

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 14th March 2024)

A total of 25 Cast Cows and Prime Cattle and 124 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £1,910 gross and 238.7p per kg for a 800kg Charolais from J Stephen & Co Sandwich House, St Margarets Hope

Leading Prices per Head

Sim – Suquoy £1,670; Lopness £1,535 & £1,375. **Char** – Sandwich House £1,570 & £1,430. **Sho** – Greentoft £1,485, £1,330 (2); Carrick £1,285.

Lim – Cleat £1,440; Lopness £1,310. **AA** – Suquoy £1,290 & £1,165.

Leading prices per kg

Sandwick House 219.8p & 214.7p; Lopness 210.8p; Greentoft 205.2p; Suquoy 203.2p; Lopness 202.9p; Greentoft 202.3p; Cleat 196.7p;

Dairy Cows

Sold to £1,630 gross for a 866kg Friesian from S Laird & Co, Pole, Burray.

Leading prices per head

Sebay £1,590; Cleat £1,310; Pole £1,050.

Young Bull

Sold to £2,557.10 gross and 281p per kg for a 910kg Limousin from Messrs Spence, Norton, Dounby.

Prime Sheep (112)

Old Season Lambs

Sold to £230 for a Pure Texel from E A Eunson, Halley Deerness and to 385.8p per kg for 46kg Lleyn from Messrs Davidson, Skail, Sandwich.

Leading Prices per Head

Tex – Halley £200. **Lleyn** – Skail £186.50, £182.50 & £177.50.

DS –Halley £177.50.

Feeding Ewes & Rams

Sold to £171.50 for a Continental Ram from W R Baillie & Co, Biggings, Toab

Leading prices per head

Rams

Cont – Biggings £139.50.

Ewes

Cont – Biggings £111.50. Chev – Biggings £107.50.

SHC – Ingsay £77.50.

Store Hogs

Sold to £128.50 gross for Texels from D Paterson, Easthouse, The Park, Toab.

Leading Prices per head
Tex – Easthouse £110.