

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Friday 6th October 2023)
Sold 1248 Store Cattle, Young Bulls and Young and Weaned Calves.

“At the show and sale of autumn born calves sponsored by G P Smart Agricultural & Industrial Supplies, judged by George Cowie, Cairnton of Fordyce who placed a Limousin Cross Steer from the Cooper Family, Govals, Forfar which scaled 476kg and realised £1650 to the judge. The reserve a 352kg Limousin Steer consigned by Aileen Ritchie, Tamala made £1380 also to the judge. Top call of the day was £2000 twice, firstly for a blue & white in colour Limousin Cross heifer scaling 480kg consigned by The Sim Family, Rorandle Monymusk, then a black Limousin Cross heifer weighing 420kg from The cooper Family, Govals.”

Bullocks (223) averaged 286.1p and sold to 393.5p per kg for a pair of 216kg Limousins from Meikle Geddes, Nairn and £1950 gross for a 666kg Limousin Cross from Newton of Auchindoir, Rhynie.

Weaned Bullocks (255) averaged 313.8p and sold to 392p per kg for 352kg Limousin from Tamala, Burnside and £1730 gross for a 628kg Limousin cross from West Maldron, Torphins.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks (149) averaged 292.5p and sold to 367.8p per kg for a pen of seven 242kgs from Pitmedden Lodge, Dyce and £1820 gross for 616kg from Hilton Farm, Shapinsay.

Heifers (335) averaged 283.4p and sold to 384.3p per kg for a 484kg Simmental from Myres, South Ronaldsay and £1880 gross for a pair of 648kg Charolais cross & for a 668kg Charolais from Newton of Auchindoir, Rhynie.

Weaned Heifers (162) averaged 306p and sold to 534.4p per kg for a 262kg Limousin cross from Fodderletter, Tomintoul and £2000 gross twice for a 480kg Limousin Cross from Rorandle, Monymusk & also for a 420kg Limousin Cross from Govals, Forfar.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers (105) averaged 261.8p and sold to 298.4p per kg for a pen of eight 254kg from Pitmedden Lodge, Dyce and £1565 gross for a 554kg from Halcro, St Margrets Hope.

Bulls (15) sold to 297.2p per kg for a pair of 360kg Limousins from Upper Forgie, Keith and £1,440 gross for a 526kg Limousin cross from Drumforber, Laurencekirk.

Young and Weaned Calves (4) sold to £850 gross.

Leading Prices per Head

Bullocks up to 250kg – Meikle Geddes (Lim) £850;
251-300kg – Meikle Geddes (BBX) £910, Lower Stanger (BBX) £700;

301-350kg – Lower Stanger (LimX) £1060, Rockhill (Lim) £1000, Meikle Geddes (BBX) £980, Hunchaquooy (LimX) £950;
351-400kg – Hunchaquooy (SimX) £1235, Brownhill (LimX), Lower Stanger (Char) £1220, Rockhill (Lim) £1100, Howe Farm (BBX) £1080;
401-450kg – Newseat of Balthangie (CharX) £1490, Muirhouses (LimX) £1420, Hunchaquooy (SimX) £1370, How Farm (CharX) £1360;
451-500kg – Muirhouses Farm (LimX) £1660, Broadgreens (LimX) £1610, Cairnleith (LimX) £1600, Brownhill (LimX) £1530;
501-550kg – Dinnet Farm (CharX) £1680, Hilton farm (SimX) £1650, Parkieside (Lim) £1630, Craigmancy (LimX) £1610;
551-600kg – Lower Cushieston (CharX) £1830, Newton of Auchindoir (SimX) £1800, Hilton Farm (SimX) £1770, Woodbank (CharX) £1740,
601-650kg – Lower Cushieston (CharX) £1900, Hilton Farm (SimX) £1820, Treeton (LimX) £1810, Lower Cornquooy (SimX) £1790;
651-700kg – Lower Cushieston (SimX) £1890.

Weaned Bullocks up to 400kg – Tamala (Lim) £1380, Cluseburn (CharX) £1370, Achdregnie (LimX) £1360, Shenval (LimX) £1340;
401-450kg – Govals (LimX) £1560, Dinnet farm, Fichlie (CharX) £1530, Cluseburn £1510, Govals (LimX) £1500;
451-500kg – Achdregnie (LimX) £1670, Govals (Lim) £1650, North Bethelnie (CharX) £1620, Wester Coull (LimX) £1615;
501-550kg – Wester Coull (LimX) £1695, Shenval (LimX) £1580, Lethendry (BBX) £1570, Auchterblair (SimX) £1500;
551-600kg – Treeton Culloden (LimX) £1690, Shenval (LimX) £1670;
601-650kg – West Maldron (LimX) 275.5p.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks up to 250kg – Pitmedden Lodge £890;
251-300kg – Pitmedden Lodge £960, Ballgreen £580;
301-350kg – Assynt Mains £1045, Pitmedden Lodge £1000, East Clyne £890, Howe Farm £850;
351-400kg – Assynt Mains £1080, Pitmedden Lodge £990, Ballgreen £980, Culfoichmore £970;
401-450kg – How, Sanday £1280, Cowford £1270, Assynt Mains £1230, Newseat £1170;
451-500kg – How, Sanday £1430, Cowford £1400;
501-550kg – Woodbank £1600, Hilton Farm £1590, Cowford £1570;
551-600kg – Woodbank £1800, Newton of Coldwells £1650;
601-650kg – Craigmancy £1805, Craiglea £1700.

Weaned Heifers up to 300kg – Fodderletter (LimX) £1400
301-350kg – Govals (LimX) £1030, Ballaterach farm (CharX) £840, carlton House (LimX) £720;
351-400kg – Shenval (LimX) £1490, Govals (LimX) £1330, Shenval (LimX) £1265, Dinnet farms (CharX) £1260;
401-450kg – Govals (LimX) £2000 , Rorandle (LimX) £1550, Cluseburn (CharX) £1500, Dinnet Farms (CharX), Auchterblair Farm (LimX) £1400
451-500kg – Rorandle (LimX) £2000, Govals (LimX) £1630, Croftbain (CharX) £1430, Auchterblair (LimX), Shenval (LimX), West Maldron (LimX) £1390;

501-550kg – Lethendry (LimX) £1620, Achdregnie (LimX) £1500, Treeton Culloden (LimX) £1495.

Heifers up to 250kg – Meikle Geddes (LimX) £820;

251-300kg – Meikle Geddes(LimX) £850, Dyke (CharX) £700;

301-350kg – Lower Stanger (LimX) £1060, Rockhill (Sim) £1030, Lower Stanger (LimX) £1000, Cairntack farm (SimX) £950;

351-400kg – 2 Bogie Street (LimX), Dinnet Farms (CharX) £1180, Hunchaquooy (SimX) £1150, Hayon (LimX) £1100, South Breck (LimX) £1080;

401-450kg – Brownhill (LimX) £1420, Lagavaich (CharX) £1410, Cairnleith (LimX) £1400, 2 Bogie Street (CharX) £1350;

451-500kg – Myres (SimX) £1860, South law (CharX) £1560, Hallbreck (LimX) £1520, Cairnleith (LimX) £1515;

501-550kg – Meikle Geddes (LimX) £1690, Broadgreens (LimX) £1680, 2 Bogie Street (LimX) £1650, South Law (LimX) £1640;

551-600kg – Myres (SimX) £1770, Newton of Auchindoir (LimX) £1760, Broadgreens (LimX) £1720, Hallbreack (CharX) £1690;

601-650kg – Newton of Auchindoir (CharX) £1800, Lagavaich (LimX) £1720, Treeton (LimX) £1630;

651-700kg – Newton of Auchindoir (CharX) 281.4p.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 300kg – Pitmedden Lodge £850, East Clyne £660;

301-350kg – Pitmedden Lodge £910;

351-400kg – Culfoichmore £1040, Assynt Mains £1030, Burgar £900, Howe Farm £880;

401-450kg – Halcro £1150, South Breck £1050, Burgar £1020, Highwater Croft £1010;

451-500kg – Halcro £1310, Newton of Coldwells £1285, How, Sanday £1260, Beech Croft, Assynt Mains £1210;

501-550kg – Gowanwell £1435, Gladhill £1430, Craigielea, Assynt Mains £1400, Halcro, Newton of Coldwells £1390;

551-600kg – Gowanwell £1520, South Breck £1490, Craigielea £1440.

Bulls up to 300kg – Inverbrora Farm (HerX) £420;

351-400kg – Upper Forgie (BBX) £1180;

501-550kg – Delfur Farms (Sim) £1400;

551-600kg – Delfur Farms (Sim) £1400.

Leading Prices per Kg

Bullocks up to 250kg – Meikle Geddes (Lim) 393.5p, Backmuir (LimX) 306.9p;

251-300kg – Meikle Geddes (BBX) 325.8p, Backmuir (LimX) 277.8p, Lower Stanger (BBX) 239.7p;

301-350kg – Rockhill (Lim) 306.7p, Lower Stanger (LimX) 306.4p, Meikle Geddes (BBX) 293.4p, Howe Farm (BBX) 282.2p;

351-400kg – Hunchaquooy (SimX) 326.7p, Brownhill (LimX) 316.1p, Rockhill (Lim) 312.5p, Lower Stanger (Char) 309.6p;

401-450kg – Muirhouses Farm (LimX) 334.9p, Newseat (CharX) 331.1p, Hayon (LimX) 313.4p, Hunchaquooy (SimX) 310p;

451-500kg – Brownhill (LimX) 335.5p, Muirhouses Farm (LimX) 334.7p, Broadgreens (LimX) 329.9p, Cairnleith (LimX) 328.9p;
501-550kg – Dinnet Farm (CharX) 314p, Gowanwell (LimX) 311.3p, Parkieside (Lim) 311.1p, Hilton Farm (SimX) 301.6p;
551-600kg – Lower Cushieston (CharX) 309.1p, Cleat Work Road (LimX) 308.9p, Hilton Farm (SimX) 305.2p, Woodbank (CharX) 302.1p;
601-650kg – Hilton farm (SimX) 295.5p, Lower Cushieton (CharX) 295p, Cleat Work Road (LimX) 285.5p, Parkieside (LimX) 268.6p;
651-700kg – Newton of Auchindoir (SimX) 292.8p, Lower Cushieton (SimX) 282.1p.

Weaned Bullocks up to 400kg – Tamala (Lim) 392p, Cluseburn (CharX) 362.4p, Achdregnie (LimX) 361.7p, Shenval (LimX) 350p;
401-450kg – Govals (LimX) 369.7p, Dinnet Farm (CharX) 366.5p, Mains of Cairnborrow (CharX) 361.7p, Fichlie (CharX) 349.3p;
451-500kg – Govals (Lim) 346.6p, Achdregnie (LimX) 346.5p, Rorandle (LimX) 339p, Wester Coull (LimX) 336.5p;
501-550kg – Wester Coull (LimX) 313.9p, Shenval (LimX) 299.2p, Auchterblair (SimX) 296.4p, Lethendry (BBX) 292.9p;
551-600kg – Treeton Culloden (LimX) 302.9p, Shenval (LimX) 297.2p;
601-650kg – West Maldron (LimX) 275.5p.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks up to 250kg – Pitmedden Lodge 367.8p, East Clyde 260p;
251-300kg – Pitmedden Lodge 366.4p;
301-350kg – Pitmedden Lodge 322.6p, Assynt Mains 214.8p, East Clyde 257.2p, Ballgreen 248.3p;
351-400kg – Assynt Mains 285.7p, Culfoichmore 270.9p, Pitmedden Lodge 269p, East Clyde 261.4p;
401-450kg – Assynt Mains 292.9p, How Farms 292.2p, Cowford 282.2p, Newseat 260p;
451-500kg – How, Sanday 300.4p, Cowford 289.3p;
501-550kg – Cowford 300.8p, Hilton Farm 298.9p, Woodbank 296.3p, How Farms 283.5p;
551-600kg – Woodbank 307.8p, Newton of Coldwells 289.5p, Beech Croft 287p, Craigmancy 277.2p;
601-650kg – Hilton Farm 295.5p, Craigmancy 292.1p, Craigielea 279.6p, Beech Croft 274.4p.

Weaned Heifers up to 300kg – Fodderletter (LimX) 534.4p;
301-350kg – Govals (LimX) 294.3p, Ballaterach Farm (CharX) 262.5p, Carlton House (LimX) 209.3p;
351-400kg – Shenval (LimX) 404.9p, Govals (LimX) 350p, West Cruichie (LimX) 325.9p, Dinnet Farm (CharX) 324.7p;
401-450kg – Govals (LimX) 476.2p, Rorandle (LimX) 360.5p, Cluseburn (CharX) 352.1p;
451-500kg – Rorandle (LimX) 416.7p, Govals(LimX) 345.3p, Croftbain (CharX) 306.9p, Auchterblair (LimX) 306.2p;

501-550kg – Lethendry (LimX) 305.7p, Achdregnie (LimX) 295.3p, Treeton Culloden (LimX) 292p, West Maldron (SimX) 271.7p;

Heifers up to 250kg – Meikle Geddes (LimX) 359.6p, Backmuir (LimX) 293.1p;
251-300kg – Meikle Geddes(LimX) 305.8p, Backmuir (LimX) 255.6p, Dyke (CharX) 255.5p;

301-350kg – Rockhill (Lim) 319.6p, Lower Stanger (LimX) 309.9p, Cairntack (SimX) 302.5p, Howe Farm (BBX) 282.7p;

351-400kg – Hunchaquooy (LimX) 315.3p, Dinnet Farm (CharX) 302.6p, 2 Bogie Street (LimX) 295p, Dyke (CharX) 292.8p;

401-450kg – Cairnleith, Kirriemuir (LimX) 344.8p, Lagavaich (CharX) 343.9p, Brownhill (LimX) 319.8p, Hunchaquooy (SimX) 308.2p;

451-500kg – Myres (SimX) 384.3p, South Law (CharX) 315.8p, Gowanwell (LimX) 312.8p, Cairnleith (LimX) 310.5p;

501-550kg – Broadgreens (LimX) 310.6p, 2 Bogie Street (LimX) 309p, Meikle Geddes (LimX) 307.3p, South Law (CharX) 307.2p;

551-600kg – Myres (SimX) 319.5p, Hallbreck (CharX) 305.1p, Broadgreens (LimX) 300.7p, Newton of Auchindoir (LimX) 299.3p;

601-650kg – Newton of Auchindoir (CharX) 290.1p, Lagavaich (LimX) 273.9p, Treeton Culloden 266.3p, New Moan 221.5p;

651-700kg – Newton of Auchindoir (CharX) 281.4p;

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 300kg – Pitmedden Lodge 297.2p, East Cline, 230.8p;

301-350kg – Pitmedden Lodge 288p;

351-400kg – Assynt Mains 272.5p, Culfoichmore 260p, Burgar 240.6p, Howe Farm 234p;

401-450kg – Halcro 257.8p, Burgar 246.4p, South Breck 239.7p, Assynt Mains 236.5p;

451-500kg – Halcro 278.7p, How Farms 272.7p, Newton of Coldwells 266.6p, Beech Croft 246.9p;

501-550kg – Gladhill 278.2p, Halcro 275.8p, How Farms 275.6p, Craigielea 275.6p;

551-600kg – Halcro 282.5p, Gowanwell 274.4p, South Breck 265.1p, Craigielea 260.9p;

Bulls up to 300kg – Inverbrora Farm (HerX) 221.1p;

351-400kg – Upper Forgie (BBX) 297.2p;

501-550kg – Drumforber (Lim) 273.8p, Dundurcas Farm (Sim) 266.2p, Easdale (LU) 210.1p;

551-600kg – Delfur Farms (Sim) 250,