

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Friday 3rd April 2026) Sold 1863 Store Cattle, Young Bulls and Young and Weaned Calves.

“The annual Show & Sale sponsored by D R Alexander & Son, was judged by Angus Cumming, Tillydesk where he awarded the Championship and winner of the Turriff Agri Perpetual trophy award being presented to a Limousin Cross Bullock which scaled 570kg consigned by G & D Anderson, Brucewells, Netherley selling for £2720. The Same Bullock also got awarded the Victor Davidson Perpetual Cup. Reserve overall went to the 526kg Limousin Cross Bullock from I & G Grant, Banks of Gallery, Montrose selling for £2500. The Champion Heifer receiving the Bruce Mackie Perpetual Tray went to the 390kg Limousin Cross from W & A Strachan, Millfield. The Reserve Champion Heifer winning the Robert England Perpetual Cup scaling 476kgs from an Orkney consigner Mr Keith Eunson, Braebuster which sold at £2400. Best Pair & Bank of Scotland Quaich went to G & D Anderson, Brucewells for 624kg Bullocks which realised £2720. The top call outwith prize winners was £2960 for a Limousin Bullock from Mr D Work, Mains of Dumbreck, Udney.”

Bullocks (700) averaged 448.3p and sold to 610.3p per kg for a 390kg Limousin Cross from Lethendry, Cromdale and £2960 gross for a 736kg Limousin from Mains of Dumbreck, Udney.

Heifers (570) averaged 440.9p and sold to 551.1p per kg for a 272kg Charolais from Allanreich, Ballogie and £2850 gross for a 608kg Limousin from Tannachie, Stonehaven.

Bulls (30) sold to 517.2p per kg for a Pair of 292kg Limousins from Easter Aberchalder, Inverness and £2280 gross for a 576kg Limousin from North Lurg, Midmar.

Young and Weaned Calves (5) sold to £540 gross.

Leading Prices per Head and per Kg

Bullocks up to 300kg – Dalbuiack (LimX) £1580, 530.2p;
301-350kg – Boginduie (LimX) £1840, Lythmore (LimX) 578.9p;
351-400kg – Lethendry (LimX) £2380, Millfield (BBX) 541.2p;
401-450kg – Lower Hobbister (CharX) £2240, Lethendry (BBX) 528.6p;
451-500kg – Lethendry (BBX) £2460, 519p;
501-550kg – 2 Bogie Street (LimX) £2300, Banks of Gallery (LimX) 475.3p;
551-600kg – Banks of Gallery (LimX) £2570, Brucewells (LimX) 477.2p;
601-650kg – Brucewells (LimX) £2720, 435.9p;
651-700kg – Brucewells (BBX) £2740, 409.8p;

701-750kg – Mains of Dumbreck (LimX) £2960, 402.2p.

Heifers up to 300kg – Easter Aberchalder (LimX) £1580, 537.4p;
301-350kg – Denhead of Muireisk (CharX) £1780, Easter Aberchalder (LimX) 541.9p;
351-400kg – Lethendry (LimX) £2200, 569.9p;
401-450kg – Brawland (Char) Relugas (SimX), Knockhall (Lim) £2100, Relugas (SimX) 507.2p;
451-500kg – Clury Farm (BBX) £2280, Braebuster (LimX) 505.2p;
501-550kg – Netherton, Whitehouse (CharX) £2270, 426.1p;
551-600kg – 2 Bogie Street (BBX) £2680, 449.7p;
601-650kg – 2 Bogie Street (CharX) £2660, 413p.

Bulls up to 300kg – Easter Aberchalder (LimX) £1500, 517.2p;
351-400kg – Easter Aberchalder (LimX) £1720, 438.8p;
401-450kg – Hackland (AA) £1820, 411.8p;
451-500kg – Easter Aberchalder (Lim) £1900, 390.9p;
501-550kg – Mill of Knockenbaird (LimX) £2010, 389.5p;
551-600kg – Mill of Knockenbaird (LimX) £2170, North Lurg (LimX) 395.8p;
651-700kg – Wairds (AA) £2300, 330.5p.

Aberdeen Angus

“At the annual Show & Sale of Aberdeen Angus Cattle sponsored by the Aberdeen Angus Society ably judged by Mr Jim Fowlie, Adziel, Strichen who placed a 22 month old Bullock as overall champion from Mr D Work, Mains of Dumbreck, Udney which scaled 824kg and sold for £3100. Reserve Champion an 18 month old Bullock which scaled 634kg and sold for £2380 from J & A Strathdee, North Retannach, Rothiemay. A fantastic show of cattle forward met a very keen enquiry which resulted in an overall sale average of 425ppk”

Aberdeen-Angus Bulls (409) averaged 432.7p and sold to 577.5p per kg for a 374kg from Upper Cornquoy, Holm and £2620 gross for a 760kg from Cauldwells, Craigston.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers (149) averaged 406.9p and sold to 474.2p per kg for a 310kg from Iriewells Farm, Udney and £2400 gross for a 632kg from Hurtiso, Holm.

Aberdeen-Angus Bulls up to 250kg – Iriewells Farm £1080, 435.5p;
251-300kg - Iriewells Farm £1510, 510.1p;
301-350kg – Altyre Estate £1680, 518.5p;
351-400kg – Upper Cornquoy, Holm £2160, North Retannach, Rothiemay 497.4p;
401-450kg – North Retannach £2150, 484.2p;

451-500kg – Braebuster, Deerness £2260, Tullochgorum Farm 476.6p;
501-550kg – 2 Dalbeg Road, Carrbridge £2300, Tullochgorum Farm 446.9p;
551-600kg – Troup Home Farm, Gamrie £2360, 412.6p;
601-650kg – North Retannach £2380, Troup Home Farm 382.6p;
651-700kg – West Bradieston, St Cyrus £2480, 369p;
701-750kg – Burnside of Whitefield, Forglen £2540, 354.7p;
Over 751kg – Cauldwells, Craigstone £2620, Mains of Drumbreck 376.2p.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 300kg – Iriewells Farm £2300, 400p;
301-350kg – Iriewells Farm £1470, 432.7p;
351-400kg – North Retannach £1740, 462.8p;
401-450kg – Fendom, Tain £1980, 445.9p;
451-500kg – Yarpha Farm £2070, 455.9p;
501-550kg – Hurtiso £2300, 422.8p;
551-600kg – Hurtiso £2280, Hill of Ardiffery, Hatton 396.8p;
600-650kg – North Retannach £2320, 384.1p.