

## **Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2018)**

A total of 61 Cast Cows Prime Cattle and Bulls and 57 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

### **Cast Cows and Bulls**

#### **Beef Cows**

Sold to 191.9p per Kg for a 560Kg Aberdeen Angus from Messrs Muir & Sons, Gorn, Shapinsay and £1,465 gross for a 840Kg Simmental from R Stevenson & Son, Bu, Stronsay.

#### **Leading Prices per Head**

Bu (Lim) £1,450 & £1,405; Gorn (Lim) £1,390; Bu (Lim) £1,330; Gorn (Lim) £1,290; Bu (Lim) £1,190; Netherskaill, Birsay (Sim) £1,145; How, Sanday (AA) £1,145; Old Voy, Toab £1,125; How (AA) £1,115; Eastaquoy, Harray (SAX) £1,075; Gorn (AA) £1,075; Netherhill, Tankerness (Sim) £1,065; Netherskaill (Cha) £1,045; Karinya, Dounby (Lim) £805; Weethick, Tankerness (Lim) £805.

#### **Leading Prices per Kg**

Gorn (AA) 186.4p, (Lim) 181.7p; Netherskaill (Lim) 177.6p; Bu (Lim) 176.1p; Gorn (Lim) 176p; Bu (Sim) 174.4p; Weethick (Lim) 171.3p; How (AA) 156.8p; Eastaquoy (SAX) 153.6p; Netherhill (Sim) 152p Old Voy (AA) 148p; Karinya (Lim) 138.8p.

#### **Prime Cattle 30-48mth**

Sold to 215p per Kg and £1,365.25 gross for a 635Kg Limousin Heifer from Muir & Sons, Gorn.

#### **Leading Prices per Head and Kg**

Karinya (Lim) £1,046.65, 173p.

#### **Bulls (3)**

##### **Young Bulls**

Sold to 177p per Kg and £1,292.10 gross for a 730Kg Shorthorn from G R T Scarth & Co, Twatt, Birsay.

#### **Leading Prices per Head and Kg**

Twatt (BSH) £1161.80, 157p.

#### **Prime Sheep (38)**

##### **Old Season Lambs**

Sold to 228.3p per Kg for a pen of Fifteen 46Kg Beltex from W R Baillie & Co, Biggings, Toab and £107 gross for a 60Kg Texel from J D & M Leitch, Feolquoy, Evie.

#### **Leading Prices per Head**

**Bel** – Biggings £105 & £103.50. **Tex** – Feolquoy £100.

**Cont** – Dale, Stronsay £92.50. **Chev** – Nistaben, Harray £90.50.

**Leading Prices per Kg** **Tex** – Feolquoy 217.4p. **Cont** – Dale 215.1p; Biggings 210p.

**Bel** – Biggings 211.2p. **Chev** – Nistaben 205.7p.