

Lake District Show & Sale of Store Lambs

Monday 12th October

On Monday Penrith & District Farmers Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of 1,760 Store Lambs.

On Monday 12th October, Penrith Auction held there Annual Lakeland Show and Sale of Store Lambs a great offering of 1760 lambs were forward, with a flying trade throughout and a wholesale average of £116 per head.

Our pre-sale show judging was in the capable hands of Mr Ben Haigh who awarded his champion rosette to 5 great Beltex x lambs from R G & T B Wilson, Scales Farm later selling for £160 purchased by Mr A Bell.

Topping the days sale at £178 came for a Suffolk from Mr P Lowthain, Murray House. Other Suffolk lambs sold to £146 for the winning pen of 10 from J E Bellas & Son, Croft Ends Farm. Mules sold up to £143 from S D Lambert, Kitriding Farm with the 1st prize pen of Mules from Messrs Coulthard, Fellside Farm achieving £126. Messrs R & J A Nettleton, New Rent Farm showed some great Cheviot lambs with a pen of 12 achieving £125.

Some excellent lambs throughout look at some of our consignment averages below:

- Messrs T A & J Brownrigg, How Hill sold 35 @ £143.86
- Mr R G & T B Wilson, Scales Farm sold 106 @ £141.73
- Messrs J E Bellas & Son, Croft Ends sold 57 @ £141.23

The pre-sale judging was in the capable hands of Mr Ben Haigh who expertly judged our show with the results below:-

Show results

10 Mule Lambs

- 1st - Messrs Coulthard, Fellside
- 2nd - Messrs NW Graham & Son, Tortolocate Farm
- 3rd – Mr K Hunt, Braithwaite Shield

10 Suffolk lambs

- 1st - Messrs J E Bellas & Son, Croft Ends
- 2nd - Mr R Nettleton, New Rent Farm
- 3rd - Messrs Coulthard, Fellside

10 Hill Bred Lambs

- 1st - Mr R Nettleton, New Rent Farm
- 2nd - Mr DH Holme, Weasdale
- 3rd - Messrs D & J Thompson, Grasvegas

5 Continental Lambs

1st - Messrs RG & TB Wilson, Scales Farm

2nd - Messrs TA & J Brownrigg, How Hill

3rd - Messrs RG & TB Wilson, Scales Farm

More lambs needed in a fortnights time, please don't hesitate to get in touch. Our next sale will be held on Monday 26th October, entries close Noon Monday 19th October. Any queries to Paul Gardner 07552589141.

Leading Prices

Suffolk - £178 Murray House; £146, £142, £135 Croft Ends Farm; £129 New Rent Fam; £128 Far Bank End; £128 Fellside Farm; £120 Town Head.

Texel – £162, £141, £140 Croft Ends Farm; £160, £154, £153, £152, £149, £147, £140, £134, £133, £132 Scales Farm; £157, £150, £140 (2) How Hill; £144 Braithwaite Shields; £139, £131 Fellside Farm; £136, £133 Cross Keys; £133 Ennerdale; £131 Marshes Gill Farm; £130 Birks Head.

Beltex - £156 Scales Farm; £138 New Rent Farm; £124, £122 Ploveriggs.

Continental - £148, £126 Croft Ends Farm; £147, £139, £128 Murray House; £144, £140 Braithwaite Sheilds; £142 Town Head; £139 Marshes Gill Farm; £139, £120 New Rent Farm; £125 Dale Foot Farm; £124 Kitriding Farm; £122 Lowthwaite; £120 Low Moor Dyke

Mule - £143 Kitriding Farm; £126 Fellside Farm; £125 Tortolocate Farm; £122, £118 Welpo Bridge Farm; £121 Braithwaite Sheilds.

Herdwick - £128 Old Rectory Stone House; £120 Braithwaite Sheilds; £104, £95 Grasvegas; £90 Grandy Close.

Blue Texel - £126 Wearsdale; £124 Outhwaite Farm; £118 Birks Head.

Cheviot - £125, £111 New Rent Farm; £118 Bank Hall; £110 Thornythwaite Farm.