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In the Eric Thomson, Thomson of Sauchen sponsored 29th Anniversary Show and Sale of store cattle judged by Robbie Anderson, Sootywells, Fordoun, Laurencekirk.

Overall Champion was a 700kg, 21 month old Charolais cross Heifer from W & D Moir Livestock, Newmill, Rathen which achieved £1,480 and sold to G A Reid, Mill of Haulkerton, Laurencekirk.

Reserve Champion and Home bred Champion was a 440kg, 12 months old Limousin cross Bullock from W Patterson & Son, Upper Forgie, Keith which achieved £1,160 to D Lumgair & Son, Gask, Letham.

Champion pen of four was awarded to W & D Moir, Newmill, Rathen for a pen of 620kg British Blue cross heifer's which sold to average £1,510.

“With a great show of well-bred, presented cattle sold to a packed ringside of buyers.”

Leading prices per head

Bullocks up to 300kg – Uppermill £800. **301-350kg** - Lagaviach £880, Uppermill £840, Mains of Tillymorgan £830, Ternemny £790, Milton £725. **351-400kg** – Lagavaich £1,000, Mains of Tillymorgan £990, Uppermill £970, Harestone £950, Goval £920, Easter Galtantray £910. **401-450kg** – Milton of Noth £1,095, Tomnavoulin

£1,090, Cluseburn £1,070, Lagavaich £1,060. **451-500kg** – Govals £1,190, Guise £1,175, Milton of Noth £1,140, Kennieshillock £1,125, Tomnavoulin, Rorandle £1,120. **501-550kg** – Guise £1,250, Muckle Myre £1,185, Kenniehillock £1,175, 2 Little Herdhill Way £1,170, Campdalmore, Newmill, Hareshowe of Ironside £1,160. **551-600kg** – Muckle Myre £1,320, Knowehead £1,310, Tillenturk £1,295, Guise £1,290, Mill of Gellan £1,265. **601-650kg** – Clunycrichton £1,330, Mill of Gellan £1,310, Cairndaie £1,300, Marywell £1,280. **651-700kg** – Cairndaie £1,395, Clunycrichton £1,365. **701-750kg** – Ranna £1,420.

Heifers up to 300kg – Uppermill £740, Milton £600. **301-350kg** – Lagavaich £820, Meikle Coull, Ternemny £780, Auchorachan £770, Stranduff £700, Midtown of Buchromb £695. **351-400kg** – Uppermill, Whitehouse £940, Harestone £930, Caplich £910, Heads of Auchinderran £900. **401-450kg** – Dalrachie £1,100, Heads of Auchinderran £1,070, Mains of Shevado, Faddenhill £1,040, 2 Little Herdhill Way £1,020. **451-500kg** – Wester Rarichie £1,140, Finzean Estate, Faddenhill £1,110, Kennieshillock £1,105, Rorandle £1,100, Easter Galtantray £1,080. **501-550kg** – Newmill £1,400, Balgairn £1,320, Guise £1,245, Rorandle £1,170, Bogentassie, Ranna £1,160. **551-600kg** – Newmill £1,600, Craigton £1,310, Knapps of Bedlam, Bogentassie £1,260, Knowehead £1,230, Shougle £1,225. **601-650kg** – Newmill £1,460, Gunhill £1,295, Conlandmill £1,280, Ranna £1,275, Shougle £1,270. **651-700kg** – Tillenturk £1,385, Shougle £1,355, Gunhill £1,350, Knowehead £1,310, Guise £1,300. **701-750kg** – Tillenturk £1,420, Shougle £1,390.

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Bullocks up to 300kg – Uppermill 285.7p, Stranduff 210.7p. **301-350kg** - Lagavaich 271.6p, Uppermill, Mains of Tillymorgan 250p, Milton 230.9p, Ternemny 227p, Tullyglens 225p. **351-400kg** – Lagavaich 263.3p, Mains of Tillymorgan 251.3p, Uppermill 244.9p, Meikle Coull 239p, Harestone 237.5p. **401-450kg** – Cluseburn 258.5p, Westerton 254.9p, Milton of Noth 253.6p, Whitehouse 251.2p, Harestone 247.6p. **451-500kg** – Guise 250p, Govals 242.9p, Bogentassie 241.2p, Milton of Noth 240.5p, Wellheads 239.2p. **501-550kg** – Guise 241.2p, Milton of Noth 223.4p, 2 Little Herdhill Way 222p, Netherton 221.6p, Hareshowe of Ironside 221.4p. **551-600kg** – Guise 230.1p, Muckle Myre 223p, Knowehead 222p, Tillenturk 216.6p, Poolside 216.3p. **601-650kg** – Marywell 208.5p, Cairndaie 206.7p, Clunycrichton 206.5p, Marywell 205.2p, Tillenturk 204.3p. **651-700kg** – Cairndaie 208.2p, Clunycrichton 206.8p. **701-750kg** – Clunycrichton 203.1p, Cairndaie 198p.

Heifers up to 300kg – Milton Farm 204.1p. **301-350kg** – Lagavaich 237p, Ternemny 233.5p, Meikle Coull 229.4p, Auchorachan 228.7p, Midtown of Buchromb 211.9p. **351-400kg** – Uppermill 250p, Caplich 248.6p, Whitehouse 242.3p, Harestone 233.7p, Croftbain 231.2p. **401-450kg** – Dalrachie 244.4p, 2 Little Herdhill Way 244p, Heads of Auchinderran 242.1p, Lagavaich 239.3p, Croftbain 236.6p. **451-500kg** – Faddenhill 239.2p, Wester Rarichie 238.5p, Ternemny 232.3p, Finzean Estate 231.3p. **501-550kg** – Balgairn 251p, Guise 246p, Newmill 231.4p, Poolside 229.1p, Rorandle 225p. **551-600kg** – Newmill 270p, Craigton 235.6p, Bogentassie 219.5p, Knapps of Bedlam 215.5p. **601-650kg** – Newmill 240.9p, Conlandmill 215.4p, Gunhill 205.6p, Sougle 203.9p, Finzean Estate 202.3p. **651-700kg** – Tillenturk 209.2p, Shougle 204.7p, Gunhill 200.3p. **701-750kg** – Shougle 196.3p.

Fodder

Overall Aberdeen and Northern Marts sold 1,113 bales of fodder.

Inside Barley Straw averaged £19.80.

Outside Barley Straw sold at £15.

Hay averaged £40.20.

Silage averaged £25.50.

29th Anniversary Show and Sale of Store Cattle
4th January 2018
Sponsored by Thomson's of Sauchen

Judge – Robbie Anderson, Sootywells, Fordoun.

Class 1 – Junior Bullock

- 1st – W Patterson & Son Upper Forgie Keith 440kg £1,160
- 2nd – G Hendry Heads of Auchinderran Keith 454kg £1,080
- 3rd – G Hendry Heads of Auchinderran Keith 436kg £1,040

Class 2 – Senior Bullock

- 1st – W & D Moir Livestock Newmill Rathen 538kg £1,160
- 2nd – P Cooper & Son Govals Kincaldrum Forfar 490kg £1,190
- 3rd – Guise Farm Partnership Tough Alford 562kg £1,290

Class 3 – Junior Heifer

- 1st – W & D Moir Livestock Newmill 454kg £1,020
- 2nd – G & J Greenlaw Balgairn Farms Ballater 406kg
- 3rd – A & P Munro Caplich Alness 392kg £910

Class 4 – Senior Heifer

- 1st – W & D Moir Livestock Newmill 700kg £1,480
- 2nd – Guise Farm Partnership 664kg £1,300
- 3rd – G & J Greenlaw Balgairn Farms 526kg £1,040

Class 5 – Pair of Bullocks

- 1st – J C & J E Thomson Muckle Myre South Ronaldsay 592kg £1,320
- 2nd – P Cooper & Son Govals 492kg £1,100
- 3rd – P Cooper & Son Govals 398kg £920

Class 6 – Pair of Heifers

- 1st – Guise Farm Partnership 506kg £1,245
- 2nd – W & D Moir Livestock Newmill 636kg £1,370
- 3rd – I & E Glennie Knapps Bedlam New Deer 580kg £1,250

Class 7 – Pen of Four Bullocks

- 1st – Uppermill Farms Springburn Kintore 336kg £840
- 2nd – T Smith & Son Netheron Whitehouse Alford 510kg £1,130
- 3rd – J Gracey Moss-side of Gight Fyvie 464kg £1,000

Class 8 – Pen of Four Heifers

- 1st – W & D Moir Livestock Newmill 620kg sold to a top of £1,680
- 2nd – A & A Wright Lagavaich Glenlivet 422kg £1,010
- 3rd – C Smith Bogentassie Lumphanan 544kg £1,160

Champion

(H Thomson & Sons Perpetual Trophy)

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Champion Pen of Pair of Four

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