

## **Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 17th May 2018)**

A total of 32 Cast Cows & Bulls and 17 Prime Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

### **Cast Cows and Bulls**

#### **Beef Cows**

Sold to 188.5p per Kg for a 780Kg Limousin from M & R Cursiter, Arwick, Evie and £1,525 gross for a 920Kg Aberdeen Angus from Orquil Farm, Orquil, St Ola.

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

Arwick (Lim) £1,310; Nistaben, Harray (Lim) £1,175; Ballgreen, South Ronaldsay (Lim) £1,085; North Bigging, Dounby (Sim) £1,055; Hurtiso, Holm (AA) £985; Hayon, Birsay (Cha) £945; Dale, Stromness (Lim) £865; Hyval, Quoyloo (Sim) £845.

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

Arwick (Lim) 179.4p; Nistaben (Lim) 175.4p; Orquil (AA) 165.7p; Hurtiso (AA) 162.8P; North Bigging (Sim) 162.3p; Dale (Lim) 161.7p; Hyval (Sim) 155p; Ballgreen (Lim) 152.8p; Hayon (Cha) 142.1p.

### **Bulls**

#### **Mature Bulls**

Sold to 140p per Kg and £1,410 gross for a 1010Kg Charolais from M Sinclair, Rosebank, Twatt.

### **Prime Sheep**

#### **Old Season Lambs**

Sold to 262.8p per Kg for a pen of 39Kg Continentals from D S Scott, Mirkady, Deerness and £130.50 gross for a 51Kg Texel from G Wilson & Dougherty, South Wald, Finstown.

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

**Tex** –The Head, South Ronaldsay £128.50; South Wald £105.50.

**Cont** – Mirkady £107.50.

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

Tex –\_The Head 257p; South Wald 255.8p.