

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 4TH July 2024)

A total of 14 Cast Cows and 102 Prime Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £1,845 gross for a 844kg Limousin from J & S Donaldson, South Breck, Burray and to 283.8p per kg for a 518kg Limousin from Kierfield Farm, Sandwick.

Leading Prices per Head

Lim – Quholmslie £1,740; Seaview £1,690; Aikerness £1,650; South Breck £1,530 Arion £1,510; Kierfield & Seaview £1,470.

Sax – Kierfield £1,710. **Sim** – Hyval £1,490. **AA** – Kierfield £1,390.

Leading prices per kg

Kierfield 256.7p; Sea6view 237.3p; Quholmslie 231.4p; South Breck 226.3p; Aikerness 223p; Hyval 216p; Arion 215p.

Prime Sheep

Old Season Lambs

Sold to £139.50 for Beltex from A Ritch, Kierfield

Leading prices per head

Char – Kierfield £136.50. **Tex** – Redland £126.50.

Feeding Ewes & Rams

Sold to £207.50 for a Texel Ram from Kierfield Farm.

Ewes sold to £177.50 for Continentals from I Donaldson & Co Redland.

Leading prices per head

Tex – Gaitnip £169.50; Kierfield £164.50. **BT** – Gaitnip £161.50.

Cont – Kierfield £157.50; Redland £137.50. **Hill Chev** – Melsetter £112.50.

SHC – Melsetter £81.50.