



**TUESDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> DECEMBER 2025**

**SALE OF PRIME SHEEP**

**PRIME LAMBS – 1725**

A super show of meated sheep and a sharper trade once again, spreading seasonal cheer across the sale, with a lift of 10p on the week, to level just short of 350pkg and an SQQ of 365pkg.

Top today at £200 for a 50kg Beltex lamb from JT & EM Marrs & Son, Broomhills Farm.

Pence per Kilo to 460pkg for a 35kg Beltex and £161 for DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm.

Top average of the day was secured by The Laurels Farm at £183.79 for 19 Dutch Texel Lambs forward.

Our next Sale of Prime Sheep will be held on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> December 2025, please advise entries for marketing to David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

**PLEASE NOTE – ALL LAMBS MUST BE BELLY CLIPPED, PLEASE PRESENT YOUR LAMBS EARLIER TO THE MART.**

**Overall Averages – Prime Lambs 349.87pkg**

**SQQ – 365.21pkg**

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg
32.1-39.0kgs	82	375.68	460.00
39.1-45.5kgs	865	364.36	438.00
45.6-52.0kgs	522	338.70	400.00
Over 52.1kgs	256	325.03	360.00

**Top Five Lambs Averages £:** £183.79 for 19 from The Laurels Farm, The Laurels  
£177.33 for 6 from D Batty, Cobble Croft  
£177.33 for 3 from TB Stamper & Sons Farms, Harrot Hill Farm  
£177.20 for 5 from A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm  
£174.00 for 2 from Cleo Byers-Hiscock, Ellenbank

**Top Five Lambs £:** £200 for 1 weighing 50kg from JT & EM Marrs & Son, Broomhills Farm  
£191 for 1 weighing 52kg from TB Stamper & Sons Farms, Harrot Hill Farm  
£190 for 1 weighing 51kg from JT & EM Marrs & Son, Broomhills Farm  
£190 for 1 weighing 58kg from TB Stamper & Sons Farms, Harrot Hill Farm  
£189 for 2 weighing 49.5kg from The Laurels Farm, The Laurels

**Top Five Lambs pkg:** 460.0 for 2 weighing 35kg from DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm  
446.8 for 2 weighing 38.5kg from DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm  
444.4 for 1 weighing 36kg from A & MJ Trafford, Bassenthwaite Farm  
438.4 for 4 weighing 36.5kg from DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm  
438.0 for 4 weighing 39.5kg from DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm

**PER HEAD**

**Beltex** £200 £190 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £186 £180 £177 £175 £174 x 2 £169.5 £169 £163 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) £182 £160 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford) £180 £179 £177 £173 x 3 £172 £171 166 £165 £161 £160 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £177 £176 £171 x 2 £170 £163 £161 x 2 £160 Bothel Parks (Bowe)

**Texel** £191 £190 Harrot Hill Farm (Stamper) £185 £180 £173 £169.5 £169 x 2 £168.5 £167 £166 £165.5 Wood Farm (Wilson) £181 x 2 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford) £180 £179 £178 £176 £175 £174 £173 £168 x 4 £167 £166 £165 x 3 Hill House (Harrison) £180 £178 Mechi (Bowe) £179 £168 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £178 x 3 £175.5 £174 x 2 £173 x 2 £171 £169 x 3 £168 x 2 £167 £165 x 3 Allerby Hall (Miller) £176 £172 £170 Arkleby House (Wilkinson) £176 £167 x 2 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake) £175 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £174 £166 £165 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £174 Hunters Place (Hunter) £173 £169 £165 Hundith House (Lawson) £172 The Bow (Norman) £171 £170 £165 x 2 Wellington Farm (Wellington Farm Aspatria) £171 £170 West Farm (Miller) £170 Orchard Drive (Potts) £167 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £167 Thrang Cragg (Robinson) £166 x 2 The Bow (Norman) £166 Evening Hill (Evening Hill Farm) £166 Meadow View (Merrall) £165 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)





**Dutch Texel** £189 £187 £185 x 2 £184 £183 £181 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm) £186 £184 £175 £172 Cobble Croft (Batty) £181 £172 £170 Mechi (Bowe)

**Suffolk** £180 £176 £175 x 2 £169 £166.5 £160 £159 Wood Farm (Wilson) £174 Ellenbank (Byers-Hiscock) £171.5 £157 £153 Townend Farm (Sayer) £170 £167 £159.5 £159 £154 x 2 Hill House (Harrison) £167 £156 Mechi (Bowe) £164 Meadow View (Merrall) £160 £158 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £152 Orchard Drive (Potts) £151 The Bow (Norman)

**Cheviot Mule** £175 £159 Wood Farm (Wilson) £147 Hill House (Harrison)

**Mule** £165 £155 Ellenbank (Byers) £150 Hundith House (Lawson) £134 East Town End Farm (Palmer) £132 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £131 Park House Farm (Brennand)

**Cheviot** £154 East Town End Farm (Palmer) £134 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £119 Elva Plain (Weir)

**Herdwick** £146.5 Prospect House (Gott) £143 East Town End Farm (Palmer)

**Blue Texel** £141 The Bow (Norman)

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**Beltex** 460.0 446.8 438.4 438.0 435.6 431.7 422.0 421.2 416.9 411.6 407.1 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 444.4 404.4 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford) 435.0 427.8 410.3 407.5 400.0 Oakwood Farm (Nixon) 434.8 412.0 411.6 407.6 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 400.0 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

**Texel** 431.6 418.6 416.7 404.8 387.6 378.8 378.7 377.7 377.5 374.7 374.6 373.6 372.5 370.0 Hill House (Harrison) 425.6 396.6 388.6 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 411.8 Park House Farm (Brennand) 402.4 400.7 393.0 387.0 x 2 386.7 386.2 381.9 378.3 376.7 374.4 372.7 370.8 370.7 Allerby Hall (Miller) 395.2 Evening Hill (Evening Hill Farm) 395.2 Meadow View (Merrall) 390.8 390.5 388.4 385.7 381.7 380.9 370.8 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 390.5 373.6 West Farm (Miller) 388.6 376.7 375.0 373.6 Wellington Farm (Wellington Farm Aspatria) 387.8 385.7 Orchard Drive (Potts) 382.3 379.5 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake) 381.4 Newbiggin Grange (Maitland) 381.1 372.5 The Bow (Norman) 379.3 Riggwood (Harrington) 379.1 Mechi (Bowe) 376.2 Howgill Farm (Brough) 371.9 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile)

**Dutch Texel** 389.6 381.8 345.3 325.5 319.1 316.2 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm) 389.1 386.0 385.9 367.0 354.8 335.2 333.3 Mechi (Bowe) 382.2 379.6 375.5 336.5 Cobble Croft (Batty)

**Suffolk** 360.6 351.1 350.3 338.5 323.1 321.6 Hill House (Harrison) 359.1 321.6 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 354.2 351.2 329.8 Townend Farm (Sayer) 353.5 Orchard Drive (Potts) 348.5 The Bow (Norman) 335.0 327.4 326.5 325.6 x 2 320.6 315.8 308.9 288.5 Wood Farm (Wilson) 320.5 309.3 Mechi (Bowe) 310.7 Ellenbank (Byers-Hiscock) 292.9 Meadow View (Merrall)

**Blue Texel** 346.0 The Bow (Norman)

**Cheviot** 341.8 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) 329.5 Elva Plain (Weir) 318.6 East Town End Farm (Palmer)

**Herdwick** 338.3 Prospect House (Gott) 332.6 East Town End Farm (Palmer) 325.4 Elva Plain (Weir)



Messrs RE Miller, West Farm sold a run of 26 Texel Lambs to £171 for a pen of eight, taking their average to £166.08 and 365.0pkg



John Harrington, Riggwood sold a run of 32 Texel Lambs to £155 for a pen of 10, taking John's average to £150.16 or 365.97pkg. John also sold Texel Ewes to £225





**Mule** 314.7 Hundith House (Lawson) 312.6 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) 307.5 Park House Farm (Brennand) 301.0 292.0 Ellenbank (Byers) 293.4 East Town End Farm (Palmer)

**Cheviot Mule** 348.8 Hill House (Harrison) 330.3 313.7 Wood Farm (Wilson)

## **PRIME EWES – 218**

Geld Ewes were a flier of a trade with buyers all in the Christmas Spirit. Top price of the day was achieved three times on the day, firstly, twice from Josh Merrell, Meadow View and then from Frazer Clark, Winston Terrace, Moresby.

Trade throughout was sharper on the week with all sheep selling well and releasing a respectable average of £154.22.

More stock required to satisfy buyers demand, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

**Texel** £260 x 2 £240 £215 Meadow View (Merrall) £260 Winston Terrace (Clark) £252 £222 £206 £190 Wood Farm (Wilson) £246 £245 x 2 £240 £218 £204 £170 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £225 Riggwood (Harrington) £220 £208 £200 £182 Croft End Farm (Fisher) £210 £175 £174 The Bow (Norman) £208 £202 £192 £188 £175 West Park Farm (Brough) £208 £180 Prospect House Farm (Gott) £195 x 2 Somerfield House (Wharton) £194 £182 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £188 Hill House (Harrison) £175 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £175 Mechi (Bowe)

**Suffolk** £255 Somerfield House (Wharton) £240 Evening Hill (Evening Hill Farm Ltd) £222 x 2 £198 £192 Wood Farm (Wilson) £202 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £190 The Bow (Norman)

**Beltex** £238 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £220 Greyrigg House (Todhunter)

**Dutch Texel** £215 £164 £142 High Fell Farm (Bell) £195 Cobble Croft (Batty)

**Mule** £210 £178 £148 x 2 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £168 The Bow (Norman) £166 £140 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £162 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £160 West Park Farm (Brough)

**Cheviot** £184 West Park Farm (Brough)

**Zwartble** £162 Prospect House Farm (Gott)

**Rouge** £100 West Park Farm (Brough)

**Swaledale** £78 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £78 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

**Herdwick** £78 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

## **TUPS**

**Dutch Texel** £112 High Fell Farm (Bell)

