



THURSDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2026
SALE OF STORE CATTLE & FEEDING BULLS

STORE CATTLE - 330

Hope's Auction once again saw a tremendous offering of Store Cattle with a catalogued entry of 330 Cattle forward, selling to average a staggering £1993.79, with all younger cattle and stirks included.

Top price of the day was a tremendous home bred Bullock from Messrs Dickinson, Low House, Heskett New Market, topping the day at £2680, purchased by Frank Towers, Curwen Hill Farm.

Messrs Watson, Cunningarth consigned a tremendous Limousin X Bullock to closely follow up at £2660.

Also selling for £2660 was Terry and Trish Johnstone, Westray Farm, topping the Dairy Bred Cattle with a strong Dairy Bred British Blue Bullock. This good farming went on to top the averages of the day selling 5 Dairy Bred Bulls and Heifers to average £2526.

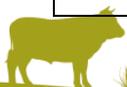
Topping the Heifers was a tremendous home bred Limousin Heifer, which sold to £2620 for Messrs Hewetson, Lords Close, who consigned a further 3 to take his average for 4 animals sold to £2510, joint second place average along side Messrs F Dickinson, Low House, who also consigned 4 animals to average £2510.

Another mention must be made for MG & M Brough, Howgill Farm who consigned a cracking run of 6 Heifers to sell to a top of £2480 for a Blonde Heifer and £2460 for a Charolais Heifer, resulting in an average of £2290 for the 6 sold.

Our next sale of Store Cattle will be the 13th Anniversary Show and Sale of Feeding Bulls and Store Cattle, which will be held on Thursday 12th March 2026, please advise entries to the Office on 016973 42202 or David Fearon on 07500 173273, by Friday 6th March at 12 noon for cataloguing purposes.

Sale Leading Averages: -

Vendor	Number Animals Sold	Average £
Messrs Johnstone, Westray	5	£2526.00
Messrs Hewetson, Lords Close	4	£2510.00
F Dickinson, Low House	4	£2510.00
Messrs Robinson, Gate Ghyll	2	£2430.00
D Hird, Wiza Farm	3	£2420.00
Messrs S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall	2	£2400.00
DG & JA Bell, Low Blaithwaite	1	£2380.00
Messrs Watson, Cunningarth	5	£2364.00
MG & M Brough, Howgill Farm	6	£2290.00
Messrs G & D Dockeray, Applegarth Farm	6	£2276.67
RA Crichton, Rottington Hall	10	£2257.00
BJ Harrison, Beck Farm	10	£2230.00
Messrs Lister, Foxhouses	6	£2226.67
IL Pigg, Linewath	4	£2225.00
Mr J Watson, New House	6	£2213.33
Mrs MA Rudd, Jenkin Cross	1	£2180.00





Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm	10	£2177.00
Messrs JJ & CE Palmer, Greensyke Farm	6	£2176.67
I Grainger, Kiln Close	11	£2174.55
Drumburgh Castle Farming Co, The Grange	10	£2118.00
David Allen Farming, Ellerslea	15	£2115.33
J Harrington, Riggwood	2	£2100.00
J Moffat, Gale House Farm	4	£2097.50
D Batty, Cobble Croft	2	£2095.00
Messrs Hird, Broomhill	6	£2093.33
Messrs Rae, Greenah Villa	5	£2090.00
Newton Field Farm, Newtonfield	1	£2040.00
Miss Ellen Elliott, Wyngarth	15	£2031.33
Messrs Scott Ltd, Carrick Dene	5	£2028.00
Wellington Farm Aspatria, Wellington Farm	8	£2017.50
Messrs Pigg, Dockray Farm	6	£2001.67

STORE CATTLE

- ** Overall Sale Average - **£1993.79**
- ** **Bullocks Sale Average - £2027.29**
- ** **Heifers Sale Average - £1979.49**
- ** **Bulls Sale Average - £1382.50**

BULLOCKS

- ** **Simmental** (Av £2450.00) £2450 Messrs Johnston, Westray
- ** **Longhorn** (Av £2180.00) £2180 MA Rudd, Jenkin Cross
- ** **Limousin** (Av £2148.53) £2680 F Dickinson, Low House
- ** **Aberdeen Angus** (Av £2112.22) £2500 J Moffat, Gale House Farm
- ** **Hereford** (Av £2100.00) £2100 IL Pigg, Linewath
- ** **British Blue** (Av £2087.32) £2660 Messrs Johnstone, Westray
- ** **Holstein** (Av £1982.22) £2100 Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm
- ** **Charolais** (Av £1944.17) £2170 (2) Ellen Elliott, Wyngarth
- ** **Belted Galloway** (Av £1823.33) £1985 (2) JN & R Sherwen, Low Thorney
- ** **Norwegian Red** (Av £1760.00) £1760 JN & R Sherwen, Low Thorney
- ** **Blonde** (Av £1750.00) £1750 Messrs Fell, Chapel Farm
- ** **Beef Shorthorn** (Av 1740.00) £1740 W & M Miller, Jenkin Cross
- ** **Friesian** (Av £1691.00) £2240 I Grainger, Kiln Close
- ** **Montbelaird** (Av £1668.33) £1890 D & KI Clemetson, Outgang Farm
- ** **Dairy Shorthorn** (Av £1630.00) £1630 JA & AVN Birkett, Grange Farm

Limousin £2680 £2555 £2395 Low House (Dickinson) £2660 £2495 £2175 Cunningarth (Watson) £2475 £2355 Lords Close (Hewetson) £2455 Gate Ghyll (Robinson) £2415 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £2345 £2175 £2065 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) £2335 Applegarth Farm (Dockeray) £2305 Kiln Close (Grainger) £2275 (2)





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Aberdeen Angus £2500 £2185 £2065 Gale House Farm (Moffat) £2435 (3) The Grange (Drumburgh Castle Farming Co) £2385 £2335 Linewath (Pigg) £2275 £2145 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £2175 Foxhouses (Lister) £2155 Wyngarth (Elliott) £2035 Newtonfield (Newton Field Farm) £1835 £1695 Whitehead Brow (Richardson) £1615 (3) Tarnrigg Moor (Tarnrigg Ltd)

Simmental £2450 Westray (Johnstone)

Friesian £2240 Kiln Close (Grainger) £1925 (2) Wellington Farm (Wellington Farm Aspatria) £1875 The Grange (Drumburgh Castle Farming Co) £1875 Newby Hall (Murray) £1405 (5) Outgang Farm (Clemetson)

Longhorn £2180 Jenkin Cross (Rudd)

Charolais £2170 (2) £2105 £2035 Wyngarth (Elliott) £1995 Jenkin Cross (Miller) £1995 £1805 (2) £1765 (2) Low Hall (Edmondson) £1875 Blue Dial (Hetherington) £1795 Whitehead Brow (Richardson)

Holstein £2100 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £2035 Greensyke Farm (Palmer) £1975 (3) Broomhill Farm (Hird) £1935 (4) Carrick Dene (Scott)

Hereford £2100 Linewath (Pigg)

Belted Galloway £1990 (2) £1485 Low Thorney (Sherwen)

Montbelaird £1890 £1845 £1615 (3) £1405 Outgang Farm (Clemetson)

Norwegian Red £1760 Low Thorney (Sherwen)

Blonde £1750 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Beef Shorthorn £1740 Jenkin Cross (Miller)





Dairy Shorthorn £1630 Grange Farm (Birkett)

HEIFERS

- ** **Blonde** (Av £2390.00) £2480 MG & M Brough, Howgill Farm
- ** **Simmental** (Av £2120.00) £2120 MG & M Brough, Howgill Farm
- ** **British Blue** (Av £2107.73) £2600 Messrs Johnstone, Westray
- ** **Limousin** (Av £2022.22) £2620 Messrs Hewetson, Lords Close
- ** **Aberdeen Angus** (Av £1921.92) £2240 (2) Adam Bell, Thethwaite Farm
- ** **Montbelaird** (Av £1920.00) £1920 D & J Richardson, Whitehead Brow
- ** **Charolais** (Av £1846.13) £2460 MG & M Brough, Howgill Farm
- ** **Friesian** (Av £1680.00) £1780 (2) K Storr, Firtree Farm
- ** **Hereford** (Av £1590.00) £1820 JA & CM Brown, Park House Farm
- ** **Longhorn** (Av £1400.00) £1440 GE Rudd, Jenkin Cross

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Charolais £2460 £2275 £2215 Howgill Farm (Brough) £2435 x 2 £2375 Wiza Farm (Hird) £2275 Beck Farm (Harrison) £2155 Foxhouses (Lister) £1985 Blue Dial (Hetherington) £1915 (3) Wyngarth (Elliott) £1775 (2) Jenkin Cross (Miller) £1735 £1715 (2) £1615 (4) £1585 (4) £1555 (2) £1525 (4) Low Hall (Edmondson)

Aberdeen Angus £2240 (2) £2015 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £2175 Foxhouses (Lister) £2095 £1935 (3) Wyngarth (Elliott) £2095 (2) Riggwood (Harrington) £2095 (2) £1995 (4) The Grange (Drumburgh Castle Farming Co) £2045 Greenah Villa (Rae) £2025 £1975 Kiln Close (Grainger) £1855 Dockray Farm (Pigg) £1845 £1695 Croft Farm (Mitchell) £1765 Jenkin Cross (Miller) £1625 Gale House Farm (Moffat)

Simmental £2120 Howgill Farm (Brough)





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Hereford £1820 Park House Farm (Brown) £1355 Ling Beck Park (Thomas)

Friesian £1780 (2) £1475 Firtree Farm (Storr)

Longhorn £1440 Jenkin Cross (Rudd) £1355 Jenkin Cross (Miller)

BULLS

**** Aberdeen Angus** (Av £1470.00) £1670 J Carr & Son, Leesrigg

**** British Blue** (Av £1120.00) £1120 J Carr & Son, Leesrigg

Aberdeen Angus £1670 £1395 £1335 Leesrigg (Carr)

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