457.5 445.5 407.5 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 479.1 444.7 431.8 Parkgate  
Hall (Peile) 465.1 432.5 Cunnigarth (Watson) 453.7 420.0 413.0 405.8  
404.8 400.0 West Farm (Miller) 446.7 423.3 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 435.7  
427.5 424.4 422.2 406.1 Snade (Wharton) 421.8 420.0 413.3 413.0 406.8  
400.0 Lairdlaugh (Fisher) 420.5 404.8 Prospect House (Hodgson) 419.2 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) 406.7 Loughrigg (Crichton)





**Texel** 437.5 426.2 397.5 397.0 381.6 377.6 366.7 Hill House (Harrison) 436.0 400.0 383.0 Cunnigarth (Watson) 416.2 362.6 Heartsome Cottage (Graham & Fearon) 404.2 382.2 362.0 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) 400.0 375.6 350.8 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 392.7 387.3 376.1 365.9 365.6 356.5 354.3 351.9 350.6 Allerby Hall (Miller) 392.0 Whitehead Brow (Richardson) 388.5 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 384.8 365.7 Powheads (Barrow) 384.1 High Laws House (Gilroy) 382.4 The Thwaites (Dixon) 371.7 364.9 Croft House (Thomlinson) 368.1 367.1 359.0 355.6 Westward Parks (Brockbank) 364.6 355.2 350.8 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 356.3 Midtown Farming (Dowling) 355.6 Midtown Farm (Bowe) 352.6 Mechi (Bowe)

**Dutch Texel** 400.0 396.8 387.2 321.7 Mechi (Bowe) 380.4 348.3 321.8 The Laurels Farm (Steel)

**Suffolk** 326.0 Prospect House (Hodgson) 325.6 324.5 302.2 Hill House (Harrison) 277.9 West Park Farm (Brough)

**Mule** 289.8 Hill House (Harrison) 276.2 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

**Swaledale** 285.0 Whitehead Brow (Richardson)

**Hampshire** 270.2 Hill House (Harrison)

### PRIME EWES – 60

A nice show of meated Ewes forward today selling to a sharper trade and an average of £105.57.

Suffolks leading the way today at £152 for a strong stocky Suffolk Ewe from John Hodgson, Drumburgh Castle Farming. Texels selling to £146 for a single Ewe DG & AV Crozier, Cowlyers, Silloth and Mules selling to £116 for a single Ewe from Messrs Fearon, Fell View Farm. More Ewes required each week, contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

**Suffolk** £152 £137 Drumburgh Castle Farming (Hodgson) £138 The Laurels Farm (Steel)

**Texel** £146 Cowlyers (Crozier) £144 £128 Fern Gulley (Jackson) £140 £124 Hill House (Harrison) £136 Allerby Hall (Miller) £136 Midtown Farm (Bowe) £135 £133 The Thwaites (Dixon) £128 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) £124 Fell View Farm (Fearon)

**Beltex** £145 Midtown Farm (Bowe) £122 The Thwaites (Dixon)

**Blue De Maine** £134 Kirkland Guards (Cape)

**Mule** £116 Fell View Farm (Fearon) £104 Drumburgh Castle Farming (Hodgson)

**Cheviot** £104 Hill House (Harrison)

**Kerry Hill** £80 Fell View Farm (Fearon)

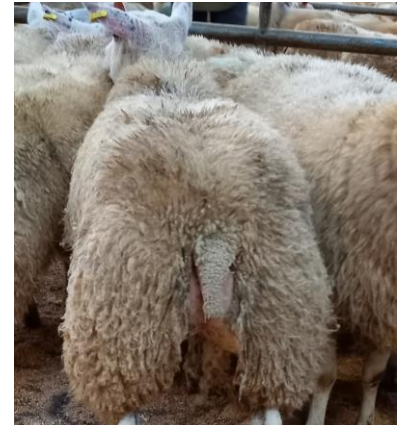
**Swaledale** £64 £50 Fell View Farm (Fearon)

### RAMS - 3

**Charollais** £120 Newby Hall (Murray)

**Suffolk** £116 Drumburgh Castle Farming (Hodgson)

**Texel** £105 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)



JE Brockbank & Sons, Westward Parks sold a run of 58 Texel Hoggs to £173 and 368.1pkg with an average of £148.34.

