

**THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Wednesday 23rd October 2024)
Sold 654 Head of Adult Breeding Cattle.**

“Annual show & sale of spring calving heifers sponsored by Agrimin and judged by Graham Sutherland, The Antlers, Occumster, who placed as champion a British Blue Cross Heifer calving to a Limousin Bull from Gordon Carroll, Aucharroch, Kirkton of Kingoldrum which sold for £4800 to Fraser Moar, Crook, Orkney. Champion pair or pen of three heifers went to a pair of Limousin Crosses from I & G Urquhart, 65 Pennan Road, Ellon selling for £3200 to the Judge. Top price for Simmental Heifers was £3200 for a pair, calving February to a Limousin Bull from Mr Watt, New Noth, Gartly. Heifers were in good order and an excellent show for quality with an overall average of £2405.82 (-£113 on the year).

Heifer with Bull Calf (1) sold to £1700 for a Shorthorn Heifer from Braepark, Duncanston.

Heifer with Heifer Calf (4) sold to £2950 for a Simmental Heifer from South Blachrie, Fyvie.

Cow with Bull Calf (18) sold to £2850 for a Simmental Cross Cow from Law Farm, Inch.

Cow with Heifer Calf (14) sold to £2950 for a Simmental Cross Cow from West Maldron, Torphins.

In Calf Heifer (514) sold to £4800 for a British Blue Cross from Aucharroch, Kirkton of Kingoldrum.

In Calf Cow (101) sold to £2700 for a Beef Shorthorn Cross from Dunecht Home Farm, Dunecht.

Breeding Bulls (2) sold to 5000gns for a 2 Year Old Limousin Bull from Tamala, Burnside.

Leading Prices

In Calf Heifer:

Brewthin, Cullerlie – LimX - £2800, £2750 (X6); SMX - £2600.

Backhill of Seggat, Auchterless – SMX - £2650 (X3), £2600 (X4), £2550 (X3); BSHX - £2400; LimX - £2300 (X3).

Wester Bleaton, Blairgowrie – SMX - £3000.

Aucharroch, Kirkton of Kingoldrum – LimX - £4200, £3900, £3700, £3400, £3250; **BRBX** - £3900, £3400, £3000; **CB** - £3050.

Rennieshill, Newmachar – SMX - £2300 (X7), £2150.
New Noth, Gartly – SMX - £3200, £3150, £3050, £3000; **SM** - £3200, £3000.

The Bungalow, New Noth – SMX - £2850, £2750.

Upper Sauchen, Ordhead – SMX - £3000 (X3), £2950 (X6); **LimX** - £2900.

2 Bogie Street, Huntly – BRBX - £2100; **SM** - £2000 (X3).

65 Pennan Road, Ellon – LimX - £3200 (X2), £2900; **SM** - £2800.

Balladrum, Durriss – SM - £2500, £2450; **SMX** - £2450, £2400.

Northton, Cullerlie – SMX - £2550, £2300.

Fairburn, Longmanhill – SMX - £2750 (X2), £2300; **LimX** - £2300, £2050, £2020.

Clinterty, New Aberdour – LimX - £2700, £2450.

Heifers with Calves at foot

South Blachrie, Fyvie – SM - £2950, £2900.

Mains of Drumdollo, Huntly – SMX - £2450.

Cows with Calves at foot

Law Farm, Inch – SMX - £2900, £2850 (X2), £2800, £2600

West Maldron, Torphins – SMX - £2950, £2850, £2700 (X2), £2650.

Glenlea, Lumphanan – Lim - £2300.

In Calf Cows

Hindatoon, Harray – SAX - £1450 (X3).

Dunecht Home Farm – BSHX - £2700, £2600 (X2), £2520, £2450 (X5); **AAX** - £2450; **LimX** - £2400 (X3).

Braepark, Dingwall – BSH - £2350.

Breeding Bulls

Dunecht Home Farm – Lim - £3800.