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CATALOGUE SHOW & SALE OF REGISTERED DERBYSHIRE GRITSTONE SHEEP ON BEHALF OF THE DERBYSHIRE GRITSTONE SHEEP SOCIETY



SATURDAY 12th OCTOBER 2019

The Annual Sale of Derbyshire Gritstone Sheep took place at Clitheroe Auction Mart on Saturday 12th October. Trade was definitely more selective comparable to 2018 but good sheep still made solid prices. Females selling well from start to finish. The Championship went to D Eggleston, Meltham, for a super homebred Shearling which went onto make 2000gns selling to the Riley Family. The Reserve Champion was awarded to an aged Ram from T W Pickard & Son which left the ring unsold only reaching 900gns. Top Price on the day was from the Eggleton Pen selling to £2,400gns to the Howard family, Guide.

In the Tup lamb section, it was the Tattersall family who took first place for the second year in a row, with this lamb going on to make £850gns selling to Tracey Pickard. Top Price Ram lamb was from the Taylor Bros selling to M & M Tattersall, Lumb.

The females could only be described as a strong trade from start to finish. Not the dizzy

heights as 2018 but still pleasing. Neal Muffitt picked up the Champions trophy for her pen of 6 Shearling Ewes selling for £220 per head to Joe Mitchell. The 1st prize and Champion single from Susan Field realised £250. Overall a good day all round.

Auctioneer Jeremy Greenhalgh commented “Derbyshire Gritstones, although harder to place, trade was still good but selective. Many new buyers in attendance travelling long distances to get fresh blood, many willing to pay good prices for quality rams and females. A good day all round”

Top prices as follows;

AGED RAM		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£1522.50	C Mitchell
	£1155.00	F & R Fielden
SHEARLING RAM		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£2520.00	D Eggleton
	£2310.00	C Mitchell
	£2310.00	TW Pickard & Son
	£2100.00	D Eggleton
	£2100.00	C Mitchell
	£1785.00	P Dixon
RAM LAMB		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£1155.00	Taylor Bros
	£892.50	M & M Tattersall
	£682.50	F & R Fielden
EWES		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£145.00	C Birchenall
	£120.00	J Mares & Sons
SHEARLINGS		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£270.00	P D Read
	£250.00	S E Field
	£235.00	S E Field
	£220.00	N Muffitt
GIMMER LAMBS		
Breed	Top Price Per Head £	Top Price Vendor
Gritstone	£165.00	JA Thom & AJ King

	£165.00	A Sunderland
	£150.00	P D Read
	£150.00	K & S Kempson

Ewes to £145.00, average £133.64 (11 sold)

Top price shown by C Birchenall, High Peak

Gimmer Shearlings to £270.00, average £171.79 (76 sold) -£80.54 on Yr

Top price shown by P D Read, Burnley

Gimmer Lambs to £165.00, average £135.31 (35 sold) +£35.21 on Yr

Top price shown by JA Thom & A J King, Corrie

Aged Rams to £1522.50, average £453.75 (14 sold) -£22.83 on Yr

Top price shown by C Mitchell, Holmfirth

Shearling Rams to £2520.00, average £521.89 (86 sold) -£90.47 on Yr

Top price shown by D Eggleton, Meltham

Ram Lambs to £1155.00, average £347.50 (21 sold) -£36.47 on Yr

Top price shown by Taylor Bros, Tosside

Show Results

Ram Judge-Tim Harding

Ram 2 Shear & Over

1st -TW Pickard & Sons, Great Harwood

2nd - CR Mitchell, Holmfirth

3rd - C & J Kempson, Cowpe

Shearling Ram

1st - D Eggleton, Meltham

2nd - CR Mitchell, Holmfirth

3rd - D Eggleton, Meltham

Lamb Ram

1st -M & M Tattersall, Lumb

2nd -R Fielden, Todmorden

3rd -M & M Tattersall, Lumb

Junior Judge-Jenson Bowden

Lamb Ram under 25's

1st - Eli Tattersall

2nd - Ruby Tattersall

3rd - Messrs Heathcote

Champion Male - D Eggleton, Meltham. Shearling Ram

Reserve Champion Male -TW Pickard & Sons, Great Harwood. Aged Ram

Ewes & Lamb Judge-K Kempson

Pen of 5 Draft Ewes

1st- C Birchenall, High Peak

Pen of 6 Shearling Ewes

1st - N Muffit, Meltham

2nd - J Mares & Sons, Darwen

3rd - P D Read, Todmorden

Pen of 6 Gimmer Lambs

1st - A Sunderland, Midgley

2nd - P D Read, Todmorden

3rd - Taylor Bros, Tosside

Champion Pen-N Muffit, Meltham. Pen of 6 Shearlings**Single Shearling**

1st - S E Field, Burnley

Single Gimmer Lamb

1st -P D Read, Todmorden

2nd -P D Read, Todmorden

3rd - JA Tom & AJ King, Corrie

Champion Female - S E Field, Burnley, Shearling

Reserve Champion Female -P D Read, Todmorden, Gimmer Lamb

Wool Judge-Tim Harding.

1st-M & M Tattersall, Lumb