

QUOYBRAE, Aberdeen & Northern Marts (19th September 2025) under the auspices of the North Country Cheviot Sheep Society and sponsored by Shearwell Data sold 85 rams to average £1,132.47 and 8 Females sold to £1,800.

Champion judged by Mr Alistair Armstrong, 54 Aughentaine Road, Fivemiletown, Co Tyrone was a shearling Smerlie Falcon by Upper Cornquoy Classic from Andrew Polson, Glenfinnan, Findon and sold for £4,000 to R Davis, Maerdy Isaf.

Reserve a shearling Sebay Froever by Gremista Classy from J S Baillie & Co, sebay Tankerness and sold for £2,400 to Firm of Mackay, South Balkieth, Tain.

Females and Groups was judged by Mr Rhys Davies, Maerdy Isaf, Talley and Mr Brendan Drew, Low Gill Beck Farm, Glaisdale, Whitby and their champion was a Gimmer from Mers H Mill, Achscrabster, Thurso which realised £1,000 to James Swanson, Framside, Halkirk.

Leading prices:

Upper Cornquoy £4,800 to Glenfinnain; £2,000 to Knockdee; £1,600 to 25 Achfrish; £1,400 to Reidhaven Estate; £1,200 to Lochside.

Smerlie £6,000 to Bardnclavan & Upper Cornquoy; £4,000 to Maerdy Isaf; £2,000 to Clatequoy.

Sebay Farm £2,400 to South Balkieth; £2,000 to Achscrabster; £1,000 three times to Kjemlea, Findlins Farm, Balbeg; £900 to Low Gill Beck Farm.

Biggins £1,500 to Grenaker Farm; £500 twice to Doonbye, Caehir & 25 Achfrish.

Longoe £1,700 to Findlins; £700 twice to Lower House & Findlins.

Bardnaclavan £2,000 to Manor Farm; £1,800 to Crookistane Farm; £1,000 to 51 Earlstoun Road.

Findlins £2,200 to South Balkeith; £1,000 twice to Seafield & Hill Daeks; .

Jacqueline Mackay £1,800 to Bardnaclavan & Upper Cornquoy; £700 to Inver Croft.

Achscrabster £1,700 to Grunnafirth; £1,000 to Skitten; £900 No 2 Seaview Cottages.

Skitten £1,000 to Maerdy Uchaf; £800 twice to West Point & Achow.

Cairnside £4,000 to Hagg House; £2,000 twice to Tormore & Ocerton; £1,600 to Maerdy Isaf;

Skinnet £600 to Floss

Reaster £500 twice to Brekkaburn & Achow.

Oldfeild £500 to Cairnside

Nistagar £1,000 to Glenfinnan; £700 to Cairnside.

Leading Flock averages:

Smerlie £6,000 averaged £3,150 for 4 (£920 for 5 last year)

Upper Cornquoy to £4,800 averaged £1,787.50 for 8 (£2087.50 for 8 last year)

Cairnside £4,000 average £2,000 for 5 (£533.33 for 3 last year)

Sebay Farm £2,400 averaged £1,285.71 for 7 (£1,166.66 for 5 last year)

Findlins £2,200 averaged £1,041.67 for 6 (£937.50 for 8 last year)

Bardnaclavan £2,000 averaged £ (£725 for 4 last year)

Longoe £1,700 average £925 for 4 (£800 for 5 last year)

Biggins £1,500 average £868.75 (£975 for 4 last year)

Jacqueline Mackay £1,800 averaged £1,033 for 3 (£900 for 3 last year)

Achscrabster £1,700 average £788.88 for 9. (£510 for 5 last year)

Skitten £1,000 average £666.67 for 6 (N/C)

Nistagar £1,000 average £733 for 3 (N/C)

Females sold to £1,800 to East Whitestones, Cuminestown.

Leading Prices

Biggins to £1,300 for a Gimmer.

Boultach to £1,400 for a Gimmer;

Achscrabster to £1,000 for a Gimmer.

Newbigging to £900 for a Gimmer

Seaview Cottages to £850 for a Ewe Lamb.

Prize List

Ram Lamb

1st - Lot 122 – William Campbell, Naver House

Shearling Ram

1st - Lot 101 – Andrew Polson, Smerlie,

2nd - Lot 34 – J S Baillie & Co, Sebay, Tankerness

3rd Lot 35 - J S Baillie & Co, Sebay, Tankerness

4th Lot 48 - J & J Smith, Upper Cornquoy, Holm

5th Lot 50- J & J Smith, Upper Cornquoy, Holm

Group of 3 Shearlings Rams

1st – J & J Smith, Upper Cornquoy, Holm (51,52,53)

2nd – J & W Mackay, Biggins, Killimster (27,28,32)

3rd – Mesr H Mill, Achscrabster, Thurso (73,74,75)

4th – B & J Mackay, Skitten, Wick (20,22,23)

Group of 5 Shearlings Rams

1st – H Mill, Achscrabster, Bridge of Westfield (70,69,67,72,71)

Overall Male Champion & Reserve

CHAMPION - Lot 101 – Andrew Polson, Smerlie,

RESERVE CHAMPION - Lot 34 – J S Baillie & Co, Sebay, Tankerness

Females

Gimmers

1st - Lot 139– Mesr H Mill Achscrabster

2nd - Lot 133– J & W Mackay, Biggins, Killimster

3rd - Lot 134– J & W Mackay, Biggins, Killimster

4th - Lot 141– E Wishart, Newbigging, Harray

Best Ewe Lamb

1st - Lot 136 – J Henderson, 2 Seaview Cottages

2nd - Lot 137 – J Henderson, 2 Seaview Cottages

3rd – Lot 131 – to R & K Sutherland, Hilliclay

Overall Female Champion & Reserve

CHAMPION - Lot 139– Mesr H Mill Achscrabster

RESERVE CHAMPION - Lot 133– J & W Mackay, Biggins, Killimster