

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 20TH AUGUST 2024

Forward: 10 Calves & 1946 Sheep comprising 941 Prime Lambs, 453 Cast Ewes & Rams, 518 Breeding Shearlings, 32 Breeding Ewes & 2 Breeding Rams.

941 PRIME LAMBS

The weekly sale of prime lambs saw an increased number of lambs forward selling to an overall market average of 292p/kg for 941 as more hill lambs now come forward into the market. Buyers were looking forward lambs well finished. Heavy weight lambs continue to meet eager bidding in Hawes topping the sale at £186 and £184 from Whyte & Percival. This was followed by heavy weight Texels selling to £168 from EM Winspear and £167 from Seth Guy. Other leading prices for heavy weight Texel lambs sold to £160 from R & R Gornall, £159 from T Tenant & Son and £158 from J Scarr & sons. Heavy weight Suffolk lambs sold to a top of £153 from DA & MA Brown & Son followed by others to £149 from Jess Labbate.

Well finished handy weighted continental lambs still sold in the region of the 300p/kg mark. Best conformation Beltex lambs sold to a top of £166 or 353p/kg at 47kg from EM Winspear. This was followed by the consignment from R Mudd & Sons selling Beltex lambs at 46kg to £154 and £153 with other pens to £148x2, £145.50 and £145 from the same home.

Good to have numbers of mules coming forward nicely now and meeting eager bidding ringside. The mule trade topped at £150 for 53kg from R & R Gornall followed by 50kg mules selling to £148 from J Scarr & Sons. A pen of 49kg mules from JE Cowperthwaite sold to £142.50. Plenty pens of well fleshed mule lambs selling in the early one hundred and thirties.

Beltex to	353p	EM Winspear, Hawes	Av. 323p/kg
Texel x to	320p	MK Verity, Fearby	Av. 295p/kg
Suffolk to	306p	DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale	Av. 290p/kg
Mule to	296p	J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	Av. 282p/kg

Overall Average: 292p/kg

Leading Prices: Texel x– Whyte & Percival, £186, £184, £165, £147, EM Winspear, £168, S Guy, £167, R & R Gornall, £160, £140, T Tennant & Son, £159, £155, £135, £129, J Scarr & Sons, £158, £153, £138, DA & MA Brown & Son, £155, C & M Hugill, £155, £138, £129, HJ Thwaite, £151, £140, £134, JS & S Atkinson, £148, AT Pratt, £147, £136.50, REC Simpson & Sons, £146, S & D Robinson, £146, £134.50, £123, S Guy, £144, Taylor Bros, £143.50, £135 x2, MK Verity, £143, £140, £135, £132, £128, S Labbate, £142, £130, Amy Mudd, £140, J Chapman, £140, £126, MP & HM York, £140, £137, £134, £124, £122, JJ & E Labbate, £137.50, £136, £125, JL & JA Sunter, £136, W & A Lambert & Son, £134, £131, JH Pedley, £133, £130, WM Scott, £131, £129, £125, RW Ewan, £130.50, A & H Watson, £130, £128, Croft Farm Ptns, £130, £124, KD Hulley, £130, CT & JE Willoughby, £129, A & NJ Heseltine, £128, A & AJ Lambert, £127, £124, £120, LC Scarr & Son, £126.50, JH Sharp & Sons, £126, JR Blades, £125, G Mudd, £123.50, AE Luffman, £122, Coverhead Farms, £121, AD Coates & Son, £120.

Beltex- EM Winspear, £166, £138, S Guy, £157, £131, £130, R Mudd & Sons, £154, (to C Steadman, Butchers Kirkby Stephen) £153, £148 x2, £145.50, £145, £142, £139, A & NJ Heseltine, £134, JR Blades, £133, MK Verity, £130.

Suffolk- DA & MA Brown & Son, £153, J Labbate, £149, £143, JH Pedley, £143, £133, R & R Gornall, £135, KJ Burrow, £135, Coverhead Farms, £130, £121, JR Blades, £129, JJ & E Labbate, £126, DB & A Hoggarth, £122, £119, £115, J Chapman, £113, HG Lynas & Son, £110.

Mules – R & R Gornall, £150, J Scarr & Sons, £148, JE Cowperthwaite, £142.50, £130, DL Mudd, £140, £127, JS & S Atkinson, £137, £133, S Bell & Sons, £134, £123, WA & A Booth, £133.50, JC & N Throup, £133, £125.50, A Fawcett & Sons, £128.50, W & A Lambert & Son, £127, A & H Watson, £126.50, A & NJ Heseltine, £124, £123, JL & JA Sunter, £123.50, AJ & J Sunter, £123.50, REC Simpson Sons, £123, JH Sharp & Sons, £122.50, JS Lynas, £122, GJ & JM Scarr, £119.50, JH Pedley, £117, Croft Farm Ptns, £116, CT & JE Willoughby, £114, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £114, S & D Robinson, £110, HG Lynas & Son, £106.

Hampshire- KJ Burrow, £149, £135.50, J Chapman, £120, £118.

Masham- LC Scarr & Son, £140.

Blackface- LC Scarr & Son, £115.

Swaledales – RA Sowerby, £109, £82, REC Simpson & Sons, £100, GJ & JM Scarr, £96, £80.

CAST EWES

453 Ewes forward with Beltex & Texel ewes topping the trade at £200 for T Pounder and N White respectively cheviots sold to £175 with R Lund had one for £170. Mules very level trade throughout topping at £144 for A & H Watson and a further 9 lots were between £138-£142. 265 Swales were dearer on the week and were topped by JL & JA Sunter at £122 followed by S & D Robinson at £116, 7 lots made from £90-£122. Medium fleshed were dearer between £60-£80 and leanest ewes would look the dearest between £40-£50. Swaledale Rams sold to £102 and averaged £84.

CAST EWES

Beltex to	£200 T Pounder, Bedale
Texel to	£200 N White, Marrick
Charolais to	£168 T Pounder, Bedale
Cheviot to	£175
Suffolk to	£175 J Chapman, Hawes
Mules to	£144 A & H Watson, Kirkby Lonsdale
Gritstones to	£138 JE Cowperthwaite, Eldroth
Kerry Hill to	£130
Swaledale to	£122 JL & JA Sunter, Downholme
Roughfell to	£122 A & H Watson, Kirkby Lonsdale
BFL to	£95 A Spence, Aysgarth
Herdwick to	£90 RW Ewan, New Hutton

RAMS

Swaledale to £102 S & D Robinson, Horton-in-Ribblesdale

CALVES

10 young calves forward topped by a very lively Limousin Bull from S Bell & Sons and followed by a BRB Bull at £410 from J Scarr & Son. Limousins topped the heifer trade with S Bell & Sons, H Kirkbride & Son both at £400. Plenty of buyers asking about calves so ring with your entries for sale in 2 week's time.

Bulls Limousin to £480 S Bell & Sons, Askrigg
BRB to £410 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg

Heifers Limousin to £400 S Bell & Sons, Askrigg & H Kirkbride & Son, Askrigg **Av. £359.3**

ANNUAL SHOW & SALE OF GIMMER SHEARLINGS & EWES

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Kindly Judged by Mr Ian Dixon, Kendal & Mr Ross Sizmur, Devon

Mule Shearlings

1 st	JR & LA Capstick, Killington	£300
2 nd	JR & LA Capstick, Killington	£275
3 rd	S Yates, Ellingstring	£235

Continental Shearlings

1 st	JR & LA Capstick, Killington	£325
2 nd	JR & LA Capstick, Killington	£275
3 rd	TJ Jackson, Longridge	£225

ANNUAL SHOW & SALE OF GIMMER SHEARLINGS & EWES

The annual Show & Sale of Breeding Ewes & Gimmer Shearlings saw a strong trade throughout the evening in which more could have been sold to vendors advantage. The pre-sale show was judged by Ross Sizmur, Devon & Ian Dixon, Kendal who we thank for their time and expertise. Thanks goes to sale sponsors Agri Lloyd and WE Jameson & Son Ltd.

The consignment from JR & LA Capstick stole the headlines winning the first prize pen of Mule Gimmer Shearling and the first prize pen of Continental Gimmer Shearlings. The sale was topped by the first prize pen of Continental Gimmer Shearlings selling to £325 with the second prized pen from same home to £275. The much-admired run of mule gimmer shearlings from JR & LA Capstick first prized pen sold to £300 and second prize pen to £275 with other pens from this good home selling to £270, £265 x3, £260 and £255.

The other leading prices saw continental gimmer shearlings sell to £260 from Trevor Sharp and Kate Fell. Mule gimmer shearlings sold to £240 and £235 from WA Towler, £238 and £235x2 from Simon Yates and £235 and £230x2 from Beck Hill Farm. The market averages saw all mule gimmer shearlings forward average £234 and continental gimmer shearlings average £221.

The breeding ewes saw eager bidding topped at £245 for 1 crop Cheviot Mules, £240 for Texel ewes and £210 for a pen of Mule ewes all from JR & LA Capstick.

A texel shearing breeding ram from MD & GE Shuttleworth sold to £700. Don't forget about the Hawes Hunks show and sale of Breeding rams on Thursday 26th September 2024.

Leading Prices: Continental x Shearlings – JR & LA Capstick, £325, £275, £230, £205, T Sharp, £260, TJ Jackson, £225 x2, Mount Pleasant Farm, £208, £205, £200, £198, £190, £178, G & G Schofield, £195. **Av. £221**
Mule Shearlings – JR & LA Capstick, £300, £275, £270, £265 x3, £260, £255, £250 x2, £235, £225, WA Towler, £240, £235, S Yates, £238, £235 x2, £232, £230, Beckhill, £235 x2, £230 x2, £225, £220, £215, £210 x3, £210 x2, T Sharp, £215, £210, G & G Schofield, £210 x3, BK Williamson, £195, £185. **Av. £234.2**
Mule Shearling with Lamb- JR & LA Capstick, £350.

Continental Breeding Ewes- JR & LA Capstick, £240, £180. **Av. £210**

Cheviot x Breeding Ewes- JR & LA Capstick, £245.

Mule Breeding Ewes- JR & LA Capstick, £210.

RAM

Texel- MD & GE Shuttleworth, £700.