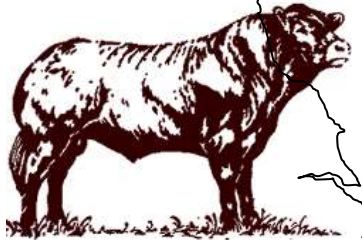


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## **Newsletter – April 2018**

**Hello and hope everyone has survived the snowy weather!**

Congratulations goes to the Limousin team of John & Claire Mason, Keith Wilson, John Peckett and Alan Morgan for winning the interbreed quiz, kindly hosted by the Aberdeen Angus society on 26<sup>th</sup> February at the Anchor Inn, Whixley.

Committee meeting is to be held on 9<sup>th</sup> April at High Farm, Hopperton at 7.30pm. Hope to see committee members there!

Once again the Northern Limousin Extravaganza show is to be held at Craven Cattle Marts, Skipton on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May at 2.30pm which allows you to bring show animals born in 2017 into a safe showing environment before the show season begins. This year's competition will be judged by Mr Andrew Ewing, Fairywater herd. There will also be a BBQ. Classes are for pedigree and commercial cattle with entry forms have been sent out or are available at [www.ccmauctions.com](http://www.ccmauctions.com). Entries close on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April.

The following day Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May will be the Craven Limousin Day show and sale of pedigree Limousin cattle including bulls, heifers and cows and calves, entry forms for this are also available at the CCM website and entries close on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April.

**Please make sure that all 2018 subscription fees are paid to Phyllis Orton as soon as possible to ensure that you carry on receiving newsletters.**

On 16<sup>th</sup> May we will be holding the annual sale at Hexham auction with judge Mr Ian Sedgwick, Gallaber herd, entry forms are available by contacting the Mart on 01434 605444.

As a club we have sponsored £50 to auctions in the North East area if the overall champion animal at their Christmas show was sired by a Limousin bull.

The winners were -

- Dunswell Auction held on 4<sup>th</sup> December, the Champion beast was a Limousin sired heifer exhibited by JL White & Son of Eastington, Goole, East Yorkshire. It weighed 560kg and sold for 300p/kg to Messrs Laverack Butchers of Holme on Spalding moor, York.
- Selby Auction, a Limx bull consigned by JR Roe, Coulbeck farm, West-Hann Lane, Barrow on Humber, Lincs. Weighing 754kg selling at 246.5p/kg or £1858 to Ralph Pearson, Oakenshaw, Bradford.



- Otley Auction -The Champion was awarded to a Limousin x Heifer (Born 26/03/2016) which weighed 545kg and sold for £5 per kg, totalling £2725.00. It was exhibited by DJ & JE Wilson Ltd of Crook House Farm, Harome, York, YO62



5JJ and was purchased by Hutchinson's Butchers of Main Street, Ripley, Harrogate.



- Darlington Mart – The champion was from JL Marks, Gilly Flatts farm, and sold for 445ppk, totalling £2149 and purchased by Darlington butchers – H Taylor& sons.

- Northallerton Auction

Further to your later earlier this year we today had our Christmas show & sale. Our Champion beast was a 514Kg Limousin Heifer from D&PA Bowe that sold to J Thompson Butchers of Northallerton for 562ppk or £2888.

