



Lewis & Harris Auction Mart

Stornoway - Isle of Lewis

SALE REPORT

WEDNESDAY 22nd AUGUST 2018

Lewis and Harris Auction Mart held its first sale of the 2018 season on Wednesday 22nd August.

The sale, held in conjunction with our partners at Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., saw the auction of 3836 store lambs and sheep of all categories. This was a record number for our August sale. There was a good show of quality lambs and prices saw some increases on the equivalent sale last year. Another record was set for the highest store lamb price achieved in Stornoway with Texel crosses from 11 New Shawbost achieving £71.00 gross

Leading Prices:

Cheviot lambs (1191) averaged £36.37 and sold to £66 gross from 1 Back, Back.

Texel cross lambs (151) averaged £49.22 and sold to £71 gross from 11 New Shawbost, Westside.

Suffolk cross lambs (461) averaged £49.80 and sold to £70 gross from 13 Upper Barvas, Westside.

Blackface lambs (1214) averaged £27.73 and sold to £57.50 gross from 28 Lower Barvas, Westside.

Cross lambs (521) averaged £34.07 and sold to £52.50 gross from 34 Shawbost, Westside.

Other leading prices per head by area:

Back: Chev – 1 Back, £56; TexX – 2B Back, Back, £67; SuffX – 9 Back, Back, £64; BF – 1 Vatisker, Back, £45.50; Cross – 9 Broadbay, Back, £37.

Lochs: Chev – 47 Balallan, Lochs, £55; TexX – 9A Ranish, Lochs, £55.50; SuffX – 30 Gravir, South Lochs, £62; BF – 7 Garyvard, Lochs, £44.50; Cross – 47 Balallan, Lochs, £48.

Point: Chev – 50 Garrabost, Point, £62; TexX – 6 Portvoller, Point, £59.50; SuffX – Sheshader, Point, £54.50; BF – 7B Shader, Point, £45.50

Uig & Bernera: Chev – 6 Valtos, Uig, £41.50; BF – 6 Valtos, £39;

Ness: Chev – 12 Lionel, Port of Ness, £45; BF – 43 Habost, Ness, £36.50; Cross – 43 Habost, £46.

Stornoway: Chev – 5 East Street, Sandwick, £56; SuffX – 5 East Street, £54.50;

Harris: Chev – Atlantic View, Bunavoneader, £34; SuffX – 2 Scaladale, Harris, £64; BF – 3 Ardhasaig, Harris, £41; Cross – 2 Scaladale, £44.50

Westside: Chev – 41 Upper Carloway, Westside, £35; TexX – 11 New Shawbost, £54.50; SuffX – 13 Upper Barvas, Westside, £57; BF – 41 South Bragar, Westside, £52; Cross – 28 Lower Barvas, Westside, £48.50.

Sale data kindly provided by Dingwall & Highland Marts LTD

Book now for our next sale: **Wednesday 12th September 2018 (Lambs & Sheep)**