

Wednesday 23rd May 2018

DAIRY

**15 Forward
SHOW RESULTS**

JUDGE:- R Boothman

CHAMPION	P Knowles	£2280	M Kenyon
CLASS 1 – BEST NEWLY CALVED COW			
1 st	PW&DM Swindlehurst	£1950	
2 nd	R E & E A Barker	£1780	
CLASS 2 – BEST NEWLY CALVED HEIFER			
1 st	P Knowles	£2280	
2 nd	J G & B J Escolme	£2080	
3 rd	P Knowles	£2320	

Top Av Top Price From:

B+W NC Hfrs £2320 £1878 P Knowles, New Hutton

B+W NC Cows £1950 £1865 PW&DM Swindlehurst, Underbarrow

B+W I/C £1210 £1080 M Ellershaw, Bentham

Auctioneer's Report (Will Alexander):- What a difference a fortnight makes! An unstoppable trade in the dairy ring. David and Peter Knowles took 1st and 3rd in the heifer class with their tremendous home bred heifers hitting £2280 and £2320 respectively. John Escolme took the blue rosette and his sweet heifer also broke the £2000 barrier at £2080. A total of 5 of the 13 milkers over £2000, with the others generally £1700+. Cows sold to a top of £1950 from PW & DM Swindlehurst with their 1st prize 2nd calver, whilst Rob Barker's 3rd calver realised £1780. A pair of in-calf heifers from Michael Ellershaw realised £1210 and £950. All heifers averaged a solid £1896 and cows £1810.

Next sale 13th June

Farm to Farm

Dairy – 70 Cow Holstein Friesian herd, TB4, youth & quality

-75 Friesian type herd TB4, All Year Calving

Sheep – 15 Swaledale Ewes with Mule lambs

Beef – Lim, BB, Sim, Angus & Hereford Stock bulls available

Tuesday 12th June

Annual June Sale of
Cows & Heifers with Calves at foot

**REARING CALVES
119 FORWARD**

BREED	TOP	FROM	AV
AA Bulls	£375	B & A C Barnes, Middleton	£298
AA Hfrs	£310	R G & B Lewis, Middleton	£177
BAZ Bulls	£362	T N Airey & Son, Eldroth	£356
BAZ Hfrs	£310	T N Airey & Son, Eldroth	£245
BB Bulls	£425	J R Boothman, Fence	£346
BB Hfrs	£400	T D & V Whitaker, Winmarleigh	£279
HER Bulls	£330	J R Boothman, Fence	£229
HER Hfrs	£180	Booth Brothers, Wigglesworth	£151
LIM Bulls	£280	H F Morphet, Ulverston	£235
LIM Hfrs	£170	H F Morphet, Ulverston	£170
MONT Bulls	£245	C R & J A Booth, Wigglesworth	£191
B+W's	£268	J D & M Beck, Tebay	£85

Auctioneer's Report (Will Alexander):- A ringside of both local and travelled farmer and dealer buyers ensured all 119 calves sold to full value. Robin Boothman led the way with a Blue bull at £425, closely followed by Henry Knowles and Ian Hodgson at £420. Heifers to £400 from TD&V Whitaker for Blues, the younger end £300-£310. Nice young rearers generally £270-£320 dependent on quality. Angus bulls to £375 from Brian Barnes. A good run of Herefords from Ashworth's saw bulls £238-£260 to top at £262, the best at £330 from Robin Boothman. A good show of B&W's sold to a top of £268 from JD&M Beck, who had others at £235 & £208. Any number over £120, the next draw down £105-£118, lesser sorts £65+, to average £91.47!

CALVES ELIGIBLE FOR SLAUGHTER

It is imperative that **ALL** calves entering the market are accompanied by the correct passport and fully completed and signed entry form. Any calves that are in withdrawal periods and/or have been treated with a medicinal product in the past 28 days must be declared on the entry form. Providing false or inaccurate information for animals destined to enter the food chain could be perceived as food fraud. Any condemned carcasses will be charged to the vendor.

Wednesday 30th May

Annual sale of
Hillbred Ewes with Lambs at Foot

Tuesday 5th June

Cast cows and OTM Cattle
Monthly sale of Store Cattle

Wednesday 6th June

June Fair Show & Sale of
Hoggs with lambs at foot



**BENTHAM
AUCTION
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1st prize Mule Hoggs with lambs at foot from Winter Bros

WEEKLY NEWS

w/e 26th May 2018

EVERY WEDNESDAY

11.00 25-30 Dairy Cattle (Twice Monthly)

11.30 100-200 Sheep with Lambs at foot

12.00 Noon 50-100 Rearing Calves

4.00 pm 1,500-2,000 Cast & Feeding Ewes,

6.00pm 3,000 Spring Lambs & Prime Hoggs

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SHEEP PLUS LAMBS AT FOOT

Forward: 813

WHITSUNTIDE SHOW & SALE OF HOGGS WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

CLASS 1 – BEST PEN OF 5 MULE HOGGS WITH LAMBS

Judge: Mr Walton	
1 st	Winter Bros £290
2 nd	G Sowerby £240
3 rd	G Sowerby £230

CLASS 2 – BEST PEN OF 5 CTL HOGGS WITH LAMBS

Judge: R Booth	
1 st	S T Birkett £245
2 nd	Amy Wilson £250
3 rd	F & S Towers £225

BREED	TOP	FROM	AV
Ctl Hoggs (S)	£250	Amy Wilson, Wray	£189
Ctl Shlgs (S)	£310	G R & A Foy & Son, Conder Gn	£186
Ctl Shlgs (T)	£255	F Carr, Arkholme	£201
Ctl Ewes (S)	£325	G R & A Foy & Son, Conder Gn	£215
Ctl Ewes (T)	£188	Messrs Buckle, Kirkby Stephen	£171
Mule Hoggs (S)	£290	Winter Bros, Appleby	£185
Mule Shlgs (S)	£155	D Pennington, Chaigley	£146
Mule Shlgs (T)	£212	G & J Allan, Killington	£193
Mule Ewes (S)	£162	M Joel, Dolphinholme	£128
Mule Ewes (T)	£140	Messrs Buckle, Kirkby Stephen	£140
Suf Hoggs (S)	£215	Winter Bros, Appleby	£165
Mash Ewes (T)	£160	Messrs Buckle, Kirkby Stephen	£160
Hrd Ewes (T)	£95	R Lawrence, Grange	£95
Dry Hoggs	£135	F Huddleston	£128

Auctioneer's Report (Greg MacDougall):- The annual Whitsuntide show and sale of hogs with lambs proved another huge success with buyers present from Wales, Scotland and East Yorkshire as well as many from the local area. Some quality outfits were on offer, some of which were presented in front of judges Richard Walton and Robin Booth. Taking 1st prize in the Mule class was Winter Bros of Appleby, going on to make £290, with 2nd and 3rd prizes awarded to G Sowerby, later making £240 and £230 respectively. Walking away with the red rosette in the Continental class was ST Birkett from Carnforth, making £245, with 2nd prize from Amy Wilson topping at £250, while F&S Towers made £225 with their 3rd prize pen. In general top end outfits sold between £210-£230, with the next pens down £180-£200. Lesser commercial hogs £140-£160. A quality consignment of Continental shearlings and young ewes with single lambs from GR&A Foy topped at £325 with others to £310 and £305x2. Mule shearlings with twins in general selling between £190-£210, topping at £212 from G&J Allan. Ewes depending on quality £40-£60 a life.

SPRING LAMBS 774 FORWARD

Overall Average 275p/kg

Top Price Per Head (Over 36kg)

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	£167.50	R Lawson, Newbiggin	£116.40
Suf	£147.50	J A & F Nutter, Hurst Green	£107.68
Zwar	£129.50	Robston Partnership, Bingley	£100.33

Top Price Per Kilo (Over 36kg)

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	383.3p	B & A C Barnes, Middleton	288.9p
Suf	307.3p	I & G Sedgwick, Burton	255.0p
Zwar	242.3p	Robston Partnership, Bingley	238.9p

Top Price Per Head (Under 36kg)

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	£95.50	R & A J Haworth, Bacup	£78.17
Hrd	£81.00	J E Strange & Sons, Witney	£81.00

Top Price Per Kilo (Under 36kg)

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	283.9p	N Breaks, Slaidburn	237.3p
Hrd	231.4p	J E Strange & Sons, Witney	231.4p

Auctioneer's Report (Stephen Dennis):- Spring lamb trade again better than expected with the best sorts in high demand, peaking at £167.50 for a 49kg Suff x Texel. Brian Barnes of Hawkin Hall took 1st and 2nd in the pairs competition, selling his 39kg lambs at £149.50. Other highlights included a pen of 14 lambs from Sandra Blades weighing 42kg bought by Vivers for £143.50, who also took a pen of 37kg Beltex x lambs from Mark Townley @ £131.50. Best lambs regularly over £3/kg. Suff x Mule lambs with finish generally 250-270p/kg. Lightweight commercial bred lambs 230-250p/kg.

MAY SPRING LAMB COMPETITION

FOR THE BEST PAIR OF LAMBS

WEDNESDAY 16TH MAY

1 st	B & A C Barnes	39kg	£146.00	374.3pkg
2 nd	B & A C Barnes	40kg	£140.00	350.0pkg
3 rd	T & J Moran	38kg	£130.00	342.1pkg

WEDNESDAY 23RD MAY

1 st	B & A C Barnes	39kg	£149.50	383.3pkg
2 nd	B & A C Barnes	39kg	£133.50	342.3pkg
3 rd	T Barnes	39kg	£132.50	339.7pkg

WARNING RE: UNFIT STOCK

Vendors are advised to be careful not to transport unfit/lame stock to the market. Welfare & market regulations prohibit the sale of such stock and vendors will be required to return any unfit stock home

EVENING SALE

4453 FORWARD

CAST SHEEP 1429 FORWARD

BREED	TOP	FROM
Ctl	£127.50	M S & A P Lee, Arkholme
Suf	£124.50	J A & F Nutter, Hurst Green
Mule	£114.50	J A & F Nutter, Hurst Green
Mash		
Hrd	£87.50	R Lawson, Newbiggin
BFL	£116.50	I M Calvert, Sedbergh
Ctl Tup	£125.50	Ballaseyr Stud, Isle Of Man
Hrd Tup	£78.50	Hey & Son, Quernmore
Goats	£85.00	B & F Staveley, Newby

Auctioneer's Report (Greg MacDougall):- A much larger entry forward with consignments from Kent, the Isle of Man, Anglesey and Scotland. Plain ewes sold dearer on the week, heavy and best bred sorts similar, with Mule ewes a shade easier. Heavy Ctl and Suff x ewes £100-£120 with pure bred ewes, weight depending, £80-£127. Good selling lean types £70-£90. Heavy Mule ewes £88-£94 with the next draw down either side of £80. Lean types £65-£72. Strong horned ewes of all breeds £70-£87 with export types £60-£70. Plain ewes £35-£55 with some looking extremely well sold. Heavy rams £110-£125 with others £80-£100, horned breeds £60-£80. Goats to £85.

PRIME HOGGS 2250 FORWARD

Overall Average 222p/kg

Top Price 36kgs & Over

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	£148.50	W G Parker, Dalton	£107.75
Suf	£128.00	R Randall & Son, Milton Keynes	£106.75
Mule	£112.50	T A Sedgwick, Horton	£88.02
Hrd	£90.50	B Cooper, Ulverston	£77.57

Top Price Per Kilo 36kgs & Over

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	276.6p	W G Parker, Dalton	138.3p
Suf	256.0p	S H Bowes, Stainton	223.9p
Mule	230.7p	Blue Hills Beef, Birkenshaw	192.0p
Hrd	219.2p	Blue Hills Beef, Birkenshaw	195.4p

Top Price Under 36kg

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	£80.50	R Lawson, Newbiggin	£64.78
Mule	£66.50	C Ives, Birkenshaw	£53.63

Top Price Per Kilo Under 36kg

Breed	Top	From	Av
Ctl	230.0p	R Lawson, Newbiggin	195.6p
Mule	195.6p	C Ives, Birkenshaw	163.7p

Auctioneer's Report (Greg MacDougall):- Very much a two tier trade with some good consignments of fed hogs forward, as well as several tail end and store types. Hogs in general less money as some major processors turn to spring lamb, although hogs with meat were still good to sell. Handy weight types 230-260p/kg with a few smarter pens 266-276p/kg. Heavier hogs £125-£140, topping at £148.50 for Beltex's from WG Parker, Dalton in Furness. Plain sorts either side of 200p/kg. Mule hogs to £112.50 from TA Sedgwick or 230.7p/kg from Blue Hills Beef. Heavy pens of horned hogs £85-£90 or 210-220p/kg for nicer pens, others 180-190p/kg.

Friday 8th June

Annual Sale of Working and Unbroken Sheepdogs & Pups