

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 28th November 2024)

A total 56 Cast Cows and Bulls and 127 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £2,700 gross for a 916kg Limousin from S W Sinclair, South Breck, Firth and to 297p per kg for a 670kg Limousin from Laga Farms, Arwick, Evie.

Leading Prices per Head

BB – Orquil, St Ola £2,040; Newbigging, Dounby £1,570.

Lim – Arwick £1,990 (2); Ingsay £1,810; Arwick £1,550; Colligarth £1,530.

AA - Newbigging, Skelwick £1,990; Orquil £1,725; Orquil, Renadall £1,510; Hanover £1,225.

Sim – Ingsay £1,970; Lenahowe £1,930; Newbigging, Skelwick £1,610, £1,570 & £1,510; Howally £1,490; Braehead £1,350; Kirbuster £1,195.

Sho – Orquil £1,940. **Sax** – Lenahowe £1,770; Skail £1,350.

Char – Burn £1,550 & £1,490.

Leading prices per kg

South Breck 294.7p; Orquil, St Ola 282.5p; Ingsay 251.4p; Arwick 241.4p & 240.3p; Colligarth 239.9p; Newbigging, Skelwick 235.2p; Lenahowe 231p; Kirbuster 230.6p; Braehead 228.8p; Orquil 227.5p; Howally 227.1p; Orquil, Rendall 225.3p; Hanover 223.5p; Burn 212.3p; Newbigging 208.7p.

Dairy Cows

Sold to £1,570 gross and 220.5p per kg for a 712kg Friesian from Rendall & Scott, Cleat, St Ola.

Leading prices per head

Cleat (FR) £1,365.

Mature Bulls

Sold to £1,970 gross for a 1060kg Aberdeen Angus from D & M Skea, Orquil, Rendall

Prime Sheep (127)

Lambs

Sold to £133.50 gross and 304p per kg for Continentals from P & F Ross, Lenahowe, Sandwick.

Leading prices per head

Cont – South Breck £115.

Feeding Ewes

Sold to £209.50 gross for Texels from E A Eunson, Halley, Deerness

Leading prices per head

Tex – Lenahowe £180.50.

Cont – Biggings £169.50; Lenahowe £161.50; Halley £157.50; Walkerhouse £153.50.

Zwart – Walkerhouse £159.50. **Suff** – Ingsay £144.50. **Aber** – Biggings £143.50. **Chev** – Breckowall £133.50. **Easy** – Ingsay £97.50.

Feeding Rams

Sold to £134.50 for Cheviots from J Laughton, Garth, St Ola.

