



CATALOGUE SHOW & SALE OF MULE & CONTINENTAL EWES & SHEARLINGS

FRIDAY 29TH AUGUST 2014

A super show of good quality breeding sheep were forward at the annual show and sale of 1300 Mule & Continental ewes & shearlings at Clitheroe Auction on Friday 29th August.

The show, sponsored by Smiths Gore, Dugdales Nutrition and Barclays which was very well supported with plenty of entrants in each of the classes and there were several new buyers in attendance.

Judge Mr Brian Tomlinson, Salwick, awarded the overall championship to TG & GA Whitwell, with a fantastic pen of ten Texel shearlings, which sold later at £195 per head.

Reserve championship was also awarded to J V Fox, with their first placed pen of mule ewes which went on to sell at £160 per head to Mr Keith Whitwell of Paythorne.

In the Continental section, first prize shearlings were awarded to R & E Dean, Chipping, whose strong pen of Texels sold at £155 also to R & A Smith of Billington.

Following the sale, auctioneer Jeremy Greenhalgh commented, "Both ewes and shearlings were very much in demand and many more could have been sold especially stronger mule ewes ready for turning straight to the tups." Top prices as follow;

EWES		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£155.00 £142.00 x 2	R & E Dean R & E Dean
Mule	£160.00 £152.00 £140.00 £135.00	J V Fox T & S Binns T & S Binns J & F Nutter
SHEARLINGS		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Cheviots	£96.00	D A Swindlehurst
Texel	£195.00 £145.00 £142.00 £140.00 £138.00	T G & G A Whitwell T G & G A Whitwell T G & G A Whitwell P J & H Hartley T G & G Whitwell
Mule	£180.00 £175.00 £170.00 x3 £165.00 £160.00 x2 £150.00	T & S Binns J V Fox T & S Binns, J & F Nutter J V Fox J & F Nutter R & B Thwaite

SHOW RESULTS

Best Pen of Mule Ewe

1. J V Fox, Withgill
2. A Palmer, Twiston
3. J & F Nutter, Hurst Green

Top price £160, average £100.31

Best Pen of Mule Shearlings

1. J V Fox, Withgill
2. R & J Brewer, Bleasdale
3. R & J Brewer, Bleasdale

Top price £180, average £140.92

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Best Pen of Continental Shearlings

1. TG & GA Whitwell, Waddington
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Top price £195, average £142.55

Best Pen of Continental Ewes

1. R & E Dean, Chipping
2. R & E Dean Chipping
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Top Price £155.00, average £142.00

Champions – Champion T G & G A Whitwell – Pen of 10 Texel Shearlings – Reserve J V Fox – Pen of 10 Mule Ewes



FORTHCOMING SALES

Thursday 4th September – Evening Show & Sale of Suffolk & Euro Rams

Saturday 6th September – Bi-monthly Pony & Tack sale. Tack 10am – Ponies 12 noon

Monday 8th September – Weekly Store Lamb sale @ 11am. Ballot 10.45am

Tuesday 9th September – Weekly Primestock sale @ 12.30pm

Wednesday 10th September – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods from 1pm

Thursday 11th September – Fortnightly Store Cattle sale @ 12.30pm

Friday 12th September – Catalogue Show & Sale Mule & Cont Gimmer Lambs + 2nd sale for Breeding Ewes & Rams

Saturday 13th September – Bi-annual Vintage Tractor sale @ 10am

Monday 15th September - Weekly Store Lamb sale @ 11am. Ballot 10.45am

Tuesday 16th September – Weekly Primestock sale @ 12.30pm

Wednesday 17th September – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods from 1pm

Saturday 20th September – Bi-monthly Rural & Domestic Bygones + Machinery @ 9.30am

Monday 22nd September – Weekly Store Lamb sale @ 11am. Ballot 10.45am

Tuesday 23rd September – Weekly Primestock sale @ 12.30pm

Wednesday 24th September – Weekly Fur & Feather Auctions + Silverwoods from 1pm

Thursday 25th September – **WEEKLY** Store Cattle @ 12.30pm

Friday 26th September – Show & Sale Horned & Hill Going Draft Ewes & Shearlings (warranted correct)

