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TUESDAY 2ND APRIL 2024 SALE OF PRIME CATTLE AND PRIME HOGGS

PRIME CATTLE - 9

A smaller but great show of cattle on offer at Hopes with a real run of meat. D A Harrison, Hill House presented two lovely Limousin x Heifers with one topping the ppk section weighing in at 686kg selling for the top of 333.5pkg resulting up at a very impressive £2287.81 with the same good farming also going on to take the top lump sum at a staggering £2419.26 weighing in at 732kg selling for 330.5ppk.

Another highlight of the sale was a dairy bred blue heifer from Messrs J Dixon & Sons, Lesson Hall weighing in at 757kg selling for 309.5ppk adding up to a whopping £2342.92 with all 3 top prices selling to R J Harrison & Son, King Street, Wigton.

Please note going forward the Prime Cattle sales are going to on to a Thursday to ensure all cattle are sold to the best of our abilities starting as of Thursday 11th April 10:30am following the sale of OTM Cattle.

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

Overall Averages -Heifers 303.90pkg

Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
501-590kg	4	300.61	327.50
591+kgs	5	306.13	333.50

Top 5 Heifers			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
333.5	686	Limousin	D A Harrison, Hill House
330.5	732	Limousin	D A Harrison, Hill House
327.5	589	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
313.5	565	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
313.5	575	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm

PER KILO

HEIFERS - 9

Limousin 333.5 330.5 Hill House (Harrison) 327.5 313.5 (2) Greenhill Farm (Little) 301.5 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper)

British Blue 309.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Hereford 247.5 Cumdivock House (Gardhouse)

PER HEAD

HEIFERS - 9

Limousin £2419.26 £2287.81 Hill House (Harrison) £1928.98 £1802.63 £1771.28 Greenhill Farm (Little) £1842.17 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper)

British Blue £2342.92 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Hereford £1534.50 Cumdivock House (Gardhouse)







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PRIME HOGGS - 894

A super show of sheep creating a trade far in excess of recent tradings. The overall average of 444p/kg breaking records together with an SQQ of 468p/kg producing a wholesale average of a staggering £200.99.

Top today £276 for a 50kg Beltex from N Fisher, Dufton House with p/kg honours topping at 615.0p/kg for a pen of 5 40kg Beltex Hoggs from R N Scott, West Micklethwaite.

Please contact the auctioneers for further information on the best way to market your prime sheep.

For Hoggs are required for all classes next week, please take advantage of the trade and contact David Bowman on 07721 616786

Overall Averages - Prime Hoggs 444.37pkg

Prime Hoggs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
25.5-32kgs	1	281.25	281.30
32.1-39kgs	45	459.25	600.00
39.1-45.5kgs	428	467.83	615.00
45.6-52kgs	320	416.32	552.00

Top Five Hoggs Averages £: £261.20 for 5 from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall

£231.16 for 37 from W Robshaw, Beck House Farm £231.00 for 32 from R N Scott, West Micklethwaite £218.49 for 35 from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm £215.33 for 6 from Messrs Paterson, Thistle Bottom

Top Five Hoggs £: £276.00 for 1 weighing 50kg from N Fisher, Dufton House

£274.00 for 2 weighing 55kg from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall £256.00 for 1 weighing 45kg from R N Scott, West Micklethwaite £254.00 for 2 weighing 47.5kg from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall £250.00 for 1 weighing 56kg from S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall

Top Five Hoggs pkg: 615.0 for 5 weighing 40kg from R N Scott, West Micklethwaite

600.0 for 1 weighing 38kg from J M Wharton & Son, Snade 577.2 for 2 weighing 39.5kg from J M Wharton & Son, Snade 571.1 for 2 weighing 41.5kg from W Robshaw, Beck House Farm 571.1 for 10 weighing 40.1kg from R N Scott, West Micklethwaite

PER HEAD

Beltex £276 £230 £228 Dufton House (Fisher) £274 £254 £250 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £256 £246 (2) £236 £234 £229 £226 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £246 £239 £237 £236 £235 £234 (2) £232 £222 £220 (2) £219 (2) Beck House Farm (Robshaw) £240 £229 £228 £226 £222 £221 West Farm (Miller) £228 (2) £220 Snade (Wharton) £225 £220 £216 Allerby Hall (Miller) £225 £219 Pasture House (Lawson) £217 Fir Trees Farm (Phillips) £216 Thethwaite Farm (Bell)

Texel £243 £228 £208 £206 (2) £197 £193 £191 Midtown Farm (Winder) £230 The Laurels (Steel) £229 £224 £196 (2) £193 £179 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £228 £220 £202 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £222 £200.5 £192.5 £186 £184 £173 Allerby Hall (Miller) £222 Pasture House (Lawson) £213 £184 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £212 £206 £203 £202 West Micklethwaite Farm (Paisley) £206 £204 £197 £188 £184 £183 (2) £177 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright) £200 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) £194 £183 (2) £179 (2) £178 Wellington Farm (Harrington)





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Charollais £229 £226 £220 £218 £212 £200 £197 £195 £194 (2) £193 £191 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Dutch Texel £218 £217.5 £211 £207 £201 The Laurels (Steel)

Suffolk £216 £208 West Farm (Miller) £210 Kiln Close (Grainger) £202 £194 (2) Midtown Farm (Winder) £201 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough) £186 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Jacob £216 The Laurels (Steel)

Blue Texel £205 £176 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Millenium Bleu £165 £160 Rosemount (Jackson)

Clun £124 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)



Texel Hogg from MA & J Thompson, High Hall who had a run of 4 hoggs to average £169.25

PER KILO

Beltex 615.0 571.1 568.9 559.1 553.1 502.2 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 600.0 577.2 548.6 530.1 527.2 520.1 517.9 Snade (Wharton) 571.1 566.2 561.8 549.4 544.0 531.0 524.7 523.3 521.4 516.3 506.0 (2) 504.8 Beck House Farm (Robshaw) 562.5 503.4 492.0 Pasture House (Lawson) 552.0 Dufton House (Fisher) 541.4 532.6 531.8 520.0 West Farm (Miller) 534.7 498.2 Parkgate Hall (Peile) 510.8 496.0 Fir Trees Farm (Phillips) 500.0 489.1 Allerby Hall (Miller)

Texel 503.0 433.0 424.0 410.6 401.6 394.9 385.0 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 490.9 419.6 416.0 412.0 411.6 406.2 404.9 396.2 Midtown Farm (Winder) 476.8 460.0 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 457.8 438.7 432.6 426.1 423.0 403.6 Allerby Hall (Miller) 456.0 455.2 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) 451.0 435.9 435.7 416.3 412.0 402.0 395.0 394.1 394.0 391.7 Tarnrigg Moor (Wright) 444.0 Pasture House (Lawson) 431.1 407.3 406.0 391.6 Micklethwaite Farm (Paisley) 412.8 389.8 389.4 386.6 386.4 Wellington Farm (Harrington) 400.0 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough)

Charollais 491.3 478.3 473.9 458.0 447.7 440.9 431.7 425.5 419.8 397.9 393.3 390.0 388.6 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Dutch Texel 460.0 458.7 456.8 453.1 407.5 The Laurels (Steel)

Blue Texel 436.4 427.1 Kiln Close (Grainger)

Millenium Bleu 430.5 407.6 Rosemount (Jackson)

Suffolk 405.2 400.0 West Farm (Miller) 404.3 396.2 Kiln Close (Grainger) 384.2 383.5 380.4 Midtown Farm (Winder) 372.2 Cherry Tree Farm (Brough)

Jacob 378.9 The Laurels (Steel)

Clun 240.8 Oulton Grange (Carruthers)







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PRIME EWES – 72

Plenty of decent quality meated Ewes, selling to a top of £246 for a single Texel from P Wybergh, Borrans Hill closely followed by £240 for a single Texel from L F Raven, Priestcroft.

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

Texel £246 £224 £200 £182 £160 Borranshill (Wybergh) £240 £199 £170 £165 Priestcroft (Raven) £240 High House (Norman) £220 £186 £161 £154 Allerby Hall (Miller) £220 £184 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £186 £150 The Croft (Sharpe) £182 £164 The Faulds (Greenbank) £182 £180 £172 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £176 £136 High Hall (Thompson)

£170 Riggwood (Harrington) £140 Swinsty Farm (Tiffin)

Suffolk £190 The Clappers (Brough) £152 Jenkin Cross (Miller)

Leicester £140 Springfields (Murdock)

Mule £136 Riggwood (Harrington) £130 Jenkin Cross (Miller) £126 Carwath (Coulthard) £126 High Hall (Thompson) £120 Grange Farm (Hayton) £106 The Clappers (Brough)

Swaledale £104 Grange Farm (Hayton)

Goat £89 The Croft (Sharpe)

Hampshire £82 The Croft (Sharpe)



A pair of real Limousin Cattle from

D A Harrison, Hill House, purchased by

R J Harrison, King Street, Wigton

L - £2419.26 - 732kg - 330.5p/kg

R - £2287.81 - 686kg - 333.5p/kg



