

Harrison & Hetherington Ltd
Kirkby Stephen Weekly Sheep – Tuesday 1st May 2012

Kirkby Stephen Mart held their weekly sale of Prime, Cast and breeding sheep on Tuesday night.

The May show for spring lambs was held, with the judging duties being carried out by Michael Dowding of Dowding's Butcher, Appleby.

The champion pair of lambs were Beltex crosses consigned by Messrs Bainbridge, Bonnygate and sold for £138 to Andrew Atkinson. Another pair of Beltex cross lambs from Bonnygate also topped at 313.25p/kg and were purchased by Steadman's Butchers, Kirkby Stephen. A fantastic show of 30 lambs were forward and averaged 232.47p/kg (£102.93).

Show results

Continental Class (Pairs)

1st & Champion - Messrs Bainbridge, Bonnygate £138 (306.66p/kg) to A Atkinson

2nd – Messrs Bainbridge, Bonnygate £130 (313.25p/kg) to Steadman's Butchers

3rd – Messrs Slee, Street House £114.80 (273.33p/kg) to Steadman's Butchers

Suffolk Class (Pairs)

1st – Messrs Sowerby, Terry's Farm £91.80 (216p/kg) to A Atkinson

2nd – Messrs Sowerby, Terry's Farm (91.30 (217p/kg) to A Atkinson

3rd – Messrs Ewin, Blacksyke £97.80 (203.75p/kg) to Messrs Jewitt

Leading Prices:

Prime Lambs per Head

Beltex £138, £130 Bonnygate

Texel £114.80, £106.80 Street House; £111.80 Terry's Farm; £106, £96.80 Bonnygate; £90.30 High Griseburn

Suffolk £98.80, £97.80 Blacksyke; £91.80, £91.30 Terry's Farm

Charollais £96.30 Blacksyke; £95.30 Terry's far

Prime Lambs per Kilo

Beltex 313.3p, 306.7p Bonnygate

Texel 273.3p, 242.7p, 223.3p, 216.2p Street House; 257p Terry's Farm; 233.3p, 228p Bonnygate; 215p High Griseburn

Suffolk 217.4p, 216p Terry's Farm

Charollais 211.8p Terry's Farm

Prime Hoggs per Head

Beltex £87.80, £85.80 West View; £86.30 Eden Gate Holme Farm; £85.80 Stripes Farm

Texel £86.30, £84.80, £80 West View; £85.30 Eden Flatt; £84.30, £80 Holme Farm; £82.80 Stripes Farm; £80 Sandford Hall

Scotch Blackface £85.30 Redlands Bank; £80.30 Elm Gill

Cheviot £83.30 Elm Gill; £82.30 Thornship Farm

Swaledale £79.80 Redlands Bank; £74.80 South Wellhope; £74.80 Dale Head

Badger Face £78.80 Dale Head

Mule £77.80, £75.30 East Rackwood Hill

Suffolk £75 East Rackwood Hill

Prime Hoggs per Kilo

Beltex 217.2p Stripes Farm; 202.3p Eden Gate Holme Farm

Texel 204.6p Selsmire; 199.4p Elm Gill; 197p East Rackwood Hill; 196.8p West View; 196p Holme Farm

Cheviot 203.6p, 200.7p Thornship Farm

Scotch Blackface 198.2p Redlands Bank

Suffolk 195.5p Selsmire

Mule 194.7p Eden Flatt

Swaledale 194.6p Redlands Bank; 191.6p East Rackwood Hill; 181.2p Selsmire

Cast Ewes & Rams

Texel £115, £83.50 Sandford Hall; £95.50 Stripes Farm; £84.50 Blacksyke; £80 Porthy Green

Suffolk £106 Sandford Hall; £84.50 (2) Blacksyke

Mule £84.50 Sandford Hall; £80.50 Dale Head; £80 Blacksyke

Swaledale £60 East Rackwood Hill; £58.50 East Lowfield; £57.50 High Green Farm

Rough Fell £60 Flakebridge Farm

Breeding Sheep

Hoggs & Lambs

Texel £77.50, £65, £64 Needless Hall

Shearlings & Lambs

Texel £72 Birks Head; £64 Old Smithy

Ewes & Lambs

Suffolk £58.50 Stoney Head Hall

Texel £54, £51 Aisgill Farm

Cheviot £52 Wath Farm (Mason)