

OTM Cattle

Monday 16th February 2026

On Monday Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held their fortnightly sale of 63 OTM Cattle.

Once again plenty of buyers were around the ring with all classes mirroring last fortnights bonanza trade, the sale topped at 411.5ppk for a pure-bred, 5-year-old British Blue cow from Messrs JE Bellas & Son, Croft Ends Farm, purchased by Mr D Barker, with a much older cow from the same home achieving 369.5ppk/£3432.66.

A consignment of 3 Limousin X British Blue cows averaged £2705.63/352ppk from Messrs Lowis, Waterside House, topping at £3260.12/389.5ppk, purchased by Jewitt Meat Company.

A run of good, hard Limousin X feeding cows averaged £2059.00/335ppk from Messrs JA & CM Brown, Park House Farm, topping at £2705.63/352ppk.

Loads of demand amongst the Black & Whites, topping at £2491.95 for a superb 9-year-old Holstein Friesian from Messrs H & EM Hunter & Son, Cape Farm, weighing 898kg, achieving 277.5ppk, purchased by Mr G Chapman. This was closely followed with an 8-year-old Holstein Friesian, through the TB exempt section from Mr JR Tiplady, The Bramery, also purchased by Mr G Chapman.

A Dairy Shorthorn cow achieved £2081.19/259.5ppk from Messrs Wilson, Itonfield.

Be wise and take the opportunity to benefit your pocket by selling live and join numerous other customers reaping the rewards. Our next sale will be held on Monday 2nd March 2026.

Leading Prices

Cast Cows p/kg

British Blue – 411.5, 369.5 Croft Ends Farm

Limousin – 389.5, 333.5, 327.5 Waterside House; 343.5, 339.5, 334.5, 321.5 Park House Farm (Brown); 329.5, 295.5 Well House; 311.5 Highbeckside; 305.5, 287.5 Clea Mire; 271.5 Nook Farm

Black & White – 297.5, 279.5, 248.5, 244.5 Lamonby Hall; 277.5 Cape Farm; 275.5, 253.5 Lime House; 269.5, 266.5, 252.5, 246.5 Skirwith Abbey; 263.5 The Bramery; 253.5 Hall Field

Beef Shorthorn – 295.5 Clea Mire

Ayrshire – 268.5 White Fold

Dairy Shorthorn – 259.5 Street Head (Itonfield)

Cast Cows £/head

British Blue - £3687.04, £3432.66 Croft Ends Farm; £1977.98 Well House

Limousin - £3260.12, £2544.61, £2312.15 Waterside House; £2420.36 Highbeckside; £2364.57, £2153.38 Clea Mire; £2338.16, £2203.36, £1964.82, £1729.67 Park House Farm (Brown); £2181.29, £2030.09 Well House; £1900.50 Nook Farm

Black & White - £2491.95 Cape Farm; £2342.52 The Bramery; £2028.00 Hall Field; £1936.68, £1924.13, £1652.55, £1631.83, £1533.46, £1516.75, £1494.05 Skirwith Abbey; £1984.45,

£1871.28, £1581.92, £1535.73 Lamonby Hall; £1659.68 Street Head (Wilson); £1561.37 High Grounds; £1560.31, £1442.25 White Fold; £1510.86, £1493.21 Lime House; £1494.68 Cairnhead Farm; £1422.30 Priory Farm
Beef Shorthorn - £2157.15 Clea Mire
Dairy Shorthorn - £2081.19 Street Head (Wilson)
Aberdeen Angus - £2039.93 Well House
Simmental - £1685.62 Plumpton Foot

Prime Cattle

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

Prime cattle topped at £2600.13/387.5ppk for a Limousin X bullock, weighing 971kg from Messrs WE & B Wilson, Undercragg, purchased by R Pearson Wholesale Butcher.

A packet of lightweight cattle topped at £2184.57/391.5ppk for a Limousin steer from Messrs M Bindloss & Son, Shap Abbey, with this consignment averaging 382ppk/538kg.

A consignment of dairy-bred Aberdeen Angus bulls averaged £1985/324ppk from Messrs RM & LA Woodhouse, Howe Farm, topping at £2039.61/329.5ppk.

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 2nd March 2026

Leading Prices

Prime Steers p/kg

Limousin – 391.5, 369.5 Shap Abbey; 387.5 Undercragg

Prime Steers £/head

Limousin – £2600.13 Undercragg; £2184.57 Shap Abbey

Prime Heifers p/kg

Limousin – 381.5 Shap Abbey; 369.5, 357.5 Old Parks

Lincoln Red – 329.5 Keld Farm

Prime Heifers £/head

Limousin – £2564.33, £2452.45 Old Parks; £2189.81 Shap Abbey

Lincoln Red – £2158.23 Keld Farm

Prime Bulls p/kg

Limousin – 329.5, 323.5, 319.5 Howe Farm (Woodhouse)

Prime Bulls £/head

Limousin – £2039.61, £1977.71, £1937.77 Howe Farm (Woodhouse)