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FRIDAY 22ND AUGUST 2025

'LADS NIGHT OUT AND SINGLE LADIES'

The Lads Night out saw a superb catalogue entry of 236 Rams and 85 Single Ladies, with a very busy buzz about the place from the word go.

The Judging of Rams was in the very capable hands of local and strong Prime Ring supporter, Mr Alan Fotheringham, Fairfield Farm, Pica, who awarded his Champion Rosette and the David Peile Memorial Trophy to his first place in the MV Accredited section, a Texel Ram Lamb from Craig Campbell, Highfield House.

The Reserve Champion ticket was awarded to the Any Other Breed first place, from first time consignors Page Farms, Rookwith House, with their Beltex X Blue Texel Shearling Ram. After their hefty journey across from Ripon, the Page Farm team went on to top the sale with a meat machine of a Pure Beltex Shearling, setting the top price of a very respectable £2100, selling to the well renowned prime sheep breeders Messrs Dent, Elm House. This same good farming also went on to sell another Pure Beltex for £1600.

Kevin Wilson from the Wood Farm, rocked up with as good a run of Tups as seen, ticking all the boxes with skins, power, and shape, taking the second top spot of the day at a whooping £2000 and others at £1300 x 2 and £1200.

Another mention must go to Caleb Todhunter, Greyrigg House, who was the last vendor of the evening but had the goods to keep the buyers waiting with an exceptional Beltex X Texel Shearling, selling for £1700.

From the start there was a very noticeable divide in the demand for strong powerful Tups but a lot less demand for smaller shaper types.

SINGLE LADIES

MV SHEARLINGS

Texel £650 Highfield House (Campbell) £440 £400 £360 £320 £300 Fern Gulley (Jackson) £360 (2) £320 £300 £260 Park View (Pyman)

Dutch Texel £260 (2) £240 £210 Park View (Pyman)

NON MV SHEARLINGS

Texel £500 £480 £350 £300 Summer Hill (Ashburner) £420 £380 (2) £360 £300 (3) £280 Orchard House Farm (Reed)

Beltex £450 Thackwood (Wales) £280 £220 £200 The Bow (Norman)







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NON MV EWE LAMBS

Beltex £160 £155 £140 £130 (2) Deer Park (Crawford)

MV Class	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize
Texel Ram Lamb	R & E Campbell,	R & E Campbell,	R & E Campbell,
	Highfield House	Highfield House	Highfield House

LADS NIGHT OUT

MV TUPS

MV SHEARLINGS

Texel £600 £500 £380 £360 (2) £320 £280 Fern Gulley (Jackson)

MV TUP LAMBS

Texel £550 £380 £320 £300 Highfield House (Campbell)

Suffolk £350 Fern Gulley (Jackson)

NON MV SHEARLINGS TUPS

Beltex £2100 £1600 £1150 £900 £800 Rookwith House (Page) £1700 £1100 £900 £650 Greyrigg
House (Todhunter) £1300 £850 Thackwood (Wales) £1300 £1000 £750 Meadow View (Merrall) £900
£800 £700 (2) £650 £550 £500 Farewell Grange (McCune) £850 Kinning Hall (Bell) £800 £750 £700
(4) £600 (3) £550 (3) £500 (2) Parkgate Hall (Peile) £800 Kirkhouse (Dean) £800 (2) £750 £650 £500
The Croft (Jones) £700 £650 £600 £500 Holly Barn (Peile) £500 (2) Pasture Wood (McCrone)

Texel £2000 £1300 (2) £1200 £1100 (2) £800 £650 £500 Wood Farm (Wilson) £1300 £1100 (2) £1000 (2) £850 £700 (3) Terrace Farm (Armstrong) £1100 Thorns Farm (McGimpsey) £1100 £1000 £850



CHAMPION 2025

(L)Abbie Blacklock from Tynedale
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Ava & Thea Peile with the David
Peile Memorial Trophy

R & E Campbell, Highfield House pictured with his Champion Texel

(R) Judge Alan Fotheringham







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£800 Kinning Hall (Bell) £1100 £900 £800 (2) £700 £550 £500 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £1000 (2) £900 £700 Springfield Farm Court (Roddan) £1000 £850 £700 £650 £600 Orchard House Farm (Reed) £900 Thackwood (Wales) £800 £400 (2) Arkleby House (Wilkinson) £800 £700 £600 £500 Meadow View (Merrall) £800 Kirkhouse (Dean) £500 Beck Farm (Harrison) £500 (2) £450 Holly Barn (Peile) £500 (3) Pasture Wood (McCrone)

Suffolk x £900 Meadow View (Merrall)

Blue Texel £600 Rookwith House (Page)

Dutch Texel £580 Aspatria Hall (Jefferson)

Black Texel £550 Parkgate Hall (Bella Peile)

Blue Texel £160 Foulsyke Farm (Bowe)

Badger face £160 Foulsyke Farm (Bowe)

Dutch Spotted £160 (2) £140 (2) Cragnook Farm (Mitchell)

NON MV TUP LAMBS

Texel £800 (2) £600 £500 Arkleby House (Wilkinson) £750 Pasture House (Danny Lawson) £650 £600 Orchard House Farm (Reed) £580 £550 Pasture House (James Lawson) £400 West Park Farm (Brough)

Beltex £620 Pasture House (James Lawson) £580 Pasture House (Ella Lawson) £580 Pasture House (Emma Peile) £300 West Park Farm (Brough)

Suffolk £620 £580 £480 The Croft (Brough) £620 £420 £280 £260 (2) Drumburgh Castle (Hodgson) £400 West Park Farm (Brough)

OLDER TUPS

Beltex 3 Shear Tups - £650 Pasture Wood (McCrone)

Non MV Class	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize
Texel Ram Lamb	G Wilkinson, Arkleby	James Lawson, Pasture	G Wilkinson, Arkleby
	House	House	House
Texel Shearling Ram	H McCimpsey, Thorns	G Reed, Orchard House	E J C Dean, Kirkhouse
	Farm	Farm	
Beltex Ram Lamb	CP & JA Brough, West	Ella Lawson, Pasture	L Crawford, Deer Park
	Park Farm	House	









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Beltex Shearling Ram	Page Farms, Rookwith House	D Jones, The Croft	D Jones, The Croft	
AOB Ram Lamb	Chloe Brough, The Croft	CP & JA Brough, West Park Farm	CP & JA Brough, West Park Farm	
AOB Shearling Ram	Page Farms, Rookwith House	Page Farms, Rookwith House	J Merrall, Meadow View	
Overall Champion	R & E Campbell, Highfield House (MV Section)			
Reserve Champion	Page Farms, Rookwith House (Non MV Section)			



RESERVE CHAMPION 2025

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Page Farms, Rookwith House

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