

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 24TH MARCH 2026

Forward: 10 Calves 731 Sheep comprising 637 Prime Hogs & 94 Cast Ewes and Rams

PRIME HOGGS

The weekly sale of prime hogs saw an exceptional trade, with all breeds, weights and conformation of hogs in demand and selling well ahead of the very strong trade enjoyed in Hawes last week. Demand is expected to continue, with more hogs needed next week.

The overall market average today was 386p/kg, with the SQQ average at 394p/kg.

Heavy weighted and better conformation hogs sold in excess of the £200 mark. Leading the way today was the consignment from CR & A Thornborrow, Aysgarth, topping at £210 (twice) with heavy Texel hogs, who enjoyed a successful day, also selling handy weighted hogs to 482p/kg and 476p/kg. This consignment of 52 Texel hogs averaged 42kg, selling to an average of 447p/kg (£187.52), so don't be shy of selling prime hogs in Hawes.

Other leading prices for heavy weight continental hogs saw £209 from WJ Metcalfe & Partner, Askrigg. Handy weighted export hogs continue to be an exceptional trade, with an impressive average of 435p/kg for continental export hogs.

Best pens of Mule hogs sold in excess of £200, topping at £206 for heavy weights from KJ Burrow, Dent. 49kg hogs from T & LM Goad & Sons sold to £205, with other pens to £204. Also selling in excess of £200 at £202 was WPP Farming, Bedale. Well-fleshed, handy weighted Mules sold in the region of 400p/kg, peaking at 418p/kg from T & LM Goad & Sons.

Best Herdwick hogs sold in excess of the £200 mark, peaking at £201 for 52kg hogs from S & D Robinson, Horton in Ribblesdale, with 47kg Herdwicks from the same home selling to £195.

There was another good entry of Swaledales in Hawes today, which met with a strong trade to match. Prices peaked at £190 for 57kg from RT Tennant, Conistone, followed by 51kg Swaledales to £187 from Ms Hutchinson, Ravenstonedale. There was another good consignment from K & GJ Huck, Austwick, peaking at £187 for 48kg, with the highlight of this consignment being a pen of 45kg hogs selling to £180 (400p/kg). Best fleshed Swaledale hogs sold in excess of the 400p/kg mark, peaking at 405p/kg from M Bell & Son, Askrigg.

Texels to	482p CR & A Thornborrow, Thornton Rust	Av. 415p/kg
Beltex to	425p SM Iveson, Leyburn	Av. 372p/kg
Suffolk to	413p M Bell & Son, Askrigg	Av. 390p/kg
Mules to	409p JW & JH Burton & Son, Hawes	Av. 377p/kg
Swaledales to	405p M Bell & Son, Askrigg	Av. 367p/kg

Total Average 386p/kg SQQ 394p/kg

Leading Prices: Texel- CR & A Thornborrow, £210 x2, £207, £194, £193, £191, £186, £185, £183, £181, £170, WJ Metcalfe & Ptns, £209, £206, £200, £186, £185, T & LM Goad & Sons, £205, WM Scott, £200, £188, £184, £163, A & AJ Lambert, £200, S Featherstone, £197, £194, £191, £171, £170, £150, PD Bowdin, £196, WPP Farming, £191, £174, Whyte & Percival, £188, £179, M Bell & Son, £178, £165.60, JD & EA Dent, £177, H Kirkbride & Son, £173, RMS Livestock Ltd, £169, £159, Oulands Farm, £158.

Mule – KJ Burrow, £206, T & LM Goad & Sons, £205, £204, WPP Farming, £202, A & AJ Lambert, £183, S Featherstone, £178, DA & MA Brown & Son, £178, JW & JH Burton & Son, £176, Bainbridge Bros, £173, K & GJ Huck, £170, JW & E Bostock & Ptns, £163, M Bell & Son, £162, £155, WM & JE Shuttleworth, £160.50, TM Barrass & Son, £158, RW & MA Suttill & Son, £151, RMS Livestock, £150.

Suffolk- S Featherstone, £202, M Bell & Son, £190, £178.

Herdwick- S & D Robinson, £201, £195, £193, £177, £159, £154, £153, £142, G Stephenson, £133.

Swaledale – RT Tennant, £190, £166, TM Barrass & Son, £190, £183, £160, £150, K & GJ Huck, £187, £185, £180, £168.50, M/S Hutchinson, £187, £168, £152, T & LM Goad & Sons, £185, £177, G Calvert & Sons, £184, TB Staley, £183, J & SJ Bland, £181, £173, WM & JE Shuttleworth, £176, KJ Burrow, £175, MR Ewbank, £175, £151.50, Bainbridge Bros, £172.50, WPP Farming, £171.50, JW & E Bostock & Ptns, £161, £155, RW & MA Suttill & Son, £159, G Stephenson £157.50, MM & CL Whitehead, £157, M Bell & Son, £154, RW Clarkson & Son, £153.

Valais Blacknose- JD & EA Dent, £188.

BFL- TM Barrass & Son, £186.

Cheviot- KJ Burrow, £184, £165, £160.

Romney- JW & JH Burton & Son, £178 x2.

Beltex- J & PR Woof, £130.

Dalesbred- PD Bowdin, £140.

Roughfell- J & PR Woof, £115.

CAST EWES

Short of numbers today with buyers still very keen. BFL Ram topped the trade at £250 for A & AJ Lambert, Texels reached £190 for M/S Hutchinson and £175 from W Tyreman & Sons with the same vendor having a Blackface ram sell for £162. S Bell & Sons topped the Swaledale ram trade at £142. Top price ewes today came from DA & MA Brown & Son, with his Mule reaching £218 with others at 3184 for JH Sharp & Sons and £180 from Whyte & Percival. Texel x from W Tyreman & Sons made £216 with others at £188 from AT Pratt and £185 from Springhill Ptns. Cheviot Ewes topped at £200 from B Acton with others selling for £140 from Springhill Ptns. Swaledale ewes topped at £135 from G Stephenson and £132 from JH Sharp & Sons with Blackface at £133 and £112 from W Tyreman & Sons.

Mules to	£218 DA & MA Brown & Son, Coverdale
Texel to	£216 W Tyreman & Sons, Whitby
Cheviot to	£200 B Acton, Hawes
BFL to	£196 JH Sharp & Sons, Chapel le Dale
Herdwick x to	£170 G Stephenson, Cautley
Romney to	£170 Springhill Ptns, Jervaulx
Swaledales to	£135 G Stephenson, Cautley
Blackface to	£133 W Tyreman & Sons, Whitby
Beltex to	£128 R Mudd & Sons, Cubeck
Masham to	£118 HH Smith, Whitby

CAST RAMS

BFL to	£250 A & AJ Lambert, Bainbridge
Texel to	£190 M/S Hutchinson, Fell End
Blackface to	£162 W Tyreman & Sons, Whitby
Swaledales to	£142 S Bell & Sons, Askrigg

CALVES

10 young calves forward topping the trade was a Blue Bull from J Scarr & Sons at £690 who also had Limousin Bulls at £660, £655 & £645. Heifers would be easier than the last sale, topping at £490 for H Kirkbride & Son with J Scarr & Sons at £480.

BULLS	BRB to	£690 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	
	Limousin to	£660 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	Av. £574
HEIFER	Limousin to	£490 H Kirkbride & Sons, Askrigg	Av. £460
	BRB to	£460 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	