

## **Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018)**

A total of 173 Store Cattle and 357 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

### **Store Cattle (173)**

Bullocks to a top of 260p per kg for a pen of Six 350kg Organic Stabilisers from A P Bown, New Holland, Holm and £1,330 gross for a pair of 554kg Charolais from M D A Sinclair, How, Sanday.

Heifers to a top of 261p per kg for a pair of 380kg Limousin's from R J Taylor, Brencherhouse, Birsay and £1,380 gross for a 610kg Charolais from Messrs Spence, Norton, Dounby.

### **Leading Prices per Head**

#### **Bullocks**

**301-350kg** – New Holland, Holm (STX) £910; Mucklehouse, Swannay (Cha) £835; Howe, Stromness (AA) £740.

**351-400kg** – New Holland (STX) £900; Mucklehouse (BRB) £900.

**401-450kg** – Housebay, Stronsay (Cha) £1,080; Lower Hobbister, Stenness (Lim) £1,050; Newhouse, Swannay (Cha) £1,025; Mucklehouse (Cha) £970; Beafield, Sanday (Sho) £955.

**451-500kg** – Housebay (SAX) £1,080; How (Cha) £1,050.

**501-550kg** – Housebay (Lim) £1,210; How (Cha) £1,190; Melsetter, Longhope (Cha) £1,090

**551-600kg** –How (AA) £1,290; Vinbrake, Birsay (Cha) £1,275.

**601-650kg** – Vinbrake (SAX) £1,240.

#### **Heifers**

**301-350kg** – New Holland (STX) £720.

**351-400kg** – Brencherhouse (Lim) £990.

**401-450kg** – Norton (Lim) £1,000; Dale, Stromness (Cha) £900; Beafield (Sho) £900; Howe (AA) £785.

**451- 500kg** – Norton (AA) £1,120.

**501-550kg** –Norton (Cha) £1,230; Springvalley (AA) £1,055; Vinbrake (Lim) £1,020.

**601-650kg** – Housegarth, Quoyloo (Cha) £1,370; Housebay (SD) £1,250.

### **Leading Prices per Kg**

#### **Bullocks**

**301-350kg** – Mucklehouse (Cha) 257.7p; New Holland (STX) 240.4p; Howe (Sim) 216.3p.

**351-400kg** – New Holland (STX) 248.6p; Mucklehouse (BRB) 236.8p.

**401-450kg** – Housebay (Cha) 245.4p; Lower Hobbister (Lim) 233p; Mucklehouse (Cha) 231.3p; Newhouse (Cha) 228.8p; Beafield (Sho) 212.2p.

**451-500kg** – Housebay (SAX) 228p; How (Cha) 221.5p.

**501-550kg** – How (Cha) 226.2p; Housebay (Lim) 222.4p; Melsetter (Cha) 212p.

**551-600kg** –How (Cha) 240p; Vinbrake (Cha) 212.5p.

**601-650kg** – Vinbrake (SAX) 201.3p.

#### **Heifers**

**301-350kg** – New Holland (Sho) 211.2p.

**351-400kg** – Dale (BRB) 204.4p.

**401-450kg** – Dale (BRB) 200p; Beafield (Sho) 200p.

**451-500kg** – Norton (Cha) 239.3p; Springvalley (Sim) 200p;

**501-550kg** – Norton (Cha) 246p; Vinbrake (Lim) 201.6p; Springvalley (AA) 196.1p.

**601-650kg** – Norton (Cha) 226.2p; Housegarth (Cha) 220p; Housebay (SD) 192.3p.

## **Sheep (357)**

### **Store Lambs**

Sold to £72 for Cheviot ewe lambs from J & P Thomson, Garth, South Ronaldsay.

#### Leading Prices per Head

**Tex** – Skelbister £66; Rowland £64.50; Biggings, Toab £64.

**Suff** – Skelbister £63.50.

**Cont** – Lower Ellibister £61; Redland, Firth £57.50.

**Chev** – Aikerness £55.

**Belt** – Strathore, Shapinsay £53.

### **Ewes**

Sold to £97.50 for Continentals from S W Scott, Appiehouse, Stenness.

#### Leading Prices per Head

**Tex** – Biggings £91.50.

**Cont** – Orquil, St Ola £61.50; Lower Ellibister £57.50; Fersness, Eday £54.50.