



THURSDAY 25TH APRIL 2024

SALE OF PRIME CATTLE

PRIME CATTLE – 32

Another great run of 32 Clean Cattle was on offer at Hopes Auction on Thursday 25th April, with a lovely run of meat throughout.

Topping the pence per kilo section, a tremendous Limousin X Heifer from Messrs J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall, weighing in at 661kg, selling to 326pkg and grossing up at a very respectable price of £2151.56, purchased by local Butcher Paul Harrison for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton.

Top gross of the day, a lovely Limousin X Heifer from Timmy Pearson, High Plasketlands, Mawbray, weighing in at 734kg, selling to a staggering £2183.65 or 298pkg.

Steers sold to 289.5pkg for a Limousin, weighing 673kg and grossing at £1948.34. Top gross Steer at £1968.35, again went to Messrs J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall with a British Blue.

Please note Prime Cattle are wanted NEXT THURSDAY 2ND MAY, any questions or queries please do not hesitate to contact David Fearon on 07500 173273

Overall Averages - **Bullocks 278.60pkg**
 Heifers 290.12pkg

Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kg	1	288.50	288.50
651+kgs	3	275.72	289.50

Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
330-500kgs	1	261.50	261.50
501-590kgs	4	304.67	319.50
591+kgs	20	288.84	325.50

Top 4 Bullocks

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
289.5	673	Limousin	J & ES Scott & Son, Mid Farm
288.5	621	Limousin	RW & A Steel, Lessonhall
275.5	708	Limousin	Messrs Bowe, Mechi
263.5	747	British Blue	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall

Top 5 Heifers

Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
325.5	661	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
319.5	659	Limousin	Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall
315.5	584	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
311.5	542	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
310.5	604	Limousin	J & ES Scott & Son, Mid Farm

PER KILO

BULLOCKS – 4

Limousin 289.5 Mid Farm (Scott) 288.5 Lessonhall (Steel) 275.5 Mechi (Bowe)

British Blue 263.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)





HEIFERS – 25

Limousin 325.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 319.5 273.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) 315.5 311.5 281.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 310.5 Mid Farm (Scott) 309.5 299.5 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper) 305.5 297.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson) 298.5 West Farm (Miller) 287.5 279.5 266.5 Mechi (Bowe) 287.5 276.5 The Thwaites (Dixon) 261.5 Allerby Hall (Miller)

British Blue 305.5 291.5 High Plasketlands (Pearson) 274.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Charolais 277.5 West Farm (Miller) 275.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 267.5 Mechi (Bowe)

Aberdeen Angus 263.5 Lessonhall (Steel)

PER HEAD

BULLOCKS – 4

British Blue £1968.35 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Limousin £1950.54 Mechi (Bowe) £1948.34 Mid Farm (Scott) £1791.59 Lessonhall (Steel)

HEIFERS – 25

Limousin £2183.65 £2065.18 High Plasketlands (Pearson) £2151.56 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £2105.51 £1736.73 Allerby Hall (Miller) £2061.38 £1827.67 The Thwaites (Dixon) £2040.35 £1854.38 £1801.54 Mechi (Bowe) £2036.51 £1952.74 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper) £1982.04 West Farm (Miller) £1875.42 Mid Farm (Scott) £1842.52 £1691.82 £1688.33 Greenhill Farm (Little) £1647.45 Allerby Hall (Miller)

Charolais £2097.90 West Farm (Miller) £1950.08 Mechi (Bowe) £1697.08 Greenhill Farm (Little)

British Blue £2066.74 £2019.36 High Plasketlands (Pearson) £1987.38 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Aberdeen Angus £1631.07 Lessonhall (Steel)



Lot 610 – Topping at 325.5pkg (£2151.56) this Limousin Heifer, weighing 661kg from J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall and purchased by RJ Harrison & Sons Ltd for his King Street Butchers Shop, Wigton



Lot 607 – Top gross of the Day at £2183.65 (297.5pkg) this Limousin Heifer, weighing 734kg from T Pearson & Son, High Plasketlands

