



FORTNIGHTLY SALE OF STORE CATTLE

INCLUDING SHOW & SALE SUCKLER CATTLE THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2013

A fantastic show & sale was held at Clitheroe Auction Mart on Thursday which saw a good entry of cattle forward. This was kindly sponsored by Northern Nutrition West (Diane). Judge Miss Clare Crowther, Greenfield, had her work cut out judging the 4 classes. The show champion, was awarded to R & S Spence of Whitewell for a superb 8 month old British Blue Bull which later sold for £940 to the judge. Reserve Champion was awarded to a fantastic British Blue Heifer from T W Pickard & Son of Great Harwood this was bought by E & M Townley from Clapham.

Trade was on a high note, with rumours that prices were a little easier, not at Clitheroe. It was great to see the sale ring packed with no room to sit or stand, there was a great buzz around the market. Strong cattle were a very good trade, with young cattle every bit as expensive. A super run of Limousin and British Blue heifers and steers sold to £1060 from F B Marsden, West Bradford.

The next sale will be Thursday 27st February as we continue fortnightly, a good entry anticipated lots more store cattle required to suit buyer requirements.

SHOW RESULTS

CLASS 1 BULL OVER 9 MTHS OLD

1. T W Pickard & Son, Great Harwood
2. K E & A Pilkington, Rimington

CLASS 2 HEIFER / STEER OVER 9 MTHS OLD

1. T W Pickard & Son, Great Harwood
2. K E & A Pilkington, Rimington
3. T W Pickard & Son, Great Harwood

CLASS 3 BULL 9 MTHS & UNDER

1. R & S Spence, Whitewell
2. D Mares, Darwen

CLASS 4 HEIFER / STEER 9 MTHS & UNDER

1. D Mares, Darwen

CHAMPION – R & S Spence, Whitewell

RESERVE CHAMPION – T W Pickard & Son, Great Harwood

Top Prices shown below:-

STEERS		
Breed	Top Price per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Aberdeen Angus	£1050.00	J Hesketh & Sons
British Blue	£1060.00	FB & EM Marsden
Blonde D'Aquitaine	£1215.00	J Hesketh & Sons
Hereford	£900.00	FB & EM Marsden
Holstein Friesian	£740.00	MR & LM Bamford
Limousin	£1000.00	J Hesketh & Sons
BULLS		
Breed	Top Price per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Aberdeen Angus	£690.00	RA & I Waddington
British Blue	£940.00	R & S Spence
Blonde D'Aquitaine	£905.00	K E & A Pilkington
Limousin	£880.00	J C Mitchell
HEIFERS		
Breed	Top Price per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Aberdeen Angus	£570.00	J Bosworth
British Blue	£1230.00	TW Pickard & Son
Blonde D'Aquitaine	£790.00	K E & A Pilkington
Hereford	£775.00	RR & M Walker
Limousin	£970.00	FB & EM Marsden
Bazadaise	£645.00	J Bosworth



Overall Champion with show sponsor Diane Pickles from Northern Nutrition West, Rod Spence and judge Clare Crowther.

FORTHCOMING SALES

Tuesday 18th February - Weekly Primestock Sale, including store lambs and in-lamb ewes from 12.30pm

Wednesday 19th February – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods from 1pm

Tuesday 25th February - Weekly Primestock Sale, including store lambs and in-lamb ewes from 12.30pm

Wednesday 26th February – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods from 1pm

Thursday 27th February – Fortnightly Store Cattle sale @ 12.30pm.

Saturday 1st March - Horse & Tack sale. Tack @10am Horses @ 12 noon.

Also Farm Dispersal sale of Plant, Farm Machinery & Small Tools at Fickly Hall Farm, Bury Fold Lane, Darwen, BB3 2UA (Viewing strictly by appointment only) More info online or contact the office.

