

Friday 17th July 2026

Once again, we welcomed new and returning vendors with Calves, Stirks and Store Cattle, they were joined by plenty interested onlooker's ringside who were all intrigued to see if the trade really is as hot as they say in Cockermouth, by the jaws on the floor, it's fair to say it certainly is!

We kicked off the day with Calves and Stirks. Topping the calf section was a pen of Limousin Bulls from S Watson, Street Gate Farm selling for £580, this same good home also sold Limousin Heifer Calves to £395.

Stirks topped at £1240 for British Blue Bulls from J Stubbs&Ptnrs, Syke Beck, the same good farming home sold British Blue Bull Stirks to £1240.

The store section topped at £2470 twice for British Blue and Simmental Heifers from Ms Roberts, Townhead. Haig Murray leads the yearling cattle selling yearling Limousin bullocks to £2280.

Bull Calves

Limousin – 580, Streetgate. **Angus** – 340, 290, Streetgate. **Hereford** – 340, 320, Streetgate.

Heifer Calves

Limousin – 395, Streetgate. **Angus** – 340, 300 (2), Streetgate. **Hereford** – 320, 280, Streetgate.

Bull Stirks

British Blue – 1240, 1180, 1160, 1100, 1080, Syke Beck. 800, Bolton Cottage Farm. **Angus** – 1040 (2), Howbeck Lodge. 980, Syke Beck. 780 (2), Bolton Cottage Farm. **Beef Shorthorn** – 720, Bolton Cottage Farm.

Heifer Stirks

British Blue – 1210, 1190, 1140, Croft Side. 1180, 1160, 1130, 920, Tallentire. 980, Syke Beck. 920, Howbeck Lodge. **Charolais** – 1120 (2), Syke Beck. **Angus** – 1080, Tallentire. 980, Howbeck Lodge. **Beef Shorthorn** – 800, Bolton Cottage Farm.

Heifers

British Blue – 2470, 2260, 2220 (4), 2150, 2100 (2), Townhead. 2170, 2000, 1920, Greenah Villa. 2100, 1950, Greengill. 2100 (2), Tarns. 2060, Woodend. 2020, Sorrowstones. **Simmental** – 2470, Townhead. **Limousin** – 2400, 2180, 2090, Dufton House. 2320, 2210, 2160, 2140, 2060, Greenlands. 2260, Townhead. 2240, 2000, 1960, Pasture House. 2140, Sorrowstones. 2080, Greenah Villa. 1960, Low Garth. **Charolais** – 2310, 2220, 2140, 1900, 1860, 1840, 1820, 1800, Pasture House. **Angus** – 2300, 2140, 1860 (2), 1805, Pasture House. 2120, Low Godderthwaite. 2100, Greengill. 1970, 1900, Home Farm. 1840, Woodend. **Hereford** – 1800, Branthwaite Edge. **Beef Shorthorn** – 1700, Greengill. **Holstein Friesian** – 1560 (2), Woodside.

Steers

Angus – 2320, 2170, 2060, 1980, Woodend. 1770, Ehenside. **British Blue** – 2280, The Beeches. 2160, Sorrowstones. 2100, Branthwaite Edge. **Limousin** – 2060, 1880, 1840, 1700, Old Hall. 1700, Greengill. 1700, Low Garth. **Charolais** – 1910, The Beeches. **Hereford** – 1700 (5), Greengill.

Bulls

Angus – 2080, Beckside. **Limousin** – 1890, Woodside Cottage.