

OTM Cattle

Monday 1st December 2025

On Monday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of 120 OTM Cattle.

A huge entry of cows were forward, with meat still in strong demand. The sale topped at £2793.88 (387.5p/kg) for a Limousin cow weighing 721kg from Messrs R & JM Ridley, Ranbeck.

Black & White cows continue to sell well, easily in excess of £2000 per head. Messrs DW Cannon & Son, Low Abbey, topped at £2161.24 (285.5p/kg) for a young cow weighing 757kg, this home sold 3 to average £2050.70 (275.26p/kg). Messrs H & EM Hunter & Son, Cape Farm, sold a great run of 4 well-fed Holstein cows to average 247.75p/£2028.46. Mr R Dawson, Southwaite Farm, sold Black & White heifers to 295.5p/kg (£1793.69) for 607kg.

Cast bulls topped at £3492.70 (329.5p/kg) for a Limousin weighing 1060kg from Messrs Lowis, Galloper Park.

More numbers are required on a fortnightly basis to fulfil the demand required at the ringside. Our next sale will be held on Monday 15th December 2025.

Leading Prices

Cast Cows p/kg

Limousin – 387.5, 318.5 Ranbeck; 365.5, 291.5 Undercragg; 335.5 Town Head Farm (Wharton); 324.5, 291.5, 269.5 (2) Park House Farm (Hodgson & Bissell); 289.5 Grove Farm; 287.5 Soulby Grange; 279.5 Oddendale Hall; 267.5 Demesne Farm (Littleton); 265.5 Newlands Farm (Spark)

Black & White – 295.5, 270.5 Southwaite Farm; 289.5 The Buildings Farm; 285.5, 269.5 Holme Wrangle; 285.5, 253.5 Low Abbey; 283.5 (2), 247.5 Lamonby Hall; 279.5 Greenah Cragg; 275.5 Town Head Farm (Wharton); 271.5, 267.5, 259.5 245.5 Skirwith Abbey; 257.5, 249.5 Hall Field; 256.5, 251.5 Cape Farm; 247.5 The Ling; 244.5 Low Row

Ayrshire – 287.5 Low Abbey

British Blue – 277.5 Thethwaite Farm; 253.5 Mill Cottage

Aberdeen Angus – 273.5 Mellgates; 243.5 Demesne Farm (Littleton)

Simmental – 269.5, 263.5, 243.5 Thorneycroft

Luing – 257.5 Ellergill

Montbeliarde – 241.5 Crossrigg

Dairy Shorthorn – 224.5 Holme Wrangle

Cast Cows £/head

Limousin - £2793.88, £2149.88 Ranbeck; £2388.32, £2127.95, £1878.42, £1862.25 Park House Farm (Hodgson & Bissell); £2343.66, £2302.65 Undercragg; £2049.11 Demesne Farm; £2018.25 Soulby Grange; £2017.82 Grove Farm; £1999.58 Town Head Farm (Wharton); £1995.63 Oddendale Hall; £1852.31 Crosby Lodge

Black & White - £2161.24, £1926.60 Low Abbey; £2136.71, £1835.99, £1745.51, £1655.83, £1634.39 Skirwith Abbey; £2098.97, £2072.36, £2064.83, £1877.68 Cape Farm; £2064.49 Low Rutter; £2052.52, £1852.07 Auldbury Farm; £1982.48 Lamonby Hall; £1980.85 Town Head Farm (Wharton); £1968.78 Soulby Grange; £1948.60, £1712.38 Hall Field; £1894.76, £1825.74, £1729.35 Lamonby Hall; £1883.83, £1663.88 Greenah Cragg; £1852.80 The Buildings Farm; £1818.52 Mount Pleasant; £1815.78 Holme Wrangle; £1814.08 Woodhouse; £1811.25 High Grounds; £1793.69 Southwaite Farm; £1789.27 Milburn Grange; £1767.92, £1688.40 Melmerby Mill; £1753.14, £1724.25 The Ling; £1735.95 Low Row

Ayrshire - £2064.25 Low Abbey

Simmental - £1928.52, £1867.64, £1667.96 Thorneycroft

British Blue - £1911.98 Thethwaite Farm; £1868.30 Mill Cottage

Aberdeen Angus - £1806.77 Demesne Farm (Littleton); £1692.97 Mellgates

Montbeliarde - £1733.97 Crossrigg

Luing - £1614.53 Ellergill

Dairy Shorthorn - £1369.45 Holme Wrangle

Fleckvieh - £1332.93 Beeches Farm

Galloway - £1212.68 Stock Farm

Jersey - £1176.48 Melmerby Mill

Cast Bulls p/kg

Limousin – 329.5 Friarbiggin; 329.5 Galloper Park

Holstein – 244.5 Street Head (Wilson)

Cast Bulls £/head

Limousin – £3492.70 Galloper Park; £3008.34 Friarbiggin

Holstein - £1831.31 Street Head (Wilson)

Cull Steer p/kg

British Blue – 319.5 Barton Dale

Limousin – 301.5 Friarbiggin

Cull Steer £/head

British Blue – £2255.67 Barton Dale

Prime Cattle

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On Monday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of Prime Cattle.

A small offering of prime cattle was on offer with some great quality from Mr D Raine, Old Parks. Bulls topped at £2647.28 for a 705kg Limousin. Top pence-per-kilo at 387.5ppk was a 654kg Limousin, realising £2534.25.

Bullocks sold to a top of £2788.77 (381.5p/kg) for a 731kg Limousin. Heifers topped at £2646.22 for 724kg.

More clean cattle and prime bulls are required on a fortnightly basis to fulfil the demand of our regular buyers. Our next sale will be held on Monday 15th December.

Leading Prices

Prime Steers £/head

Limousin – £2788.77 Old Parks

Prime Steers p/kg

Limousin – 381.5 Old Parks

Prime Bulls £/head

Limousin - £2647.28, £2534.25 Old Parks

Prime Bulls p/kg

Limousin – 387.5, 375.5 Old Parks

Prime Heifers £/head

Limousin - £2646.22 Old Parks

Prime Heifers p/kg

Limousin – 365.5 Old Parks