

# OTM Cattle

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

On Monday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of 60 OTM Cattle.

Cast cows and bulls met the dearest trade ever seen with a whole sale average of 219ppk being achieved, a market record. The sale topped at 307.5ppk/£2373.90 for a 36-month-old Limousin from Messrs DW & DM Elliott, Bank House, purchased by Mr R Dickinson. An OTM Limousin bullock topped at 309.5ppk/£2030.32 from Messrs WJ & R Atkinson, Nook Farm.

A 7-year-old British Blue X Limousin cow, through our TB exempt section, achieved £2168.38/299.5ppk from Messrs Metcalfe, Home Farm, purchased by Mr Owain Llyr.

The Black & White section met a bonanza trade with Skirwith Abbey selling a 6-year-old Holstein to £2047.36/228.5ppk, purchased by Mr G Chapman, this was closely followed at £1980.00 for a 6-year-old cow weighing 859kg from Messrs MJ Dent, Catterlen Hall, with this consignment averaging 226ppk. Messrs Hayton, Penny Hill, sold a run of cows straight from the parlour and through or TB exempt section, to average 219ppk, topping at £249.5ppk/£1616.78.

A pure Jersey cow, 7-years-old, achieved 198.5ppk/£1115.57 from Messrs S & DC Bland, Abbott Lodge.

Messrs J Jackson & Son, Frizington Parks Farm, sold a consignment of 12 Danish Red and Holstein cows, straight from the parlour, to average a staggering 216ppk/£1600, topping at £1905.20.

A Hereford stock bull achieved a colossal £2564.50/215.5ppk from Messrs Somerville, Lansmere, purchased by Mr D Barker.

Please take note of our trade in the live ring with these returns hard to match. Our next sale will be held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

## ***Leading Prices***

### **Cast Cows p/kg**

**Limousin** – 307.5, 231.5 Bank House (Elliott); 275.5, 253.5 Howe Green; 267.5 Grove Farm; 253.5 Waterside House; 225.5 Sleddale Hall; 223.5 Town Head New Farm

**British Blue** – 299.5 Home Farm (Metcalfe); 237.5 Glaslyn House; 207.5 (2) Nook Farm

**Aberdeen Angus** – 299.5 Mount Clifton

**Danish Red** – 285.5, 263.5, 224.5, 218.5, 203.5, 196.5, 195.5 Frizington Parks Farm

**Black & White** – 279.5, 214.5 Mount Clifton; 271.5, 228.5 Skirwith Abbey; 249.5, 220.5, 207.5, 199.5 Penny Hill; 230.5, 227.5, 217.5 Catterlen Hall; 219.5, 216.5, 199.5, 195.5, 189.5 Frizington Parks Farm; 215.5, 203.5 Cape Farm

**Hereford** – 239.5 Dalvorich Cottage

**Longhorn** – 225.5 Brackenslack

**Simmental** – 199.5 Totolocate Farm; 194.5 Strudda Bank

**Jersey** – 198.5 Abbott Lodge

**Cast Cows £/head**

**Limousin** - £2373.90, £1463.08 Bank House (Elliott); £2170.94, £2010.26 Howe Green; £1867.15 Grove Farm; £1863.23, £1615.00 Waterside House; £1537.68 Town Head New Farm; £1404.87 Sleddale Hall

**British Blue** - £2168.38 Home Farm (Metcalf); £1992.63 Glaslyn House; £1492.26 Strudda Bank; £1396.48, £1298.95 Nook Farm; £1390.68 Low Dyke; £1363.45 Sleddale Hall

**Black & White** - £2047.36, £1653.44 Skirwith Abbey; £1980.00, £1665.30, £1222.35 Catterlen Hall; £1913.64, £1461.13 Cape Farm; £1905.20, £1657.23, £1486.28, £1464.84, £1333.31 Frizington Parks Farm; £1702.16, £1374.95 Mount Clifton; £1616.76, £1435.46, £1388.52, £1207.65 Penny Hill

**Aberdeen Angus** - £1934.77 Mount Clifton

**Danish Red** - £1849.88, £1810.07, £1796.07, £1544.11, £1520.91, £1429.11, £1400.08 Frizington Parks Farm

**Simmental** – £1422.44 Tortolocate Farm; £1373.17 Strudda Bank

**Longhorn** - £1389.08 Brackenslack

**Jersey** - £1235.66 Southwaite Farm; £1115.57 Abbott Lodge

**Hereford** - £1101.70 Dalvorich Cottage

**Cast Bulls p/kg**

**Limousin** – 217.5 Mosedale End

**Hereford** – 215.5 Lansmere

**Cast Bull £/head**

**Hereford** - £2564.45 Lansmere

**Limousin** – £1922.70 Mosedale End

**Cast Bullocks p/kg**

**Limousin** – 309.5 Nook Farm

**Cast Bullocks £/head**

**Limousin** – £2030.32 Nook Farm

# Prime Cattle

On Monday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of Prime Cattle.

A buoyant trade in the prime ring with plenty of orders giving a fair and honest price for all classes sold. The sale topped at £2412.25/335.5ppk for a well-fed Limousin heifer, weighing 719kg from Mr D Raine, Old Parks, purchased by Pearson Wholesale Butchers, Bradford.

Handy-weight Limousin X heifers topped at £1909.05/357.5ppk for 534kg from Messrs M Bindloss & Son, Shap Abbey.

The bull section topped at 347.5ppk/£2248.33 for a superb pure-bred Limousin from Messrs W Richardson & Son, Ghyll House, purchased by Pearson Wholesale Butchers.

More clean cattle and prime bulls are required on a fortnightly basis to fulfil the demand of our regular buyers. Our next sale will be held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

## ***Leading Prices***

### **Prime Heifers p/kg**

**Limousin** – 357.5, 334.5 Shap Abbey; 335.5, 304.5 Old Parks

### **Prime Heifers £/head**

**Limousin** – £2412.25, £2104.10 Old Parks; £1909.05, £1709.30 Shap Abbey

### **Prime Bulls p/kg**

**Limousin** – 347.5 Ghyll House; 319.5, 317.5 Old Parks; 307.5 Waterside House

### **Prime Bulls £/head**

**Limousin** – £2374.90, £2354.72 Old Parks; £2248.33 Ghyll House; £2204.78, £2084.38 Waterside House