



CATALOGUE SHOW & SALE OF SUFFOLK & EURO RAMS

THURSDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2014

A wonderful show of breeding rams were forward at the annual show & sale of Suffolk & Euro rams. Over 140 Texel, Suffolk, Beltex & Charollais breeding rams were forward and the judging classes were kindly sponsored by Dalehead Vets and Barclays.

Following seven separate judging classes, the show champion, decided by judge John Redmayne of Clitheroe was awarded to PJ & H Hartley of Bashall Eaves. This was to a superb Texel shearling ram which later sold for 750 guineas to M J Alpe of Whitewell..

Reserve champion was awarded to a fantastic Texel Ram lamb shown by Mr Tim Robinson of Preston, selling for 230 guineas to W P Brewer, Bleasdale

Judge, Mr Stuart Beattie of Newton in Bowland spent time studying the entries forward in the Suffolk classes and decided to award the championship to G A & C A Whittaker of Clitheroe. This was to a superb Suffolk Ram lamb which later sold at 310 guineas to Mr M Lee of Nelson.

Auctioneer Jeremy Greenhalgh after selling the Euro Rams said ' The better quality rams were every bit as easy to sell and still very much in demand. The strong Texel rams are once again proving the more popular at our breeding sales.'

Top prices as follow;

AGED RAM		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Texel	£273.00	T J Craddock
Beltex	£273.00	T A Robinson
SHEARLING RAM		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Suffolk	£525.00 £325.50 £315.00	J & F Nutter M & J Holden J & F Nutter
Texel	£787.50 £777.00 £777.00 £735.00 £651.00 £640.50	P J & H Hartley F A Nairey T J Craddock T J Craddock P J & H Hartley P J & H Hartley
Charollais	£315.00	M & J Holden
Beltex	£336.00 £283.50	R Seed & Son R Seed & Son

LAMB RAM		
Breed	Top Price £	Top Price Vendor
Suffolk	£336.00	I D Briggs
	£325.50	G A & C Whittaker
Texel	£241.50	T A Robinson
	£178.50	J Pickervance

SHOW RESULTS

Texel Aged Ram

1. T J Craddock, Bolton by Bowland
2. C D Cornthwaite, Bolton by Bowland

Texel Shearling Ram

1. P & H Hartley, Bashall Eaves
2. F A Nairey, Blackburn
3. F A Nairey, Blackburn

Texel Lamb Ram

1. T A Robinson, Dilworth Bottoms
2. T A Robinson, Dilworth Bottoms

Suffolk Shearling Ram

1. J & F Nutter, Hurst Green
2. M & J Holden, Edgeworth
3. M & J Holden, Edgeworth

Suffolk Ram Lamb

1. G A & C A Whittaker, Clitheroe
2. G A & C A Whittaker, Clitheroe
3. G A & C A Whittaker, Clitheroe

Other Euro Shearling/Aged

1. M Worthington, Ramsbottom
2. M & J Holden, Edgeworth
3. M & J Holden, Edgeworth

Beltex/Beltex x Ram any age

1. R Seed & Son, Chipping
2. R Seed & Son, Chipping
3. J Maguire, Blackburn

Champion Euro – PJ & H Hartley

Reserve Champion Euro – T A Robinson



Euro Champion –L-R Wayne Ellison from Barclays, James Hartley and Judge John Redmayne,



Reserve champion euro – L to R Judge John Redmayne, Show Sponsor Wayne Ellison from Barclays and Mr Nutter showing on behalf of T A Robinson

Champion awarded G A & CA Whittaker

Reserve champion awarded to J & F Nutter



Suffolk champion – L to R judge Stuart Beattie, and champion vendor George Whittaker.



Texel Rams Lined up to be judged