

Friday 14th August 2026
Anniversary Show & Sale of Store Cattle

Today at Mitchells we held our Anniversary Show & Sale of 709 Store Cattle — an anniversary to remember! New vendors retained vendors and returning vendors all enjoyed a flying trade in Cockermouth.

Setting the day off in style, we were treated to an outstanding show of cattle, kindly judged by Mr Martin Wilcock, who had the difficult task of selecting the winners from an exceptional entry.

Topping the sale at an impressive £3,500 was a tremendous Limousin heifer from Ms I Powley, Green Marsh. This outstanding heifer was awarded 1st Prize in the Under 12 Months Heifer class, before going on to receive the Championship Rosette.

Reserve Championship honours were also awarded to I Powley, Green Marsh, for a wonderful bullock which stood 1st in the Under 12 Months Bullock class, making it a hugely successful day for the Green Marsh team.

Other Limousin Heifers sold to £3,000 for a wonderful heifer from Ms Fell, Stanger Hill. This home had a tremendous run of cattle forward, with 14 head selling for over £2,000.

Topping the Steer section was a wonderful Charolais from JH Baty & Son, Broom Hill, Carlisle, selling to £2,880. The Broom Hill team presented a superb run of Charolais cattle, with 14 head averaging an outstanding £2,335.

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to our Anniversary Show & Sale sponsors, TL Dallas and Armstrong Watson, for their generous support. We hope they enjoyed their day with us here at Mitchells and were able to experience the fantastic atmosphere and flying trade throughout the sale.

A huge thank you also goes to all our vendors and purchasers, both old and new, for their continued support. The strength of the trade was evident throughout, with buyers competing strongly for cattle of all breeds and types, and numerous pens comfortably exceeding the £2,000 mark, highlighting the exceptional demand for quality store cattle.

Finally, we would like to thank all the staff at Mitchells for their hard work and dedication in making the day such a great success. It was a fantastic team effort and a fitting celebration of our anniversary.

709 cattle, an outstanding show, a flying trade and a £3,500 Champion — a truly memorable Anniversary Show & Sale at Mitchells.

Heifer Under 12 Months

1st I Powley, Green Marsh

2nd FB & J Telfer, Tarn Farm

3rd I & R Millard, Old Hyton

Bullock Under 12 Months

1st I Powley, Green Marsh

2nd I Powley, Green Marsh

Heifer Over 12 Months

1st Five Houses, Farm Shop

2nd Five Houses, Farm Shop

3rd Five Houses, Farm Shop

Bullock Over 12 Months

1st Five Houses, Farm Shop

2nd Five Houses, Farm Shop

3rd Five Houses, Farm Shop

Overall Champion

I Powley, Green Marsh

Reserve Champion

I Powley, Green Marsh

Heifers

Limousin – 3500, 2400, Greenmarsh. 3000, 2300, 2200 (3), 2180 (2), 2120 (3), 2100, 2080, Stanger Hill. 2600, 2540, 2440, 2400, 2320, 2220, 2190, Five Houses. 2450, 2320, 2280, 2160, 2120, Harrot Hill. 2380 (2), 2350 (2), 2280 (2), Greenlands. 2370, 2200, 2180, 2120, Seathwaite. 2320, 2140, Pickett How. 2300 (2), 2170, Bolton Wood Lane. 2300, 2120, Dockray Nook. 2200, 2120, Pasture House. 2200, 2140, Old Hyton. 2180, 2150, The Faulds. 2120, Cubbin. 2100, 2080, Low Kinmont. 2100, Lake View. **British Blue** – 2520, Five Houses. 2500, 2400, 2050, 2020, Tarnflatt. 2440, Cragg Farm. 2320 (2), Frizington Hall. 2260 (2), 2080, 2000, Overcroft. 2240, 2050 (3), Greensyke. 2220, 2160, Southwaite. 2180, Stone House. 2180, 2100 (2), Howbeck Lodge. 2160 (8), 2080, 2050 (5), Townhead. 2120 (2), 2050 (2), 2010, Sorrowstones. 2120 (4), Greenmarsh. 2060, Woodhall Brow. 2060, Gibbtarn. 2040 (3), Bonny Farm. **Charolais** – 2260, 2120, 2080, 2070, Broom Hill. 2220, 2160, 2100 (3), 2080, 2060, 2050 (2), 2000 (3), Rakefoot. 2190, Townhead. 2140, Pasture House. 2120, Cragg Farm. 2120, Pickett Howe. 2100, Branthwaite Edge. 2000 (2), 1960 (5), Cragg Farm. **Parthanaise** – 2120, Holmecroft. **Angus** – 2060, Woodend. 2060, Aspatia Hall. 1980 (2), Pasture House. **Beef Shorthorn** – 1780, Pasture House.

Steers

Charolais – 2880, 2720, 2580, 2560, 2480, 2440, 2350, 2080 (2), Broom Hill. 2320, 2280, 2120 (2), 2100 (5), 2080 (2), 2040, Rakefoot. 2280, Townhead. 2180 (2), 2100 (2), Greenah Villa. **Limousin** – 2750, 2500, 2480, 2400, 2240, Five Houses. 2550, 2280, 2220, Greenmarsh. 2480, Croft End. 2420, 2260, 2200 (5), Stargill. 2400, 2240, 2200, Seathwaite. 2380 (3), 2300 (2), 2220 (2), 2160 (3), 2060, 2020, Pickett Howe. 2400, 2200, 2140, 2100, 2020, Seathwaite. 2320 (2), 2080, Dockray Nook. 2260, 2200, 2140, 2020, The Faulds. 2240, Howbeck Lodge. 2200, Greenah Villa. 2180, Holmecroft. 2160, 2100, 2060, 2040, 2000, Woodside Cottage. 2100, The Faulds (Greenbank). 2040, Gibbtarn. **Hereford** – 2300, 2120, Southwaite. 2270 (2), Stone House. **British Blue** – 2300, 2290, 2120 (2), Howbeck Lodge. 2280, 2080, Hill Top. 2280, 2200, Stone House. 2260, 2200, 2150, Holmecroft. 2220, 2160, 2140, Southwaite. 2100, The Faulds. 2080, Sorrowstones. 2060 (2), 2050 (3), Woodhall Brow. **Angus** – 2240 (2), Aspatia Hall. 2220, Langley. 2220, Carrick Dene. 2200, Branthwaite Edge. 2180, 2040, 1980, 1900, Woodend. 2160, 2110, 1940, Pickett Howe. 2080, Howbeck Lodge. 2040 (4), Sorrowstones. 1970, Brackenbarrow. 1960, Low Godderthwaite. **Simmental** – 2140 (2), Carrick Dene. **Parthanaise** – 2080, Holmecroft. **Fleckvieh** – 2060, Low Eskholme. **Beef Shorthorn** – 1880 (3), Cragg Farm. **Holstein Friesian** – 1740, Carrick Dene.

Bulls

Limousin – 2300, 2040, Hill Top. 2280, Cathow. 2170, 2000, Grove Farm. 2050, Howe Green.

Beef Shorthorn – 1950, Grove Farm.

Leading Averages

13 £2430 Five Houses Farm Shop

14	£2335	JH Baty & Son, Broom Hill
7	£2288	I & CL Richardson, Greenlands
5	£2266	TB Stamper & Son, Harrot Hill
3	£2256	Holliday & Graham, Bolton Wood Lane
4	£2242	FB & J Telfer, Tarnflatt
5	£2240	JR & MJ Middleton, Stone House
14	£2213	I Powley, Greenmarsh
8	£2210	Stargill Farm Partnership
9	£2204	D & J Errington, Southwaite