

OTM Cattle

Monday 3rd August

On Monday, Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held its fortnightly sale of 91 cast cows.

Prices eased, but buyers were out in force and remained keen to secure supplies of cows. The top price per kilogram was 311.5p/kg for a young Limousin cow from M/s Strong, Well House. Weighing 590kg, she realised £1,837.35 and sold to Mr D Barker.

The highest-priced animal overall was a 918kg Holstein cow from M/s H & E M Hunter & Son, Berrier. She realised £2,262.87 and sold to Mr G Chapman.

First-cross Limousin cows from M/s Holliday, Clea Mire, topped at £2,234.31 (275.5p/kg), while M/s IS & CA Mounsey, Town Head, sold Charolais cows to £2,268.40 (267.5p/kg).

Cast bulls peaked at £3,119.05 for a 1,166kg Simmental from M/s E J Ivinson & Sons, Skelling. A seven-year-old Limousin bull from M/s Raine, Fog Close, weighing 962kg, realised £2,688.79. Both sold to Mr D Barker.

Leading Prices

Cast Cows p/kg

Limousin – 311.5, 307.5, 305.58, 292.5 Well House; 291.5 Highbeckside; 284.5, 257.5 Low House; 279.5 Fawcett Park; 275.5 Clea Mire; 261.5 Old Parks; 257.5 Abbey Park; 251.52 Crosby Lodge; 248.5 Thorneycroft

Beef Shorthorn- 297.5 Gall Farm, 267.5 Pettrill Bank, 215.5 Moorside Farm

Black & White- 279.5, 269.5, 241.5 Moss Thorn Farm; 246.5 Cape Farm, 234.5 Woodhouse; 232.5 Greenah; 230.5, 225.5 High Grounds; 229.5 Campfield Farm; 227.5, 225.5 Low Rutter; 225.5 Cliburn Hall

British Blue- 271.5 Fawcett Park; 260.5 Crosby Lodge, 255.5, 241.5 Manor Farm

Charolais- 267.5 Town Head

Simmental – 262.5 Thorneycroft; 250.5, 233.5 Manor Farm; 237.5 Gall Farm

Aberdeen Angus – 231.5 Town Head

Dairy Shorthorn- 231.5 Moorside Farm

Normande- 237.5 (2), 236.50 (2) Moorside Farm

Hereford - 223.5 Gall Farm

Fleckvieh- 219.5 Campfield Farm

Cast Cows £/head

Black & White- £2262.87, £1562.99 Cape Farm; £1840.59 Campfield; £1836.14 Woodhouse; £1758.06, £1722.11, £1516.62 Moss Thorn Farm, £1711.20 Melfell View; £1572.53 Low Rutter; £1547.98 Woodhouse; £1523.61 High Grounds; £1495.62 Wickerslack; 1458.21 Melfell View; 1433.97 The Ling

Limousin – £2234.31 Clea Mire; £2216.26 Low House; £2202.66, £2103.30, £1980.23, £1837.85 Well House; £2127 Fawcett Park; £2047.55 Old Parks; £2011.35 Highbeckside; £1856.58, £1671.68 Abbey Park; £1740.38 Crosby Lodge; £1663.45 Low House; £1615.25 Thorneycroft

Charolais - £2268.40 Town Head

British Blue – £2136.71 Fawcett Park, £2009.28, £1972.46 Manor Farm, £1943.33 Crosby Lodge, £1513.58 Fog Close

Simmental - £1995 Thorneycroft, £1724.25 Gall Farm; £1673.34 Manor Farm

Normande - £1896.73, £1892, £1821.63, £1636.38 Moorside

Beef Shorthorn – £1768.18 Petteril Bank; £1689.66 Farm Bank End; £1529.15 Gall Farm £1476.18 Moorside Farm

Dairy Shorthorn- £1676.06 Moorside Farm

Aberdeen Angus - £1685.32 Town Head

Friesian- £1650.66, £1537.90, £1438.20 Low Rutter; £1630.37 High Grounds

Fleckvieh- £1411.39 Campfield

Cast Bulls £/head

Simmental- £3119.05 Skelling Farm

Limousin X- £2688.79 Fog Close

Cast Bulls p/kg

Simmental - 267.5 Skelling Farm

Limousin- 279.5 Fog Close