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Market Report

Ribblesdale Centre, Lincoln Way,
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TUESDAY 21ST MAY 2013

PRIMESTOCK SHOW & SALE OF SPRING LAMBS

PLUS SALE OF BREEDING SHEEP INCLUDING EWES & LAMBS

PRIMESTOCK

Show & Sale of Spring Lambs

Kindly sponsored by Farmers Guardian, Barnes & Bolton Trailer Servicing & Myerscough Vets

Today's show was very well supported with 150 new season lambs forward and many new vendors in attendance.

Show judge, Mr Steve Seddon of Lakes & Dales butchers placed the days championship with a pen of 4 continental lambs weighing 39.5kgs shown by J Whalley & Sons of Darwen, which he later bought at £140 (354ppkg) for use in his own shop.

Mr Seddon also purchased the reserve champion lambs forward again by Messrs Whalley, a pair of continental lambs weighing 39kgs selling at £120 per head (308ppkg).

Show Results

Pair of Suffolk/Down lambs

1. C Newsham, Walton le Dale
2. A & P Fletcher, Heywood
3. J Norcross, Keighley

Pen of 4 Suffolk/Down lambs

1. A & P Fletcher, Heywood
2. RR & M Walker & Son, Longridge
3. C Newsham, Walton Le Dale

Pair of Continental lambs

1. J Whalley & Sons, Darwen
2. DJ Fisher, Houghton
3. D & L Coar, Blackburn

Pen of 4 Continental lambs

1. J Whalley & Sons, Darwen
2. D & L Coar, Blackburn
3. PR Marginson, Fence

Champion

J Whalley & Sons, Darwen

Reserve champion

J Whalley & Sons Darwen



Champion feeling!

Winning vendors Messrs Whalley of Darwen (centre) with Katie (left) and Gemma (right) of sponsors Myerscough Vets

PRIME HOGGS

The Prime hogg trade continues to be doing well considering a lot of buyers are now swapping onto spring lambs. Hogs of all grades sold for a premium with the majority forward today hill bred breeds. Decent fleshed, well-shaped Hogs sold especially well to over the £2.00/per kilo mark and export hogs remain firm with the 40 – 43kg range very good to place. Good strong heavy lambs sold over £100 per head. The overall SQQ average being 180ppkg on the day.

NEW SEASON LAMBS – UNDER 39KGS			
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Per Kilo	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£118.00	311	K E & A Pilkington
Continental	£120.00	308	J Whalley & Son
Suffolk	£94.50	249	A & P Fletcher
NEW SEASON LAMBS – OVER 39.1KGS			
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Per Kilo	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£115.00	262	K E & A Pilkington
Continental	£140.00	354	J Whalley & Son
Suffolk	£107.00	258	A & P Fletcher
PRIME HOGGS – UNDER 39KG			
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Per Kilo	Top Price Vendor
Continental	£74.50	196	T & EA Waring
Horned	£64.50	172	K E & A Pilkington
PRIME HOGGS – 39.1KG - 45.5KG			
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Per Kilo	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£77.50	191	C T Mellin
Continental	£83.50	198	I Pratt
Beltex	£88.50	197	A N & A Jelly
Horned	£72.50	181	K E & A Pilkington
PRIME HOGGS – 45.6KG - 52KG +			
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Per Kilo	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£98.00	196	J T Forrest
Continental	£104.50	207	I Pratt
Beltex	£99.00	184	A N & A Jelly
Gritstones	£98.50	201	I Pratt
Lonk	£85.50	182	F Eccles

Prime Cattle & Cull Cows

OTM prices as follows
 Hereford to 162ppkg
 Limousin to 135ppkg

235 Cull Ewes & Rams

An increased entry on the previous week and still an excellent trade for cull ewes and rams.

Texel ewes sold up to £109.50, still a very respectable trade in the end with something to suit all buyers. The overall average was up to £60.43 per head and top breed prices were as follows;

CULL EWES		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Suffolk	£98.50	G Dakin
Texel	£109.50	P J & H Hartley
Beltex	£86.50	A N & A Jelly
Mule	£74.00	R R & M Walker
Scotch	£100.50	A Roebuck
Zwartble	£80.50	T Taylor
Herdwick	£47.50	T A P Mason
CULL RAMS		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£110.00	A & P Fletcher
Beltex	£113.50	A Roebuck

BREEDING SHEEP

100 Ewes & Lambs

A good entry of Ewes with lambs at foot saw an increase in price now the grass is starting to grow. Correct Mule Ewes & twins selling regularly at £145-£168 per outfit. Correct Texel Ewes & twins sold to over £210 per outfit. More entered for next week's sale with demand on the increase for decent families.

Mule ewes & single to £120

Mule ewes & twins to £168

Texel ewes & single to £130

Texel ewes & twins to £192

Continental ewes & twins to £169

FORTHCOMING SALES

Tuesday 28th May – Store & Breeding sheep - ewes and lambs @ 12 noon
followed by Primestock at 12.30pm.

Wednesday 29th May – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods Furniture from 1pm

Thursday 30th May – Fortnightly Store Cattle Sale @12.30pm

Saturday 1st June – Catalogue Poultry Sale @ 10am Plus Cage & Aviary Sale @ 11am. Further entries for this sale can be taken on the day. Contact the office for more information.