

Forward: 241	TOTAL BREEDING/STORE CATTLE 10 cows with calves, 15 In-calf, 10 Feeding Cattle, 34 Young Bulls, 172 Steers & Heifers.
83	PIGS
558	PRIME LAMBS
113	CULL SHEEP (Mature Sheep)
6	GOATS
1	DOGS
204	STORE LAMBS
1	SPARE LAMBS
241	BREEDING SHEEP

IN-CALF CATTLE	Top Price (£)	Ave £
Angus	1200 D Rawsthorne	1010
British Blue	1090 Susan Lord	975
Charolais	900 J & B Smith	835
Jersey	660 RS France	660
Limousin	900 RS France, The Taylor Farming Partnership	825
South Devon	920 The Taylor Farming Partnership	920
Stabiliser	860 The Taylor Farming Partnership	850

COWS WITH BULL CALVES	£Ave	COWS & HFR CALVES	£Ave
Blonde d'Aq		1640 ER Hollingworth & Son	1640
Charolais	1380 J & B Smith	1740 J & B Smith	1720

FEEDING CATTLE	Top Price (£)	£Ave
Overall		691
A Angus	750 RA Gumbley	750
Beef Shorthorn	780 J Knipe	780
Blonde d'Aq	550 TL Hayes	550
B Blue	760 x2 R Caton 750 TL Hayes 740 TL Hayes, R Caton	734
Holstein Fr	590 J & SA Barton	585
Limousin	640 R Caton	640
Simmental		

STORE BULLS	Top price (£)	Av (£)
Overall		605
Angus	545 x2 J & S Ibbotson	442
Ayrshire	600 Ben Heaps	600
Beef Shorthorn	480 x3 A Greenwood	480
Limousin	870 JV Aspin & Son	732
Luing x	550 WR Earnshaw	472
Simmental	665 R & AJ Haworth	653

STORES	STEERS Top price (£)	Ave (£)	HEIFERS Top price (£)	Ave £
AAngusx	1060 RW Gregson	862	850 RW Gregson	759
Beef Shorthorn	820 RJ Wilkinson	570	800 A Greenwood	785
Black & White	660 RG Penny	560	650 Barrie Jackson	545
British Blue x	1130 WC & M Middleton	744	1080 D Marsh	717
Charolais	870 WJM Greenwood	870	1130 ER Hollingworth & Son	870
Hereford x	805 R&G Ball	739	840 RJ Wilkinson	583

NEXT STORE CATTLE SALE

Saturday 3 March 2018

at 10.30am

ENTRIES TO:

01200 441351

**Catalogue entry
deadline 11am Tuesday**



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COMPLETE & SIGN THEIR OWN ENTRY
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AT UNLOADING & BEFORE SALE.**

Limousin	1015 WC&M Middleton	760	1110 ER Hollingworth & Son	672
Simmental			860 D Hewood	738
Saler x	880 W Tomlinson	880	815 W Tomlinson	815

Cattle Auctioneer Richard Turner

Similar entry to a fortnight ago but quality and size not as apparent. Best cow and calf outfits £1200-£1720. Best in-calf cattle £800-£1090. Older cows in-calf £550-£780. Geld cows £550-£780. Continental young bulls £700-£870. Steers 20mo £900-£1130, heifers £850-£1130. Yearling steers £700-£870, heifers £630-£980. B&W steers £450-£660.

PIGS	TOP (£)		AV £
Weaners	40	J Critchley	34
Store	52	G J Schofield	41
Prime	99	G J Schofield	78
Gilts	128	Mr Percival	128
In-pig Sows	165	Mrs S M Brewer	165

Pig Auctioneer – Annis Schofield and Jack Pickup

Today we welcomed new faces both in and out of the pig pens whilst we saw Mrs Brewer realise excellent prices for her in-pig crossbred sows. Clean breeding gilts had a healthy trade topping at £128 from Mr Percival for his Saddlebacks. Numbers starting to increase with prices reflecting the finish for fat types, leaner sorts bringing the overall fat average to £78. Good strong stores making to £52 and a variety of weaners forward ranging in size topping at £40 for J Critchley's Large Whites.



As always thank you all for your support and trade.

NEXT STORE PIGS SALE: Saturday 3 March at 10.30am
Catalogue entries to 01200 441351, deadline 11am Tuesday

****DATES FOR YOUR DIARY****

Easter Breeding & Store Pig Show & Sale – Saturday 17th March
 May Anniversary Breeding and Store Pig Show & Sale – Saturday 12th May

PRIME HOGGS YOUNG HANDLERS SHOW & SALE

Saturday 17th February 2018

Today's Show was generously sponsored by

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Judged by John Holdsworth of Cornvale Fine Foods, Melling

		KG	£	ppk	
Class1 Best Prime Continental Hogg & Handler (age group upto 10yo)					
1 st	Brogan Barker	62	150	241.9	JD Holdsworth
2 nd	Ellie Forster	55	121	220.0	MN Alam
3 rd	Steven Barker	53	116	218.8	JD Holdsworth
☺	Izzy Thompson	38	114	300.0	T Shepherdson
☺	Thomas Thompson	42	111	264.2	T Shepherdson
☺	Willow Mason	42	106.50	253.5	MN Alam
☺	Fern Mason	56	129.50	231.2	JD Holdsworth

Class2 Best Prime Other Hogg & Handler (age group upto 10yo)					
1 st	Ellie Forster (Mule)	64	120	187.5	JD Holdsworth
2 nd	William Mullin	39	84.50	216.6	MN Alam
3 rd	Willow Mason (Mule)	45	91	202.2	MN Alam
☺	Fern Mason	37	79	213.5	MN Alam
Class3 Best Prime Continental Hogg & Handler (age group 11yo to 27yo)					
1 st	Robert Capstick	48	138	285.4	JD Holdsworth
2 nd	Harry Walton	54	124	229.6	JD Holdsworth
3 rd	Tom Marsh	57	124	217.5	JD Holdsworth
☺	Matthew Bates	37	101	272.9	T Shepherdson



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PRIME HOGG YOUNG HANDLERS at GISBURN AUCTION Saturday 17th February 2018

Thank you to all competitors and families for the time and effort everyone put in and thank you to John Holdsworth of Cornvale Fine Foods, Melling for being a fantastic judge. Some fine sheep on show and a friendly atmosphere.







WELL DONE & THANK YOU TO EVERYONE

PRIME HOGGS	Top Sale Price (£)	Top Kilo Price (p/kg)	Avg	
			£	p/kg
0- 32kgs	69.50 CG & D Townsend	217.2 CG & d Townsend	51.01	171.1
32.1- 39kgs	114 C Buckley	300.0 C Buckley	70.90	196.2
39.1-45.5kgs	123.50 C Buckley	274.4 C Buckley	86.69	208.1
45.6-52kgs	138 RJ Capstick	287.5 RJ Capstick	98.69	201.7
53kgs +	150 Chris Barker	241.9 Chris Barker	108.79	185.6
Overall SQQ Prime Hoggs Average 200p/kg. Overall £78.29				
Beltex	138 RJ Capstick	300 C Buckley	119.40	270.5
BF Leic	68.50 N & H Sutcliffe	185.1 N & H Sutcliffe	68.50	185.1
B Texel	124 DH Walton	229.6 DH Walton	124	223.4
Charollais	84 H Carr & Son	190.9 H Carr & Son	78	186.8
Cheviot	97.50 Grain Farm Ltd	212.0 R Haworth	69.60	202.4
Continental	58.50 L Brown	172.1 L Brown	58.50	172.1
Dorset	76.50 E & J Lees Farm Ltd	191.3 E & J Lees Farm Ltd	66	174.8
Gritstone	72.50 L Brown	190.8 L Brown	72.50	190.8
Herdwick	82 TJ Howarth	195.2 TJ Howarth	67.67	184.50
Horned	96 M Hill	215.0 J Howarth	66.70	187.8
Lonk	84.50 William Mullin	216.7 William Mullin	65.40	190.2
Masham	75 N Shaw	187.5 N Shaw	75	187.5
Mule	120 Ellie Forster	204.5 R & C Greenwood	84.42	192.8
Scotch BF	74 AE Stubbs & Son	217.6 AE Stubbs & Son	67.28	194.1
Suffolk	106 TJ Howarth	212.0 TJ Howarth	91.65	205.4
Swaledale	80 H Carr & Son	184.4 R & C Greenwood	61.24	172.4
Texel	150 Chris Barker		86.11	208.2
Welsh	58.50 L Brown	172.1 L Brown	58.50	172.1
Woodland	74.50 Edward Sutcliffe	173.3 Edward Sutcliffe	74.50	173.3

CULL SHEEP	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Horned Ewes	80 N Hitchen	40
Lowland Ewes	96 J Knipe	64
Lowland Tups	95 g Whalley	78
Horned Tups	77 GH Walton	58

STORE HOGGS	£ Top	Av £
Total Overall Average		
Cheviot	80 Grain Farm Ltd	66
Continental	55.50 Burke	26
Horned	55 Booth Bros	43
Mule	58 JA & S Knowles	54
Scotch BF	46.50 Burke	46.50
Suffolk	76 Mrs SM Russell & Son	76
Texel	83 W Fiddler	59
Zwarbtle	57 Ben Heaps	57

GOATS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Goats x2	53 PS & H Eckersley	53
Goats in-kid	142 Frank Brennand	122
SHEEPDOGS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
B&W Pups	225 SJ Lambert	225

BREEDING SHEEP

SPARE LAMBS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Texel	20 J A & R Caton	20
IN-LAMB EWES	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Beltex	142 Frank Barnes	124
Cheviot	88 Blacklidge Bros	73
Continental	65 David R Gordon	65
Mule	68 M Bowen	65
Suffolk	70 M Bowen	70
Swaledale	37 David R Gordon	37
Texel	121 N & H Sutcliffe	96
IN-LAMB BROKEN MOUTH EWES	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Gritstone	75 DH Walton	64.60
Horned	66 K & BR Chapman	62
IN-LAMB SHEARLINGS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Mule	120 John Ellison	120

Scotch	70 J Turner	70
Suffolk	90 J Turner	90
Texel	119 Frank Barnes	89
BM WITH SINGLE LAMB	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Mule	106 J & JA Preston	106
Texel	122 CD Slinger	108
EWES WITH SINGLE LAMBS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Charolais	118 JD & V Towers	110
Texel	121 CD Slinger	121
EWES WITH TWIN LAMBS	Top Sale Price (£)	Avg (£)
Texel	168 J Hitchen	160

Prime/ Store/ Breeding Sheep Auctioneer Will Alexander standing in for Rachel Capstick:

Cull ewes to £96 for Texels from James Knipe, best sorts on the day generally £78-£88 with a shortage of the best ewes forward.

Prime hogs to a top of £128.50 from Chris Buckley who had theirs at £123.50 and £119.50. Chris Buckley also took top price per kilo at 274ppk. Commercial hogs 200-220ppk or 41-44kg £82-£92.

A highlight of the hogs was the young handlers show which had some quality, well presented hogs forward. Plenty of pens £120 plus to top at £150 for Brogan Barker's first prize Continental.

An overall SQQ average of 200ppk.

In the breeding sheep section, sheep and lambs sold to £168 for a trio of Texels with Texel twins from J Hitchen who had another trio at £165. Texels with singles to £122 from Chris Slinger. In lamb ewes to £142 for a Beltex from Frank Barnes.

Goats in-kid to £142 from Frank Brennand. A run of Cheviot and Cheviot x ewes from Blacklidge Bros look well sold, peaking at £88 for 2-crop twins and singles.

NEXT SATURDAY 9.30am

Cull sheep, prime hogs followed by stores. Keep looking at the adverts in the press and website for special sales and dispersals as they are booked in. If you would like to discuss your own flock reductions or requirements give us a call on 01200 441351.

END OF REPORT
Next report due:
Thursday 22 February 2018