

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 18TH JUNE 2024

Forward: 494 Sheep comprising 291 Spring Lambs, 85 Prime Hogs and 118 Cast Ewes and Rams.

291 PRIME LAMBS

The weekly sale of prime lambs saw a smaller entry forward with less demand ringside as many outlets still busy with following the busy weekend for the festival. There was an overall market average of 358p/kg. Best quality lambs continue to sell in the region of 400p/kg topping at 405p/kg from WN Avison & Son, Leyburn for a pair of smart Beltex lambs. The market was topped at £193 for a Texel lamb from JR & LA Capstick, Killington who sold pens of Beltex lambs to £185 purchased C Steadman Butchers, Kirkby Stephen. Other pens of Texel lambs sold to £184 from Whyte & Percival, Bainbridge. Suffolk lambs sold to a top of £180 from JR & LA Capstick followed by other pens of Suffolk lambs to £179 from DA & MA Brown & Son, Leyburn. Mule lambs sold to £138 from DJ Amsden at 42kg followed by £137 for 41kg lambs from S Bell & Sons, Askrigg.

More lambs will be required next week as companies get back to normality following the festival this weekend and switch over to spring lambs with a full consignment of buyers expected. For more information please do not hesitate to contact Ian Atkinson on 07957 256337.

PRIME LAMBS

Beltex to	405p/kg WN Avison & Son, Melmerby	Av. 389p/kg
Texel x to	389p/kg JR & LA Capstick, Killington	Av. 362p/kg
Suffolks to	381p/kg DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale	Av. 344p/kg
Mules to	334p/kg S Bell & Sons, Askrigg	Av. 327p/kg

Leading Prices: Texel x- JR & LA Capstick, £193, £179, £169, £162, Whyte & Percival, £184, £164, £159, £151, R Moore & Son, £176, £160, WN Avison & Son, £172, £160, H Kirkbride & Son, £171, £157, £147, R Wood & Son, £165, £160, £150, B Clarkson, £162, £146.50, J Sunter & Sons, £161, DA & MA Brown & Son, £160, C & K Ellis, £159, £150, £140, A & H Watson, £158.50, £156 x2, £151, G Mudd, £155, LC Scarr & Son, £154.50, £145, JW Porter & Sons, £151, £141.50, J & J Postlethwaite, £146, TG & B Todd, £145.50, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £145.50,
Beltex- WN Avison & Son, £190, £170, JR & LA Capstick, £185, J & J Postlethwaite, £164, £162,
Suffolk- JR & LA Capstick, £180, DA & MA Brown & Son, £179, £169, £165, C & K Ellis, £162, SL Hoggarth, £151, £144, DB & A Hoggarth, £150 x2, £140.50, £134, JW Dixon, £139.50.
Mule- DJ Amsden, £138, S Bell & Sons, £137.

85 PRIME HOGGS

There was far more demand for prime hogs than expected and selling to a strong trade and keenly sought after in Hawes. Hogs are required in Hawes with buyers in the market still requiring them. Hogs sold to a top of £152 or 353p/kg for Beltexs from Robinson Partnership, Yarm who sold Suffolks to £150 and Texels to £147. The consignment from JS Towler topped at £140 with Mules and Leicesters to £138. Horned hogs sold to £132 for Swaledales from JR Rukin .

PRIME HOGG LEADING PRICES

Continental- Robinson Ptns, £152, £147, £144, £125, £116, JS Towler, £131, £127, £119,

Suffolk- Robinson Ptns, £150, £130.

Mule- JS Towler, £140, £112.

Swaledale- RW Clarkson & Son, £140, JR Rukin, £132, MR Ewbank, £126, JS Towler, £107 x2, JR Middleton & Sons, £94, JL & JA Sunter, £90.

BFL- JS Towler, £138.

Herdwick- JS Towler, £121, £90.

CAST EWES

Numbers shorter this week as festival upon us but those forward would see an even dearer trade than last week. Texel trade was topped by JR & LA Capstick at £218 and closely followed by WN Avison & Son at £215 and then two cosigners had 10 lots between £198-£218.

Suffolks topped at £218 for WN Avison & Son. Mule trade higher than some centres with three lots achieving £158 for DA & MA Brown & Son, LC Scarr & Whyte & Percival. Nine lots above the £136 mark up to £158. JL & JA Sunter had a BFL to £192. Swales would see smallest show forward for some time and were bid accordingly topping at £90 from MR Ewbank with many commenting on the strong trade enjoyed with Swaledale ewes in hawes. 5 Rams forward with BFL topping at £148 from M Calvert. JR Middleton & Sons had a meaty swale at £118. Ewes sought after and more needed next week to fill buyer's orders.

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CAST EWES LEADING PRICES

Texel x to	£218 JR & LA Capstick, Killington
Suffolk to	£218 WN Avison & Son, Melmerby
Beltex to	£198 WN Avison & Son, Melmerby
BFL to	£192 JL & JA Sunter, Downholme
Hampshire to	£182 KJ Burrow, Dent
Cheviot to	£178 JR & LA Capstick, Killington
Mules to	£158 DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale
Blackface to	£118 P Dinsdale & Son, Carlton
Zwartble to	£100 J & JH Whaley, Hawes
Swaledale to	£90 MR Ewbank, Middlesmoor

CAST RAMS

BFL to	£148 M Calvert, Low Row
Swaledale to	£118 JR Middleton & Sons, Gawthrop