



**WALLETS MARTS CASTLE DOUGLAS LIMITED
TUESDAY 11 DECEMBER 2018
WEEKLY PRIMESTOCK SALE**

Wallets Marts Castle Douglas Limited on Tuesday 11 December 2018 held their Annual Christmas Show and Sale where 2635 prime and cast sheep were forward.

At the show prior to the sale Judge Mr John Carlisle of Border Meats, Lockerbie had 23 pens of lambs in front of him and found his Champions in the first prize pen of Texels scaling 50.3kgs from Mr Craig MacTaggart, Craigview, Castle Douglas. These then sold for a centre record of £288 or 572.6ppk to local Castle Douglas butcher and weekly supporter T Grierson, Grierson Bros Butchers, Castle Douglas. Reserve on the day was the 1st prize Beltex scaling 40kgs from Mr A Sturgess, Cullinaw, Castle Douglas. These then sold for £142 or 355ppk and sold to Mr J Craig of Ballards Butchers, Castle Douglas another weekly supporter. Champion pen of Blackface lambs came from Mr W Lockhart, Culdoach, Kirkcudbright. They scaled 40kgs and made £90 also selling to Ballards Butchers.

2177 prime lambs sold to average 180.85 (SQQ 188.15). Lambs were a steady trade throughout with all classes selling slightly sharper on the week.

458 Cast sheep sold slightly sharper selling to £133 for Beltex ewes from Torhousekie. Mule ewes sold to £62 from Newmains and also Valleyfield. Blackface ewes sold to £52.50 from Tower, Sanquhar.

Class Results

Champion Craigview Texels

Reserve Cullinaw Beltex

Class 1 Texel

1st Craigview	50.3kgs	£288 to Grierson Bros
2nd Craigview	52 kgs	£109 to Border Meats
3rd Gelston Castle	41 kgs	£119 to Vivers Scotlamb

Class 2 Beltex

1st Cullinaw	40 kgs	£142 to Ballards
2nd Torhousekie	43 kgs	£114 to Vivers Scotlamb
3rd Gelston Castle	45 kgs	£129 to Vivers Scotlamb

Class 3 AOB

1ST Gelston Castle	44 kgs	£123 to Vivers Scotlamb
2nd Gelston Castle	42 kgs	£112 to West Scottish Lamb
3rd Lagganorrie	45 kgs	£83 to Border Meats

Class 4 Suffolk

1st Gelston Castle	57 kgs	£85 to Farmers Fresh
2nd Flathill	48 kgs	£80 to West Scottish Lamb

Class 5 Blackface

1st Culdoach	40 kgs	£90 to Ballards
2nd Ardoch	44 kgs	£79 to West Scottish Lamb
3rd Markdhu	43 kgs	£77 to Border Meats

Leading Lamb per head

131 **25.5 - 32** **Average 177.19** **Top 190.5**

Blackface

£60, £53.50 Falbae; £53 Dalhanna, New Cumnock; £53 Glenlee

Texel

£57.50 Dalhanna, New Cumnock

449 **32.1 - 39** **Average 185.72** **Top 310.5**

Beltex

£118 Gelston Castle; £83 Cullinaw;

Texel

£77.50 Balgerran; £75 Shennanton; £71.50 Southwick; £70 Annabaglish

Blackface

£70 Drannadow;

895 **39.1 - 45.5** **Average 190.39** **Top 355**

Beltex

£142 Cullinaw; £129 Gelston Castle; £119,£115 Craigview; £114 Torhousekie; £113 Upper Hardland

Texel

£119 Gelston Castle; £99,£95 Torhousekie; £96 Upper Ardmannoch; £90 Upper Hardland; £88 Upper Ardmannoch; £87.50 Barlocco; £85 Balgerran

Charollais

£123,£112 Gelston Castle

Suffolk

£80 Halket Leaths; £79,£78.50 Boreland of Parton; £78 Galtway; £78 Mackilston

Roussin

£83,£78,£77 Lagganorrie

Blackface

£90 Culdoach; £79 Ardoch; £77 Markdhu; £72.50 Drannadow

Greyface

£73 Shennanton; £71 Glenlee; £70 Shirmers

589 45.6 - 52

Average 172.03

Top 572.6

Texel

£288,£109 Craigview; £96.50,£89.50 UpperArmannoch; £92 Newmains;£88.50 Littleton; £87.50 Galtway; £85 Flathill

Suffolk

£87.50 Lagganorrie; £84,£82.50 Galtway; £83 Newmains

Greyface

£76.50 Castlehill

Chev Mule

£78 Low Creoch

113 52+

Average 153.11

Top 166.7

Texel

£90 Upper Armannoch; £90 Flathill; £90 Newmains; £84 Littleton;

Suffolk

£86 Galtway; £85 Gelston Castle

Cast Sheep

EWES

Beltex

£133,£116 Torhousekie

Texel

£99,£84 Low Creoch; £90 Torhousekie; £87 Clonhie; £86 Newmains;£83 Valleyfield

Suffolk

£75 Barclay

Greyface

£62 Newmains;£62 Valleyfield;£61.50 Mill of Plunton

Cheviot

£68 Edingham;£66.50 Irelandton

Lleyn

£63 Clonhie

Blackface

£52.50,£49 Tower; £52 Ardoch; £50.50 Auchenleck

Rams

£124 Farhills; £108 Auchencairn Farms; £103 Upper Hardland

FORTHCOMING SALES

**MONDAY 17TH DECEMBER
SALE OF OTM CATTLE**

Christmas and New Year Arrangements

**FRIDAY 28TH DECEMBER
PRIME & CAST SHEEP AT 10.30 A.M**

**FRIDAY 4TH JANUARY 2019
PRIME & CAST SHEEP AT 10.30 A.M**

**TUESDAY 8TH JANUARY 2019
WEEKLY PRIMESTOCK SALE**

**SATURDAY 12TH JANUARY
2000 STORE HOGGS, FEEDINGS EWES AND CAST RAMS**

**MONDAY 14TH JANUARY
SALE OF 50 OTM CATTLE at 10 a.m.
SALE OF 100 STORE CATTLE at 11 a.m.
Entries Close Thursday 10th January at 10 a.m.**



**The Directors and Staff would like to wish all customers a
Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.**