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Introduction

Lewis and Harris Auction Mart held the annual Ram Show & Sale on Monday 1st October.

The sale, held in conjunction with Dingwall and Highland Marts Ltd, saw 159 rams sold, which was slightly down on numbers from previous years. There was a mixed show of rams on offer with good quality tups receiving respectable prices but top prices were lower for all breeds than seen in recent years. The top price on the day was £360.00 for a cheviot tup from AJ Ross, Sand Street. The average price for adult rams was £129.26.

Prizewinners

The tables below list the prizewinners at the Ram Show

Blackface

	BF Ram Lamb	BF Shearling	BF Aged Tup
1st	DJ Murray. 43 Swainbost, Ness	CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness	C Macdowall. 6 Habost, Lochs
2nd	Ann Mackay. 1 Eorodale	CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness	D A Macleod. 69 Nth Shawbost
3rd	G Graham. 41 Upper Carloway	Ann Mackay. 1 Eorodale	Richard Maclennan, Borge

Cheviot

	Cheviot Ram Lamb	Cheviot Shearling	Cheviot Aged Tup
1st	AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street	AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street	AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street
2nd	M Macleod. Dell Farm	AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street	AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street
3rd	Donald Macleod. 7 Ivorhill	C Macleod. Water's Edge	Richard Maclennan, Borge

- Continental and Other Breeds (Conti)

	Conti Ram Lamb	Conti Shearling	Conti Aged Tup
1st	K Bayfield. 2B Tong	K Bayfield. 2B Tong	D Macdonald. 11 New Shawbost
2nd	T Macfarlane. 27 Melbost	M Macdonald. 7 Aird, Point	A Maciver. 15 Vatisker, Back
3rd	M Maciver. 8 Coll	JA Macdonald. 13A Laxay	A Maciver. 15 Vatisker, Back

Champions



Supreme Champion Blackface Shearling

CF Morrison
17 Habost, Ness
Sold for £280.00



Reserve Champion

Texel Two Shear
Donald Macdonald
11 New Shawbost
Sold for £350.00

Larger images and videos available in the image gallery on our website.

Sale Summary and Comparisons:

	Oct 2012	Oct 2011	Oct 2010	Oct 2009
Rams Sold	159	168 (-9)	201 (-42)	176 (-17)
Overall Top Price	£360	£650 (-£290)	£400 (-£40)	£480 (-£120)
Blackface Top Price	£340 (lamb)	£550 (-£210)	£300 (+£40)	£350 (-£10)
Cheviot Top Price	£360	£650 (-£290)	£400 (-£40)	£480 (-£120)
Texel Top Price	£350	£400 (-£50)	£360 (-£50)	£320 (+£30)
Suffolk Top Price	£220	£200 (+£20)	£400 (-£180)	£200 (£20)

* Data shown in brackets indicate how the 2012 figures compare with previous years.

Top Breed Prices (Shearlings & Aged Rams):

- Blackface Rams

£300 from A Mackay. 1 Eorodale, Ness
 £280 from CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness (twice)
 £280 from Macdowall. 6 Habost, Lochs
 £250 from CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness (twice)
 £250 from JN Maclean. 38 Lower Barvas
 £250 from D Macleod. 6 Shulishader, Point
 £240 from R Morrison. 81 Cross Skigersta, Ness
 £200 from CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness
 £200 from D Macleod. 6 Shulishader, Point
 £180 from CF Morrison. 17 Habost, Ness
 £180 from A Macdonald. 3 Ardhasaig, Harris
 £180 from R MacIennan. 6 Borve
 £160 from R Morrison. 81 Cross Skigersta, Ness (twice)

£150 from D Macleod. 6 Shulishader, Point
£140 from A Mackenzie. 9 Crossbost
£120 from J Macarthur. 50 Back
£120 from DA Macleod. 69 North Shawbost
£120 from D Graham. 46 Lower Barvas
£120 from D Macleod. 6 Shulishader, Point

- Cheviot Rams

£360 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street
£350 from DD Maciver. 1 Portaguran
£280 from D Macleod. 7 Ivorhill
£260 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street (twice)
£250 from N Macleod. 7 Fleming Place
£250 from JH Macleod. 13 Crowlista, Uig
£200 from R Maclennan. 6 Borve
£200 from D Macleod. 7 Ivorhill
£200 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street (twice)
£200 from M Maclean. 18 Leurbost, Lochs
£180 from R Maclennan. 6 Borve
£180 from M Macleod. Water's Edge, Braighe Road (twice)
£180 from A Macbain. 25 Garrabost, Point
£180 from I Macdonald. 7 Aird, Point
£180 from M Maclean. 18 Leurbost, Lochs
£180 from Pabbay Farm

- Texel Rams

£350 from D Macdonald. 11 New Shawbost
£220 from D Macritchie. 24b Lionel, Ness
£220 from A Maciver. 15 Vatisker, Back
£200 from K Bayfield. 2A Tong
£150 from D Roberts. 38 South Galson
£140 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street
£100 from D Macleod. 8 Dalmore
£100 from K Macdonald. 9 Coll, Back
£100 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street

- Suffolk Rams

£220 from M Murray. 49 North Galson, Ness
£180 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street

- Other Breeds

£200 (Zwartble) from JA Macdonald. 13a Laxay, Lochs
£160 (Swaledale) from A Macleod. 14A West Tarbert.
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£120 (Dalesbred) from D Macleod. 1 Gress, Back
£100 (Dalesbred X) from D Macleod. 1 Gress, Back
£100 (Cross) from IM Maciver. 23 Laxay
£100 (Beltex) from R Maclennan. 6 Borve (twice)

Top Breed Prices (Tup Lambs):

- Blackface Lambs

£340 from G Graham. 41 Upper Carloway
£180 from A Mackay. 1 Eorodale, Ness

£140 from H Leach. 7 North Bragar
£140 from A Campbell. 3 North Shawbost
£100 from DJ Murray. 43 Swainbost, Ness
£100 from A Mackay. 1 Eorodale, Ness
£100 from C Campbell. 26 Back
£90 from C Campbell. 26 Back
£70 from R Morrison. 46 North Shawbost
£60 from C Campbell. 26 Back

- Cheviot Lambs

£240 from M Macleod. Dell Farm
£180 from D Macleod. 7 Ivorhill
£100 from N Morrison. 50 Newmarket
£100 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street
£80 from AJ Ross. 8 Sand Street (twice)

- Other Breeds

£100 (Texel) from K Bayfield. 2A Tong
£100 (Cross) from T Macfarlane. 27 Melbost
£90 (Swaledale) from A Macleod. 14A West Tarbert
£80 (Swaledale) from A Macleod. 14A West Tarbert
£60 (Cross) from T Macfarlane. 27 Melbost

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