



THURSDAY 16TH APRIL 2026
SALE OF CALVES & STIRKS FOLLOWED BY
SALE OF EWES WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

CALVES & STIRKS – 82

A super ringside of buyers ensured an electric trade for an increased number on offer. All classes good to sell with reared calves in particular demand to a top of £1500 for RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm, with a 5-month-old Inra 95 Bullock, closely followed by a 10-month-old British Blue Bullock from Messrs Hayton, Grange Farm, High Ireby at £1460,

Reared Heifers to £1020 for RG & W Whitfield Ltd with a pen of three 4-month-old Limousins.

Weaned Calves an exceptional trade to £1030 on three occasions for 2 and half month-old British Blues from Tarnrigg Moor Ltd, Tarnrigg Moor, with Heifers to £890 from the same home.

Milk Calves 20-30 days old in short supply with British Blues selling to £560 for a 21-day old Blue Bulls from Greenrigg and Heifers to £500 from the same good home.

Our next sale of Calves and Stirks will be held on Thursday 30th April 2026, many more could easily be sold please contact David Bowman on 07721616786.

LEADING AVERAGES

Name	Total Heads	£ Average
JS Hayton, Grange Farm	3	£1410.00
RG & W Whitfield Ltd, Balladoyle Farm	10	£1205.00
Messrs Carr, Pasture House	3	£1073.33
WJ Harrison, Hartlaw Farm	7	£1005.71
Tarnrigg Ltd, Tarnrigg Moor	10	£984.00

Inra 95 Bull Stirks £1500 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

British Blue Steer Stirks £1460 £1400 Grange Farm (Hayton) £1030 (3) £1020 (2) £1000 (2) £960 Tarnrigg Moor (Tarnrigg Ltd) £950 Hartlaw Farm (Harrison)

British Blue Bull Stirks £880 £820 Priestcroft (Raven) £850 £840 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £750 £710 Thackthwaite Farm (Sanderson) £690 £680 £670 £470 £450 Bolton Cottage Farm (Brough)

British Blue Heifer Stirks £890 £860 Tarnrigg Moor (Tarnrigg Ltd) £810 £780 (2) Priestcroft (Raven)

British Blue Bull Calves £560 £520 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)

British Blue Heifer Calves £500 x 2 £470 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)

Charolais Steer Stirks £1370 Grange Farm (Hayton) £1070 £1050 Hartlaw Farm (Harrison)

Charolais Bull Stirks £1390 £1310 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Charolais Heifer Stirks £980 £960 Hartlaw Farm (Harrison) £930 Pasture House (Carr) £740 Waverton House (Wannop)





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Limousin Steer Stirks £1170 Hartlaw Farm (Harrison)

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Limousin Bull Stirks £1280 Pasture House (Carr) £1260 (3) £1010 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £850 £810 Priestcroft (Raven) £850 £530 (2) Waverton House (Wannop) £600 £520 (3) Rose Farm (Hornsby)

Limousin Heifer Stirks £1020 (3) Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield) £1010 Pasture House (Carr) £860 Hartlaw Farm (Harrison)

Limousin Bull Calves £530 £520 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)

Limousin Heifer Calves £510 £400 £380 Greenrigg (Graham Farm Ltd) £430 (2) Waverton House (Wannop)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirks £740 Thackthwaite Hall (Sanderson)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirks £810 (4) £810 (2) £740 (3) The Grange (Drumburgh Castle Farming) £500 Thackthwaite Hall (Sanderson)

Holstein Bull Calves £140 Greenrigg (Graham Farms Ltd)

BREEDING SHEEP

A nice show of Ewes and Lambs forward today, topping at £300 for a cracking Beltex Ewe with a Single Lamb from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside. Texel Ewes with Twins sold to £166 for Mike Hodgson, Spring Hill

David and Ann Bell, Low Blaithwaite sold a run of 105 Ewes with Lambs at Foot to £160, taking their average to a very respectable £148.43 per life.

Hoggs with Singles sold to £162 for Messrs Ramsay, Dockray Hall and Shearlings with Twins sold to £152 for the same home.

Next Sale of Ewes and Lambs will be held on Thursday 30th April 2026 where we are expecting a larger sale of Ewes and lambs coming forward, for further details please contact David Fearon on 07500173273

EWES WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

Beltex Ewe with Singles £300 £170 £168 Hillside (Stoddart)

Texel Ewe with Twins £166 Spring Hill (Hodgson) £160 £152 £150 x 5 £149 £147 £145 £139 Low Blaithwaite (Bell) £120 £112 Seaville Farm (Ryder)

Beltex Ewe with Twins £158 Low Blaithwaite (Bell)

Cheviot Ewes with Twins £123 Low Blaithwaite (Bell)

Mule Ewes with Twins £100 Seaville Farm (Ryder)

Cross Ewe with Twins £90 Seaville Farm (Ryder)

SHEARLINGS WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

Texel Shearling with Twins £152 £130 £112 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)

Suffolk Shearling with Twins £95 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)

HOGGS WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

Texel Hogg with Singles £162 x 2 £160 £155 £145 £140 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)

Suffolk Hogg with Singles £162 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)

Black Texel Hogg with Singles £150 Dockray Hall (Ramsay)



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