



CATALOGUE SHOW & SALE OF PEDIGREE REGISTERED TEXEL SHEEP ON BEHALF OF THE NORTH WEST TEXEL BREEDERS CLUB PLUS PURE BRED & REGISTERED BELTEX

SHEEP(not a society sale)

THURSDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2013

A selection of superb sheep were forward at the 4th annual Show & Sale of Pedigree registered Texel sheep held at Clitheroe on 26th September. The sale, on behalf of the North West Texel breeders club was supported by many local, well known flocks and conducted by auctioneers Lawrie & Symington, Lanark.

Show judge John Wood of Trawden, awarded show championship to Graham Taylor of Thirsk, a shearling ram which sold at 600gns to J Greenhalgh, Smithills. Reserve champion of the day was presented to Davies & Wareing a shearling gimmer which sold at a very pleasing 550gns to K & S Kempson, Rossendale. Top price on the evening was for a Texel ram lamb which went onto sell for 850gns to H A Sawrey & Sons from Ulverston, Cumbria. Strong shearling rams were in demand with local breeder Angela Nairey selling a super ram for 800gns to R W Cornthwaite, Accrington.

In addition, the sale also had a show for pure registered Beltex sheep which also proved to be popular on the evening. The show was kindly judged by Mr John Mellin. He awarded the champion to Mrs A Story for a shearling ram, later selling for 340gns to G Sunderland of Hebden Bridge. Reserve Champion was awarded to another shearling shown by M Davies which later sold for 400gns to B T Snowden of Keighley.

Top prices as follow;

SHEARLING RAM		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£840.00	F A Nairey
	£672.00	N J Johnson
	£630.00	G Taylor
	£609.00	N J Johnson
	£577.50 x2	Procters Farm
	£577.50	J W Mellin
Beltex	£525.00	G Taylor
	£420.00	MR & JE Davis
	£357.00	A E Story
	£315.00 x2	MR & JE Davis
	£294.00	J Wood
£273.00	J R Mellin	
LAMB RAM		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£892.50	A Brown
	£420.00 x2	Procters Farm
	£367.50	J W Mellin
	£367.50	A Brown
Beltex	£273.00	AC & SA Hutchinson
	£210.00	

GIMMER LAMBS		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£577.50	Davies & Wareing
	£441.00	J W Mellin
	£378.00	Davies & Wareing
	£315.00	A & H Steff
	£315.00 x2	J W Mellin
	£294.00	Davies & Wareing
	£231.00	F A Nairey
	£210.00	



**Overall Champion Texel from Graham Taylor,
Parkholme Flock**



**Reserve Champion from Davis & Wareing,
Holly Farm Flock**



L-R Champion Beltex with Mrs A Story, Judge John Mellin, Show sponsor Robert Garth from JG Animal Health and Mr Davis with Reserve Champion Beltex.