

## HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

### LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025

Forward: 1600 Sheep comprising 1272 Prime Hogs & 328 Cast Ewes & Rams.

#### PRIME HOGGS

There was less prime hogs forward today with many cautious of the reported drop in trade, but Hawes bucked the trend in which more could have been easily sold to the advantage of vendors. Vendors leaving pleased with many reporting being up on the week selling to a stronger market average of 304p/kg with a large proportion of upland hogs.

The buyers are requesting more continental hogs to fill their orders and with another strong trade don't be afraid to come and try Hawes with them hogs. Continental hogs sold to a top of £200 for heavy weight Texels from G Harker & Son, Arkengarthdale with others from the same home selling to £180. Other heavy weight Texels sold to £177 from Elm Gill Farm, Mallerstang. Beltex hogs sold to a top of £184 or 385p/kg from A Lodge, Malham Moor followed by the consignment of Beltex from R Mudd & Sons, Cubeck topping at £180 selling to 382p/kg and 365p/kg. Handy weighted continental hogs continue to be the trade of the day and more required for the buyers. Plenty of pens of well finished handy weighted hogs selling between 335p/kg and 360p/kg.

Upland hogs sold to a top of £170 for heavy weight cheviots from Elm Gill Farm, Mallerstang. Mule hogs with be a sharper trade this week with heavy weights selling to a top of £158 from MF & KC Stobart, Middleton in Teesdale followed by £157 from J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg. With plenty more selling in the region of £150. The mules that are best to sell weighing between 45kg and 48kg selling in the mid to late one hundred and forties well over the 310p/kg mark. Handy weighted mules just over 40kg mark selling into the early one hundred and thirties. It was great to see another good entry of horned hogs at Hawes once again with buyers keen to purchase and them also meeting an unexpected sharper trade. Well-fed good fleshed horned hogg sold in excess of the 300p/kg mark topping at 317p/kg for 46kg swales from WA & A Booth, Feizor. Heavy weight Swaledale tup hogs sold to a top of £152 from JA Alderson, Barras and CJ & AJ Owen, Keld followed by £151 from J Garth & Son, Keasden, £150 from AD Coates & Son, Keld, £149 J Nelson & Son, Clapham and £148.50 from RT Tennant, Kilnsey.

<b>Beltex to</b>	<b>383p</b> A Lodge, Malham Moor	<b>Av. 355p/kg</b>
<b>Texel x to</b>	<b>357p</b> CR & A Thornborrow, Thornton Rust	<b>Av. 325p/kg</b>
<b>Mule to</b>	<b>334p</b> J Pratt & Sons, Bainbridge	<b>Av. 306p/kg</b>
<b>Swales to</b>	<b>317p</b> WA & A Booth, Feizor	<b>Av. 288p/kg</b>

**Overall Average: 304p/kg**

**Leading Prices: Texel** – G Harker & Son, £200, £180, £160, Elm Gill Farm, £177, £145, RW Ridley, £175, £165, JR Davidson & Son, £172, £168, £163, £148, W & A Lambert & Son, £168, £155, Taylor Bros, £167, £164.50, £162, K Calvert Ltd, £166, £159, £139, A Lodge, £166 x2, JR Rukin, £165, £148, Whyte & Percival, £164, £154.50, £148.50, J & J Postlethwaite, £162, £148, A & TA Blades, £160, £135.50, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £154, WA Dinsdale & Son, £154, H Kirkbride & Son, £150, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £148, AJ & L Hunter, £139.50, S & RD Parker, £139, JS & D Cloughton & Son, £138.50, Booth Brothers, £138.50, AJ & L Hunter, £138.50, RW & MA Suttill & Son, £138.50, J Pratt & Sons, £136, CR & A Thornborrow, £135.50, J Dixon & Sons, £134.50, MF & KC Stobart, £132, J Alderson & Son, £130.

**Beltex**- A Lodge, £184, R Mudd & Sons, £180, £164, £160, £158, £148, £142, K Calvert Ltd, £170, £154, WA Dinsdale & Son, £158, D Alderson, £147.50, Booth Brothers, £138, £109, J Dixon & Sons, £136, Elm Gill Farm, £126.

**Cheviot**- Elm Gill Farm, £170, J Chapman, £148, £110, WA Dinsdale & Son, £146, JS & D Cloughton & Son, £141, J Alderson & Son, £123.

**Mules** – MF & KC Stobart, £158, £130, J Scarr & Sons, £157, JS & D Cloughton & Son, £151, £133.50, JR Davidson & Son, £150, A Lodge, £149.50, WA Dinsdale & Son, £149, GJ & ME Walker & Son, £148.50, JA Alderson, £148, J Allison & Sons, £146.50, S Bell & Sons, £146, D Alderson, £145.50, £130, Bainbridge Bros, £145, WA & A Booth, £144.50, J Garth & Son, £143.50, H Kirkbride & Son, £143, W & A Lambert & Son, £143, JW & JH Burton & Son, £141, CT & JE Willoughby, £137, £130, T Dent & Son, £136, A & TA Blades, £136, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £135, J Dixon & Sons, £133.50, H Kirkbride & Son, £133.

**Herdwick**- Woodend Farms, £156, £148, The Cragg & Carr, £123, £100.

**BFL**- WA Dinsdale & Son, £154.

**Swaledale's**- CJ & AJ Owen, £152, JA Alderson, £152, £123, J Garth & Son, £151, AD Coates & Son, £150, £129.50, £127, J Nelson & Son, £149, RT Tennant, £148.50, £145.50, J Scarr & Sons, £147, £133, £120, WA & A Booth, £146 x2, GJ & ME Walker & Son, £146, £144.50, S Bell & Sons, £144, S Reynoldson & Son, £142, £129.50, JR Rukin, £142, WH Harker, £141, £124.50, £120.50, A Lodge, £140, Elm Gill Farm, £138.50, £120, JH Pedley, £136, £133, £120, JR Blades, £134, J Nelson & Son, £132.50, TG & B Todd, £130.50, MM & CL Whitehead, £129, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £127.50, A & TA Blades, £124, G Harker & Son, £123, MF & KC Stobart, £122.50.

**Zwartble**- EW Atkinson, £149.

**Suffolk-** J Chapman, £140.

**Masham-** CT & JE Willoughby, £126.

**Goat-** J Dixon & Sons, £120.

**Roughfell-** JJ & E Labbate, £111.

### **CAST EWES & RAMS**

Ewe trade still very strong for anything with size or meat. A Suffolk ewe topped the trade today for K Milburn & A Devlin followed by a smart Texel Ewe from R Mudd & Sons at £202 followed by A & H Watson at £195. The same price of £195 was achieved for 2 smart BFL Ewes from WC Porter & Son. Some well fleshed Cheviot ewes forward in from DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale at £168 with others achieving £165 & £138. Mule Ewes were better than expected topping at £160 for Taylor Bros and with 9 further lots above £130. Horned Ewes we had a bit of everything forward today. Big fit strong Ewes topped at £128 for Swaledales from WC Porter & Son and followed by GJ & JM Scarr at £121, 9 lots of Swales sold at £108 or above. Roughfells also topped at £128 for JJ & E Labbate whose next lot achieved £100. Not far behind was DA & MA Brown & Son with our only but well meated Dales bred at £118. Medium horned ewes would be £60-£85 and lean ewes would achieve £30-£50. Not as many Rams forward with a big BFL at £172. Tex x Rams made £142, £140. Swaledales twice made £85.

### **CAST EWES**

Suffolk to	£210 K Milburn & A Devlin, Sedbergh
Texel to	£202 R Mudd & Sons, Cubeck
BFL to	£195 WC Porter & Son, Reeth
Cheviot to	£168 DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale
Mules to	£160 Taylor Bros, Richmond
Roughfell to	£128 JJ & E Labbate, Garsdale
Swaledale to	£128 WC Porter & Son, Reeth
Hampshire to	£128 KJ Burrow, Dent
Dalesbred to	£118 DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale
Blackface to	£90 K Milburn & A Devlin, Sedbergh
Herdwick to	£76 J Pratt & Sons, Bainbridge

### **RAMS**

BFL to	£172 P Hallam, Horton-in-Ribblesdale
Continental to	£142 JR Davidson & Son, Horton-in-Ribblesdale
Swaledale to	£85 RW Clarkson & Son, Low Row