

## HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

### LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

**WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> & THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2025**

ANNUAL TWO DAY SALE OF REGISTERED SWALEDALE SHEARLING RAMS ON BEHALF OF THE SWALEDALE SHEEP BREEDER'S ASSOCIATION B DISTRICT.

**Sale Kindly Sponsored by JG Paxton & Sons Ltd, Midgley Motors, Skipton, R W Brown, NFU Mutual, Fountain Hotel, Hawes, Walter & Dawson & Ash Tree Insurance Broker.**

The annual show and sale of Swaledale Breeding Tups was held on behalf of the B District of the Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association. It proved to be a successful couple of days, with buyers travelling from far and wide — from as far south as Devon to as far north as Scotland.

The trade reflected strong demand for powerful, well-built tups, with darker types particularly sought after for breeding draught ewes. A special thank you goes to the sponsors, judges, association members, and committee for their invaluable assistance throughout the event, including stewarding the show.

### **2 DAY SHEARLING OVERALL AVERAGE: £2363**

#### **Wednesday**

214 Rams forward Comprising 198 Shearlings, 5 Ram Lambs & 11 Aged Rams  
(183 Shearlings, 4 Ram Lambs & 9 Aged Rams Sold **93% Clearance**)

#### **Show Results**

##### **Class 1- Ram Two Shear & Above**

1 <sup>st</sup>	17 JE Cowperthwaite, Howith	£2600
2 <sup>nd</sup>	9 R Stubbs, Arklow Farm	£800
3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 JR & SL Pratt, Dale View	£1400

##### **Class 2- Ram Lambs**

1 <sup>st</sup>	24 H Scott, Forcegarth Farm	£1000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	38 H Huddleston, Overhouses	£250
3 <sup>rd</sup>	36 J & SJ Bland, Thwaite Bridge	£800
4 <sup>th</sup>	22 H Scott, Forcegarth Farm	N/S

##### **Class 3 -Shearling Ram (Large Breeders)**

1 <sup>st</sup>	254 R Hutchinson & Son, Valley Farm	£27,000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	52 W Richardson & Son, Ghyll House	£60,000
3 <sup>rd</sup>	283 MR Ewbank, Intake Farm	£5000
4 <sup>th</sup>	291 P Ewbank, High Draymans	£17,000
5 <sup>th</sup>	259 SW Porter, Summer Lodge	£18,000
6 <sup>th</sup>	305 RS Harker & Son, Grayrigg Hall	£12,000

##### **Class 4- Shearling Rams (Small Breeders)**

1 <sup>st</sup>	315 TW Hutchinson, Bail Hill	£7000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	252 H Crocker, Town End	£7000
3 <sup>rd</sup>	205 M Allinson, West Briscoe	£1400
4 <sup>th</sup>	39 J Brunton, Moor House	£5000
5 <sup>th</sup>	237 G & DA Allison, Mill Lane	£700
6 <sup>th</sup>	64 LA Sunter, Chip Shop	£1600

**Class 5- Best Shearling Shown by B District Member**  
**JW Porter Cup-** 283 MR Ewbank, Intake Farm £5000

**Class 6- Champion Shearling Ram** 254 R Hutchinson & Son, Valley Farm £27,000  
**Reserve Champion-** 315 TW Hutchinson, Bail Hill, £7000

**Class 7- Best Conformation Shearling Ram**  
**1<sup>st</sup>** 252 H Crocker, Town End £7000

**Class 8- Best Shearling belonging to a SSBA Member aged 25 and under to have been either bred or purchased by exhibitor**

Trophy Kindly given by the Spensley Family

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	121 LM Staley, Kiln Garth	£500
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	239 JJ Hulley, High Blean	£250
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	290 MA Ewbank, Intake Moor	£400
<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>	87 AJ Spensley, Castle Gate Farm	N/S

**Leading Prices: Aged Rams-** JE Cowperthwaite, £2600, JR & SL Pratt, £1400, M Walker, £1000, R Stubbs, £800, Bland & Wilson, £500, JR Addison & Son, £400. **Av. £833.3**

**Ram Lambs-** H Scott, £1000, J & SJ Bland, £800. **Av. £537.5**

**Shearling Rams-** W Richardson & Son, £60,000, £5500 x2, R Hutchinson & Sons, £27,000, £4000 x2, £2000, EJ Wear, £22,000, MR Ewbank, £22,000, £5000, £3200, SW Porter, £18,000, P Ewbank, £17,000, F & MP Allinson & Son, £15,000, £4500, RS Harker & Son, £12,000, £4500, £2500, £2000, RS & BA Harker, £10,000, £7000, H Crocker, £7000, TW Hutchinson, £7000, A & J Harrison, £6000, £3200, £2400, JC White, £5800, £2500, JG Brunton, £5000, M/S Brogden, £4500, £3200, P Hallam, £4500, JR & AE Airey, £3200, £3000 x2, £2500, AD Coates & Son, £3200, A & TA Blades, £2800, GJ & JM Scarr, £2800, D Humble, £2500, N Iveson, £2500, JA Alderson, £2400, M/S Folder, £2400, J & JE Bradley, £2200, KM & KJ Curwen, £2000. **Av. £2348.3**

## **Thursday**

Forward 185 Rams (173 Sold **93.5% Clearance**)

### **Class 9 -Shearling Ram (Large Breeders)**

<b>1st</b>	434 M/S Lightfoot, Gillside Farm	£58,000
<b>2nd</b>	591 J Rukin & Son, Park Lodge	£18,000
<b>3rd</b>	441 AJ & RE Marston, Easgill Head	£6000
<b>4th</b>	447 SJ Clarkson, Park House	£7500
<b>5th</b>	492 N Richardson, Big Fernyford Farm	£26,000
<b>6th</b>	349 B Thornborrow, Brystone	£2000

### **Class 10- Shearling Rams (Small Breeders)**

<b>1st</b>	488 SA & JS Harker, Murton Hall	£2200
<b>2nd</b>	511 SC Cowperthwaite, Stockdale	£6000
<b>3rd</b>	452 B Thomas, Row End	£3800
<b>4th</b>	555 EG Tunstall, Highfield House	£500
<b>5th</b>	419 B Acton, The Mount	N/S
<b>6th</b>	423 M Acton, Ashes	£200

### **Class 11- Best Shearling shown by a B District Member**

**JW Porter Cup-** 591 J Rukin & Son, Park Lodge £18,000

**Class 12- Champion Shearling Ram** 434 M/S Lightfoot, Gillside Farm £58,000

**Reserve Champion-** 591 J Rukin & Son, Park Lodge £18,000

### **Class 13- Best Conformation Shearling Ram**

<b>1st</b>	353 FC Walker & Son, Redscar	£1500
<b>2nd</b>	443 TW Cowperthwaite, Tennant Gill Farm	£8500
<b>3rd</b>	389 TW & K Hutchinson, Blunt House	£2600
<b>4th</b>	356 FC Walker & Son, Redscar	£100

### **Class 14- Best Shearling belonging to a SSBA Member aged 25 and under to have been either bred or purchased by exhibitor**

**Trophy Kindly given by the Spensley Family**

**1st** 496 B Richardson, Big Fernyford Farm £200.

**Shearling Leading Prices:** M/S Lightfoot, £58,000, J Nelson & Son, £38,000, £34,000, N Richardson, £26,000, J Rukin & Son, £18,000, £13,000, WA Dinsdale & Son, £13,000, £4400, £4000, £3800, £3000, TW Cowperthwaite, £8500, £3000, RW Clarkson & Son, £7500, MR & LE Rukin, £7000, £6200, £3800, £3200, £2400, £2000, J & SJ Bland, £6500, SC Cowperthwaite, £6000, AJ & RE Marston, RT Tennant, £5500, £2200, GL & ME Hutton, £4500, T Metcalfe & Son, £4000, JW Porter & Sons, £4000, BJ Thomas, £3800, G Harker & Son, £3600, JR & SL Pratt, £3000, DC & KL Hutchinson, £3000, CR & MJ Birkbeck, £2800, £2200, L Bland, £2800, JM & S Tennant, £2800, £2200, TW & K Hutchinson, £2600, JE Cowperthwaite, £2200, SA & JS Harker, £2200, R Walton, £2200, GJ & ME Walker & Son, £2200, B Thornborrow, £2200, £2000, G Huck & Son, £2000. **Av. £2378.32**