

## **Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 16<sup>TH</sup> January 2020 )**

A total of 68 Cast Cows, Bulls & OTMs and 89 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

### **Cast Cows and Bulls**

#### **Beef Cows**

Sold to 189p per Kg for a 500Kg British Blue from S & J Sclater, Lower Hobbister, Stenness and £1,170 gross for a 875kg Simmental from S W Paterson & Co, Nessbreck, Harray.

#### Leading Prices per Head

Brencher House, Birsay (Sim) £1,135; Nessbreck (Sim) £1,070; Quanterness, St Ola (AA) £1,065; Burness, Firth (AA) £1,015; Walkerhouse, Birsay (SD) £975; Lower Hobbister (BB) £965; Greentoft, Eday (AA) £965; Farewell, South Ronaldsay (Lim) £935; How, Sanday (Sim) £875; Kirkbrae, Westray (Sax) £790.

#### Leading Prices per Kg

Lower Hobbister 187.7p; 170.7p; Brencher House 169.4p; Farewell 148.4p; How 143.5p; Burness 145p; Quanterness 136.6p; Kirkbrae 136.2p; Walkerhouse 135p; Greentoft 135p; Nessbreck 133.7p.

#### **Prime Cattle 30-48mths**

Sold to 187p per kg for a 625kg Charolais and a 495kg Saler Heifers and £1,251 gross for a 695kg Aberdeen Angus Heifer from Firm of W Archibald, Newhouse, Swannay.

#### Leading Prices per head and kg

Newhouse £1,168.75; Northskaill, Sanday £1,029.35.

#### **Mature Bulls**

Sold to 160p per Kg and £1,230 gross for a 770kg Limousin from Rendall & Scott, Cleat, St Ola.

#### **Prime Sheep (89)**

#### **Old Season Lambs**

Sold to 229p per Kg for 38kg Texels from J W Slater, Yarpha, Orphir and £99.50 gross for 45kg Texels from Georth Farms, Evie.

#### Leading Prices per Head

**Zwart** – Walkerhouse £94. **Cont** – Yarpha £93.50; Ruemuera, Burray £92.

#### Leading Prices per Kg

**Cont** – Ruemuera 224.4p; Yarpha 222.6p; Georth 221.1p; **Zwart** – Walkerhouse 210.8p.

#### **Feeding Ewes**

Sold to £101 for Texels from Georth Farms.

#### Leading Prices per head

**Tex** – Georth 97.50. **High** – Fersness, Eday £86.50. **Cont** – Swanbister, Orphir £84.50. **Chev** – Swanbister £74.50; Walkerhouse £70.50.

### **Feeding Rams**

Sold to £113 for a Texel from Georth Farms.