

Friday 16th October 2026

On Friday 16th October 2026 Mitchells held their Annual Show & Sale of 562 Suckled Calves. This event was kindly sponsored by Fulton Land Rovers, Brockbank Solicitors and Macmin (Peter Durham), we would like to thank them for their support.

The pre-sale judging was expertly carried out by Mr James Miller, Arkleby Hall, Aspatria who awarded the championship rosette to the first prize British Blue Bullock from W Atkinson&Son, Demense Farm, Sandwith who also claimed the reserve championship with their fist prize Limousin x Bullock. These sold for a market topping £2500 and £2000 respectively with James Backing his judgment by purchasing both.

Out with the show the sale could only be described as a roaring success seeing averages rise across the boards for bullocks, heifers and bulls, with the ring side full of purchasers from lot 1 to lot 562, cementing this event as the areas premiers suckled calf sale.

Bull Stirks

Charolais – 1080 Syke Beck. **British Blue** – 1020, 900, 840 Syke Beck. **Aberdeen Angus** – 820 Syke Beck.

Store Bulls

Limousin – 2250, 2150, 2120(2), 2100, 2070 Stanger Hill, 1220 Scalesmoor.

Store Steer

British Blue – 2080 Grange Farm, 2060(2), 2050, 2020, 1950, 1940 Woodhall Brow Farm.

Aberdeen Angus – 1900, 1720 Woodhall Brow Farm, 1020 Stool End Farm. **Limousin** – 1820(3), 1700(2), 1600 Grange Farm, 1380 The Towers. **Hereford** – 1800 Grange Farm, 1740 Taw House.

Store Heifers

British Blue – 1880, 1850 Woodhall Brow Farm, 1200 Seat House. **Limousin** – 1860 Grange Farm, 1760, 1700, 1500(2), 1260 Grange Farm, 1400 Seat House, 1060 The Towers. **Blonde d'Aquitaine** – 1750 Mill Farm.

Show & Sale of Suckled Calves

Show Results – Judged by James Miller, Arkleby Hall

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Limousin Heifer	J Hodgson, Woodend Farm	J Hodgson, Woodend Farm	J&E Nichol, Whinnerah
Limousin Steer	W Atkinson & Son, Demense Farm	J&E Nichol, Whinnerah	J&E Nichol, Whinnerah
British Blue Heifer	J Hodgson, Woodend Farm		
British Blue Steer	W Atkinson & Son, Demense Farm	D Hatton, Knott End	D Hatton, Knott End
Charolais Heifer	KG Holliday,		

	Strudda Bank		
Charolais Steer	KG Holliday, Strudda Bank	KG Holliday, Strudda Bank	
Any Other Breed Steer	KG Holliday, Strudda Bank	KG Holliday, Strudda Bank	KG Holliday, Strudda Bank

Champion	W Atkinson & Son, Demense Farm
Reserve Champion	W Atkinson & Son, Demense Farm

Suckled Steers

British Blue – 2500, 2180 Demense Farm, 2350, 2200 Knott End, 2120, 2100 Low Boonwood, 1650 Ehenside Farm, 1200 Fangs Brow, 1200(2) Mosser Heights. **Limousin** – 2180, 2000(3) Whinnerah, 2150 Knott End, 2100, 1880 Gate Farm, 2100, 1800, 1750, 1650 Demense Farm, 2060, 1720 Whitestones, 1950, 1670 Ehenside Farm, 1900, 1750 Newhouse Farm, 1800 Rougholm Farm. **Aberdeen Angus** – 1850 Ehenside Farm, 1730 Mill Farm. **Charolais** – 1820 Whitestones, 1660, 1520(2), 1500(5) Stainton Farm, 1660, 1550, 1520 Low Eskholme Farm, 1620, 1580, 1520 Seaton Hall Farm, 1560 Rannerdale Farm, 1550 Rougholm Farm, 1500(2) Mosser Heights. **Parthenaise** – 1700, 1580, 1400 Hinning House. **Blonde d'Aquitaine** – 1680, 1650, 1600 Mill Farm. **Hereford** – 1470, 1340 Armaside Farm. **Beef Shorthorn** – 1150, 1140, 100 Fairladies Farm.

Suckled Heifers

British Blue – 2350 Woodend Farm, 2150 Knott End, 1460 Julian Holme Farm. **Limousin** – 2250(2), 2100, 1800(2), 1700 Woodend Farm, 2020, 1850, 1720 Newhouse Farm, 2000, 1700 Demense Farm, 1920, 1880, 1720 Gate Farm, 1920 Whinnerah, 1880, 1800(2) Rougholm Farm, 1850 Whitestones. **Charolais** – 1800, 1510, 1460, 1420 Strudda Bank, 1600, 1500, 1450 Low Eskholme, 1580, 1480 Mosser Heights, 1500 Newhouse Farm, 1500 Whitestones, 1500, 1460, 1440 Stainton Farm, 1480 Rannerdale Farm, 1420 Rougholm Farm. **Beef Shorthorn** – 1640 Julian Holme Farm, 1300, 1280, 1160 Fairladies Farm. **Simmental** – 1510, 1420, 1360 Strudda Bank, 1450 Julian Holme Farm. **Hereford** – 1300(2) Armaside Farm. **Parthanaise** – 1300, 1280, 1180, 1120, 1100 Hinning House.

Suckled Bulls

Limousin – 2220, 2080, 2060, 2020(2), 2000, 1980, 1940, 1900(2), 1700, 1400 Woodend Farm, 2180(2), 1700(3) Rose Cottage, 1780, 1400 Strudda Bank. **Charolais** – 1950, 1750(2), 1720, 1400 Strudda Bank. **Simmental** – 1700, 1600, 1450, 1200 Strudda Bank. **British Blue** – 1600 Woodend Farm, 1480 Woodside Farm.