

Bishops Castle Auction – Market Report Breeding Sheep Sale – Friday 1st September 2023

Halls conducted their annual sale of breeding sheep last Friday at the Love Lane Sale Field, Bishops Castle.

Another excellent entry of 3200 met an enthusiastic ring full of buyers and achieved an excellent trade throughout with the yearling ewes just shy of £200 per head and ewe lambs at £145 per head.

The prize sale of Welsh Mule yearling ewes, sponsored by Andrew Lawton, was expertly judged by Nigel Pennie with the first prize awarded to Luke Page of Sidnal and second prize awarded to Mrs S. Shearer of Tynyrethin Hall.

The prize for the Derek Pugh Cup awarded to the highest priced pen of 10 or more commercial breeding ewes, was won by N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville.



Leading prices were as follows:

Yearling Ewes

Texel

£230	M/s N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville Farm
£226	M/s R. G. Morgan & Son, Colomendy
£225 x 2	M/s R. G. Morgan & Son, Colomendy
£225	M/s N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville Farm

Welsh Mule

£260	L. Page, Sidnal
£236	M/s P. E. & G. R. Jones, Pen Cae
£226	L. Page, Sidnal
£225	Mrs S. Shearer, Tynyrethin Hall

2 & 3 Year Old Ewes

Welsh Mule

£197	M/s N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville Farm
£190	M/s N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville Farm
£188	M/s N. L. Pugh & Co, Longville Farm

Texel

£188	M/s K. & J. Davies, Cefn Coch
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Ewe Lambs

Suffolk

£175	M/s G. H. Bayliss & Son, Borfa Wen
£170	M/s G. H. Bayliss & Son, Borfa Wen
£165	Mr A. M. Jones, Middle Farm

Texel

£168	M/s R. T. Bright & Son, Shadwell Hall
£165 x 2	M/s B. O. & C. E. Roberts, The Forge
£162	M/s R. T. Bright & Son, Shadwell Hall
£158	M/s J. A. Wood & Sons, Kinnerton

Breeding Rams

£680	For a Texel from M/s J. S. & B. M. Vance, Upper Grimmer
£580	For a Charollais from M/s K. J. & T. M. C. Llewellyn, Broadway
£500	For a Charollais from M/s K. J. & T. M. C. Llewellyn, Broadway
£500	For a Texel from M/s K. J. & T. M. C. Llewellyn, Broadway

BISHOPS CASTLE AUCTION
FORTHCOMING SALES

Thursday 14th September 2023 SALE
OF STORE CATTLE

Sale commences 10.30am

Saturday 30th September 2023
SALE OF BREEDING EWES, EWE LAMBS, GRAZING EWES
& PRIZE SALE OF STORE LAMBS
At Love Lane Sale Field, Bishops Castle Entries
close Monday 18th September