

Breeding Sheep

Friday 6th March 2026

On Friday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held a special sale of in-lamb breeding sheep and geld gimmer hoggs, to include a dispersal sale on behalf of the late Mr TA Pearson, The Faulds.

A really busy ringside of buyers were present to witness a genuine flock dispersal from the Pearson Family, The Faulds, Caldbeck. A great packet of well bred Swaledale ewes in lamb to the crossing Leicester. This homes renowned for producing an excellent run of Gimmer Lambs helped set a buoyant and fierce trade with all sold averaging £209.60.

Topping at £260 went to the first pen in the ring 3 – 4 shear ewes scanning nearly all twins selling to Mr A Burgess, Blakehills, Troutbeck. A pen of very classy and well bred broken mouthed ewes topped at £205.

Messrs M & J Potter, Ulcatrow sold 20 full mouthed Swaledale ewes to a phanomable £190 all scanned twins to the Texel x Beltex with the same home selling broken mouthed ewes scanned twins to £150.

Our next sale will be held on Friday 17th April, please advise entries to the mart office by 12 Noon on Friday 10th April.

Leading Prices

In-lamb Ewes

Mule Shearling (in-lamb to Texel) - £290 The Faulds

Swaledale (3 shear, in-lamb to BFL) - £260, £240 (4), £230, £215, £190 (2), £180, £140 The Faulds

Swaledale (2 shear, in-lamb to BFL) - £230, £200 The Faulds

Swaledale (BM, in-lamb to BFL) - £205, £150 The Faulds

Swaledale (aged, in-lamb to Texel) - £190, £150 (BM) Ulcatrow