

Harrison & Hetherington Ltd
Middleton in Teesdale SSBA 'A' District Ram Sale Wednesday 11th October 2017

On Wednesday 11th October, Harrison & Hetherington conducted the Annual show and sale of 336 Aged, Shearling & Ram lambs on behalf of the Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association 'A' District.

Topping the sale at £18,000 was a Shearling ram consigned by Messrs Wallace, Lanehead Farm, Middleton-in-Teesdale which was bred by Messrs Marwood, Long Green. The successful purchaser was Messrs Emmott, Whitelees Farm, Consett.

The overall championship on the day was taken by another Shearling ram this time consigned by Messrs Hutchinson, Valley Farm, Barnard Castle which went on to sell for £2,800 to Messrs Parkinson, Hareden Hall Farm, Clitheroe.

Trade throughout the day was good for quality strong well put together rams, with lower end quality rams being harder to place.

Averages

13 Aged Rams £296.92
226 Shearlings £760.58
23 Lambs £182.61

Awards:

Class 1 Ram above 2 years of age (large Breeder)

1 st	No 10	JE&AJ Mitchell, Birkdale - £800 to TP Atkinson
2 nd	No 11	J Mclaughlin, High Beverley - £350 to TW&JE Beaty
3 rd	No 9	C Nelson & Sons, Lainger House - £350 to C Gibson
Com	No 1	C&JC Stephenson, Pikestone - £60 to J Stephenson

Class 2 Ram above 2 years of age (Small Breeders)

1 st	No 13	J R Bainbridge, Ettersgill House - £750 to NW&EM Maso
2 nd	No 5	C Bell, The Pry - £320 to TW&JE Beaty
3 rd	No 3	G Scott, Low Houses – 60 to S George
Com	No 12	TW Hutchinson , Bail Hill - £60 to S George

Champion Aged Ram

No 13 JR Bainbridge, Ettersgill House

Reserve Champion Aged Ram

No 10 JE&AJ Mitchell, Birkdale

Class 3 Crowned Ram Lamb (Large Breeder)

1 st	No 309	C Nelson & Sons, Lainger House - £600 to MJ&SM Wallace
2 nd	No 324	S Hunter, Watgarth - £600 to ME&CM Bell
3 rd	No 326	S Hunter, Watgarth - £200 to TB&AC Staley
4 th	No 310	C Nelson & Sons, Lainger House - £120 to C Gibson
5 th	No 318	A Huddleston, Overhouses - £150 to JC&J White
Com	No 328	S Hunter, Watgarth – Not Sold

Class 4 Crowned Ram Lamb (Small Breeder)

1 st	No 335	J P Hutchinson, Hebblethwaite Hall – Not Sold
2 nd	No 315	A&R Birbeck, Pennine View - £100 to TB&AC Staley
3 rd	No 287	NJ Bell, Spring Hill - £150 to JL&M Wilkinson & Son
4 th	No 296	R&H Scott, Forcegarth Farm – 450 to C Bell

5th No 290 Burncroft Farms, Eggleston - Not Sold
Com No 312 A&R Birbeck, Pennine View - £80 to C Gibson

Champion Ram Lamb

No 309 C Nelson & Sons, Lainger House

Reserve Champion

No 335 JP Hutchinson, Hebbelthwaite Hall

Class 5 Shearling Ram (Large Breeder)

1st No 143 R Hutchinson & Sons, Valley Farm - £2,800 to EW&JR Parkinson
2nd No 29 PE&KA Sowerby, Oak Bank - £1,300 Breck House Enterprises
3rd No 31 R Hird, Gillfield - £3,000 JA Robinson
4th No 174 M/s Cockbain & Sons, Rakefoot Farm - £3,000 JG Thirlwall
5th No 130 Dowson & Sartin, Battle Hill - £1,800 Burncroft Farms
Com No 127 CR Raine & Son, Stanhope Gate - £3,500 M/s Sanderson & Bell

Class 6 Shearling Ram (Small Breeder)

1st No 88 L A Sunter, East House - £300 to NR&CS Hodgson
2nd No 279 D Humble, Burtree Ford - £2,200 Burncroft Farms
3rd No 241 T W Hutchinson, Bail Hill - £220 to NW&EM Mason
4th No 242 T W Hutchinson, Bail Hill - £700 to JH Pedley
5th No 167 M Dent, Wythes Hill - £700 to JP Scott
Com No 210 MC&EA Staley, Poppin Cottage - £700 to A&RA Middleson

Class 7 Best Conformation Shearling Ram

1st No 36 Tarn Bros, Toft House - £1,500 to J&E Spry
2nd No 14 N&N Foster, Birch Bush - £1500 to TH Vickers
3rd No 38 Tarn Bros, Toft House - £1,200 to Waskerley Park
4th No 228 C&JC Stephenson, Pikestone - £450 to A&C Ivinson
5th No 74 JA Alderson, Barras Farm - £3,600 to G Scott
Com No 150 J&SE Bainbridge, Dousgill Farm - £1,200 to JP Scott

CHAMPION

No 143 R Hutchinson & Sons, Valley Farm

RESERVE CHAMPION

No 29 PR & KA Sowerby, Oak Bank

Leading Prices:

Shearling Rams - £18000, £7000, £1200 Lanehead Farm; £7500, £3800, £2300, £1400, £1200 West Briscoe; £7000, £1200 Dousgill Farm; £6500, £1400 Grains O Beck; £5000 Roachburn Farm; £4000, £1400 Ash Dub; £3600, £1200 (2) Barras Farm; £3500, £1600 Stanhope Gate; £3200 Redhouse; £3000, £1800 Rakefoot Farm; £3000, £1600 Garnthwaite; £3000 Gillfield; £2800 Valley Farm; £2600 Puchard Farm; £2500 Blunt House; £2200 Burtree Ford; £2000, £1200 (2) Rigg Farm; £2000 Ashgill Farm; £1800 Battle Hill; £1500, £1400 Birch Bush; £1500, £1200 Toft House; £1300 Oak Bank; £1200 Blunt House; £1100 East House; £1100 High Birk Hatt.

Aged Rams - £800 Parrick House Farm; £750 Ettersgill House; £750 West Underhurth; £380 Beverley Cottage; £380 Lainger House; £320 The Pry.

Ram Lambs - £600, £200 Watgarth; £600 Lainger House; £450 Force Garth; £300 Overhouses; £250, £220 Spring Hill.



Middleton Overall Champion Ram 2017

Robert Hutchinson holding the Overall Champion ram consigned by R Hutchinson & Sons, Valley Farm, Bowes, Barnard Castle which sold for £2,8000



Middleton Top Price

Top price rams consigned by Mark Wallace, Lane Head, Middleton-In-Teesdale which sold for £18,000