



**WALLETS MARTS CASTLE DOUGLAS LIMITED
TUESDAY 19 JULY 2016
WEEKLY PRIMESTOCK SALE**

Wallets Marts Castle Douglas Limited held their weekly sale of prime and cast sheep on Tuesday 19th July when they sold 990 lambs and 291 ewes.

Prime lamb trade, whilst back on the week, was still 38.5p per kg ahead of the same week last year. Topping the sale at 230.5p were a pen of Texel lambs from Michelle MacTaggart, Dunjop and selling to local butchers Ballards, King Street, Castle Douglas. Top price per head of £96 was paid to T M Struthers & Son, High Currochtrie, Drummore. Overall sale average levelled at 187.3p or 188.4p for the SQQ. Average price per head was £77.64 with an average weight of 41.2kg.

Cast ewes sold dearer on the week to top at £89 for a pen of Texel crosses from Mossyard. Blackface ewes sold to £57.50 off Whitepark Drive. Leicesters sold to £86 off Mossyard; Lleyns sold to £68 of Auchenbanzie; Cheviots sold to £71.50 off Meikle Kirkland and Scotch Mules sold to £69.50 off Kenmure, Kirkcowan. Ewes averaged £53.95.

94 32.1 – 39 Average 187.45p Top 212.8p

Beltex

Gelston Castle £83

Texel

Breckoniehill £80; Barlauchlan £77; Cullinaw £74; Carton Croft £67

784 39.1 – 45.5 Average 188.48p Top 230.5p

Texel

Dunjop £94.50; Castlehill £82.50; Breckoniehill £82;

Suffolk

High Currochtrie £84.50; Castlehill £80.50

Greyface

Boreland of Girthon £70; Culdoach £68

Beltex

Gelston Castle £89, £86; Meiklewood £83.50; Clonhie £81

109 45.6 – 52 Average 180.31p Top 199.0p

Suffolk

High Currochtrie £93; Barstibly £90;

Texel

High Currochtrie £96; Longacre Road £94.50; Barnboard £93.50;

Ewes**Texel**

Mossyard £89;

Greyface

Kenmure £69.50; Meikle Kirkland £69

BFL

Mossyard £86

Blackface

Whitepark Drive £57.50; Cullinaw £56; Culdoach £55.50