

SALE REPORT

First Luing Sale at St Boswells

The Luing Cattle Society held its first sale at St Boswells mart (Harrison and Hetherington)

on the 27th October. Judging was conducted by Garry Herdman, Edlingham, Demesne, Alnwick.

Results are:

Pair of Luing Bulling Heifers

1. Linhope (Linhope Farming Partnership)
2. Tynedale (D&A Stanners)
3. Tynedale

Pair of Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

1. Attonburn (CJ&JM Symons)
2. Attonburn
3. Attonburn

Pair of Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

1. Berryfell (WR Girvan & Son)
2. Milkieston (D&A Barr)
3. Rawburn (Floors Farming)

Luing bulling heifers started the sale with 13 selling to average £1,074 with a top price of £1,400 for a trio from Linhope Farming Partnership, Hartside went to T D Renwick, (Williamhope) Old Peel Farm, Clovenford.

Sim-Luing bulling heifers topped at £1,600 from D & A Barr, Milkieston went to Procters Farm Ltd, Woodside Lane, Slaidburn, averaging £1,259 for 31.

13 In Calf Sim-Luing heifers sold, for a pair to top £1,800 from C & M Symons, Attonburn went PJ & E Rogerson, Masongill, Appleby. 13 sold to average £1,603.

Mart Report

Harrison & Hetherington held the First Autumn Sale of Luing and Registered Sim-Luing heifers at St Boswells Auction Mart on behalf of the Luing Cattle Society on Thursday 27th October 2016.

A small but impressive entry of cattle for the first sale of its kind to be held in The Borders, consisting of 13 In Calf heifers and 42 Bulling heifers, met with great interest.

Trade was selective, with the greatest demand being for bulling heifers.

Health status proved to be of great importance.

The sale was topped by a pair of outstanding Sim-Luing Spring Calving heifers from Charles & Mary Symons, Attonburn which made £1800.

Sim-Luing Bulling heifers sold to £1600 for a pen of 3 superb heifers from Messrs D & A Barr, Milkieston.

Luing Bulling Heifers sold to £1400 for a pair of strong heifers from Linhope Farming Partnership, Hartside.

Prior to the sale the judge, Mr Garry Herdman, Edlingham Demesne, Alnwick made the following awards;

Pair of Luing Bulling Heifers

4. Linhope (Linhope Farming Partnership)
5. Tynedale (D&A Stanners)

6. Tynedale

Pair of Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

4. Attonburn (CJ&JM Symons)
5. Attonburn
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Pair of Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

4. Berryfell (WR Girvan & Son)
5. Milkieston (D&A Barr)
6. Rawburn (Floors Farming)

Top Prices

Luing Bulling heifers

1400 x 3, 1280 x 2 Linhope 1000 x 2, 900 x 4 Tynedale

Sim-Luing in calf Heifers

1800 x 2, 1600, 1520, 1500 x 3 all Attonburn

Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

1600 x 3, 1020 x 2, Milkieston

1500 x 3, 1150, 1100 x 2, Rawburn

1400, 1380, 1320, 1100, Upper Chatto

1380 x 3, 1350 x 2, 1280 x 4, 1050 x 4, Berryfell