

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 12th December 2024)

A total 78 Cast Cows and Bulls and 220 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £2,390 gross for a 868kg Charolais from L G Spence, Spengar, Sandwich and to 295.2p per kg for a 586kg British Blue from S J & L Foubister, Diamonds, Deerness.

Leading Prices per Head

Char – Spengar £2,170. **Lim** – Odinstone £2,070; Flett Park £1,890; Warth, Twatt £1,840; Glebe £1,790; Diamonds £1,630; Kierfield £1,585; Lopness £1,550.

Sim – Lenahowe £1,970; Oldhall £1,870; Lopness £1,840; Oldhall £1,730; Flett Park £1,710; Kierfield £1,710; Farewell £1,430. **AA** – Lopness £1,970; Kierfield £1,830; Quanterness £1,590 (2); Kierfield £1,570.

BB – Diamonds £1,730 & £1,570. **Sax** – Kierfield £1,730 & £1,550; Howan £1,550; Diamonds £1,465. **High** – Blackhall Farms £1,670. **Sho** – Blackhall Farms £1,650; Spengar £1,430.

Leading prices per kg

Spengar 275.3p; Odinstone 274.5p; Lopness 270.5p & 262.6p; Warth 255.5p; Diamonds 254.3p; Oldhall 254p; Quanterness 251p; Spengar 248.8p; Quanterness 246.1p & 245.3p; Flett Park 244.8p; Diamonds 241.6p; Kierfield 239.3p; Glebe 236.7p; Lenahowe 236.7p; Oldhall 233.7p; Lopness 232p; Blackhall 223.2p.

Dairy Cows

Sold to £1,610 for a 828kg Friesian from J & J Stevenson, Burgar, Evie.

Leading prices per head

Burgar £1,490.

Young Bull

Sold to £2,272.55 gross and 301p per kg for a 755kg Charolais from L G Spence, Spengar.

Prime Sheep (220)

Lambs

Sold to £180 gross and 391.3p for 46kg Beltex from J Leslie, Odinstone, Shapinsay

Leading prices per head

Tex - Nistigar £175.50, £164.50; Rowland £157.50; Nistigar £156.50.

Bfl – Nistigar £168.50. **Belt** – Odinstone £161.50 (2).

Cont – Halley £149.50 & £148.50.

Leading prices per kg

Odinstone 367p; Rowland 335.1p; Odinstone 332.2p; Nistigar 326p; Halley 325p.

Feeding Ewes

Sold to £249.50 for a Texel from J Cowe Little Howes, Holm

Leading prices per head

Belt – Odinstone £234.50 & £194.50. **Tex** – West Brough £171.50; Hyval £169.50.

Cont – Odinstone £179.50; West Brough £141.50; Hyval £127.50.

Chm – Little Howes £119.50. **Mule** – West Brough £111.50.

BF – Howan £98.50.

Feeding Rams

Sold to £169.50 for a Texel from J Rendall, Rowland, Holm