



National Sheep Association

WALES & BORDER EARLY RAM SALE



Organised by the WALES & BORDER RAM SALE COMMITTEE

**ROYAL WELSH SHOWGROUND,
BUILTH WELLS, POWYS LD2 3SY
MONDAY 7th AUGUST 2023
COMMENCING AT 10.30AM**



BUYERS SLIP

Please hand this slip to the Auctioneers on purchasing first lot at the sale.

National Sheep Association
WALES & BORDER RAM SALE

Monday 7th August, 2023

Name:

Address:

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Postcode:

Mobile Tel No.

Home Tel No.

HOLDING No. / /

VEHICLE REGISTRATION NUMBER FOR STOCK LEAVING THE SALE

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Please ensure all sections are completed, incl. **MOBILE NUMBER IF AVAILABLE.**

The address of the sale premises is
NSA Wales & Border Ram Sales, RWAS Showground, Llanelwedd, Builth Wells,
Powys LD2 3SY.

The Sale venue Holding Number is 52 216 8003

Intending purchasers are requested to have all livestock vehicles cleansed and disinfected.

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RING SUMMARY

Ring 1	127	Charollais Society Sale	Hereford Market Auctioneers
Ring 2	79	Texel Society Sale – Rams & Ewes	Clee Tompkinson & Francis
Ring 3	43	Mixed Breeds	McCartneys

N.B. The initials SSB after the vendors address in the catalogue denotes that the flock is a member of the Signet Sheep Breeder Recording Scheme. T indicates TexelPlus

THE 2023 SALE WILL INCLUDE OFFICIAL SALES OF THE FOLLOWING BREEDS

British Charollais Sheep Society British Texel Sheep Society

AUCTIONEERS PARTICIPATING IN THE SALE

Hereford Market Auctioneers	Tel: 01432 761882
Clee, Tompkinson & Francis	Tel: 01874 622488
McCartneys	Tel: 01547 528621

NOTES TO PURCHASERS AND VENDORS

In the interest of the smooth running of the event, kindly observe instructions from the Ram Sale stewards and follow directional signs as appropriate.

1. The Wales & Border Ram Sales are organised by the Wales & Border Ram Sale Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Committee.
2. All sheep to be penned by 8.00am on the morning of the sale, unless breed Society rules deem otherwise.
3. Vendors have the authority to prevent any individual (including potential purchasers) from subjecting their sheep to what in the vendors opinion would be an unacceptable physical examination.
4. Selling will commence promptly at 10.30 am
5. All sheep are sold subject to the usual Auctioneers conditions and to the Ram Sale Bye-Laws.
6. PLEASE NOTE: IF THERE IS A CHANCE THE VENDOR OR VENDOR'S AGENT WILL NOT BE PRESENT AT THE TIME OF THE SALE, A RESERVE PRICE MUST BE LODGED WITH THE AUCTIONEER OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE, BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SALE
7. All vendors shall be responsible for their sheep until 1 hour after the close of sale in the ring in which they were sold, or until the sheep have been handed over to the purchaser to the satisfaction of the vendor, whichever is the sooner. IF PURCHASERS HAVE NOT CLAIMED SHEEP BY THE ABOVE TIMES, VENDORS MUST INFORM EITHER THE AUCTIONEER OR THE RAM SALE OFFICIALS.

RAM SALE BYE LAWS

8. All sheep will be sold subject to an inspection. Inspectors will be appointed either by the Committee or by the relevant breed society This inspection is of a physical nature and must not be construed as being of a veterinary nature..

Vendors should note that any entries which on inspection are found showing lesions suggestive of Caseous Lymphadenitis (CLA) will not be allowed forward for sale and the whole consignment from that vendor may be removed from the sale pens immediately.

Fertility cannot be covered by inspection. It is the responsibility of the vendors to ensure that sheep presented for sale will meet the standard set out below

8.1. Not lame and apparently free from all obvious signs of contagious or infectious diseases, e.g. white discharge from the nose or eyes, skin diseases.

8.2. Not of sub-standard conformation and presented in good condition according to that breed.

8.3. MOUTH

No sheep to be presented for sale with more than 6 broad teeth, except in Society Sales

The teeth should be touching the digital pad in such a way as to give an effective bite at the tip of the teeth.

The Committee accepts a variable standard. It is up to the purchasers to satisfy themselves that the sheep they buy are of the standard they require.

RAMS - Testicles:

The testicles should be more or less the same size

Testicular size should be appropriate for the age and

breed of the ram

The testicles should be fully descended into the scrotum

The testicles should be free from palpable lumps/swellings

8.4 EWES

Females must be correct in mouth and udder .

Complaints under 9.1 must be notified within 48 hours; Complaints under 9.3 must be notified within 7 days. All complaints must be accompanied by a veterinary certificate, and be addressed to either the Ram Sale Committee Director, the Chairman, or the Auctioneer.

THE FINAL ONUS REMAINS WITH THE PURCHASER EVEN THOUGH CARE IS TAKEN AND THE ASSOCIATION WILL DO ITS UTMOST TO CHECK EVERY ANIMAL FOR DEFECTS.

IT IS UP TO THE PURCHASERS TO SATISFY THEMSELVES THAT THE SHEEP THEY BUY ARE OF THE STANDARD THEY REQUIRE

9. NO COMPLAINT OF WHATEVER NATURE WILL BE CONSIDERED AFTER 15th November, 2023

The purchaser shall have no rights to claim damages from the vendor, in respect of indirect or consequential loss such as (but not limited to) loss of profit or any other loss whatsoever.

10. Each lot of sheep shall be sold in the ring fixed by the Committee, and in order of ballot, and in that ring only, and the Auctioneer responsible for such a lot and the vendor thereof shall be bound to see that the rule is carried out.

11. Each entry must be in the sale pen in the section to which it belongs as the last sheep of the preceding lot shall have been disposed. Any lots that may not be ready in the sale pens when their turn for selling arrives, will not be allowed to come forward until the others in that section have been disposed of.

12. All entries must be identified by their catalogue number by means of a clearly marked paint brand on the back or face, unless otherwise agreed with the relevant breed society. No animal shall be allowed into the sale ring unless its catalogue number is clearly visible.

Unsold sheep may be re-offered at the discretion of the Committee. This applies only to the first 20 sheep or the first two vendors, whichever is the greater, and they can only be re-offered at the end of the sale in that ring and not at the end of an auctioneers run. The exception to this rule is where there are mixed breeds and then it must be at the end of that particular breed. No sheep shall be sold on the Showground by Private Treaty other than those which have been offered for sale in the ring. All sheep sold by Private Treaty after leaving the ring must be booked through the Auctioneer and the appropriate commission paid.

MAEDI VISNA ACCREDITATION

- 13. Vendors of sheep in the MV Accredited Scheme are asked to strictly comply with the rules set out by the SAC Sheep & Goat Health Scheme
 - 13.1. All sheep must be accompanied by a SAC valid certificate of accreditation.
 - 13.2. No sheep shall be accepted into the MV section of the sale without a valid SAC certificate
 - 13.3. Care must be taken by the Vendor and Purchaser not to infringe the MV Rules and Regulations. Whilst every care will be taken by the Ram Sale Committee and the Auctioneers, they cannot take responsibility for any infringement, carelessness or consequences therefrom.
- 14. It is recommended that sheep are treated with a scab approved product at least two weeks prior to the sale & it is hoped that all sheep have been vaccinated against BTV.
- 15. To comply with the Wales & Border Ram Sale regulations:-
 - 15.1. The use of any substance containing toxic chemicals including sheep dips to prepare sheep for showing/sale, whilst on the sale site is forbidden
 - 15.2. The use of any type of spray equipment on the sale site is also forbidden
 - 15.3. Water may only be used to brush down sheep where necessary.
 - 15.4. The Ram Sale Committee reserve the right to make any checks that it feels necessary
- 16. Any party infringing these rules shall be liable to a penalty determined by the Committee and any loss or damage which may be sustained and furthermore the Committee are empowered to refuse entries from any vendor infringing these rules. Notwithstanding the above the Committee reserves the right in very exceptional circumstances to reposition vendors wrongly catalogued.
- 17. **The Committee's decision is final.**

In the event of a problem arising or for further information please contact:

Mrs. Jane S Smith (Exec. Director) 01291 673939

N.B. NSA MAIN RAM SALE 18th SEPTEMBER 2023

Entries close WEDNESDAY AUGUST 9th, 2023



Vendors are responsible for their sheep as specified in the Rules

Ring No. 1

Official Society Sale of Pedigree Charollais Rams & Ram Lambs HMA

Ring No. 1

Hereford Market Auctioneers

Charollais

Lot Nos.

Number of Rams

1	1 Evans BC & JW Penrhos Trefeglwys Powys SSB	1	1sh
2	5 Davies G & C Moelfryn Mawr Bethania Llanon Aberystwyth Ceredigion	4	1sh
6	17 Whitcher Mrs DR Manor Cottage Skewsby York	12	1sh
18	18 Marwood & Son CW Foulrice Whenby York N.Yorkshire SSB	1	Ram 2sh
19	37 Marwood & Son CW Foulrice Whenby York N.Yorkshire SSB	19	1sh
38	44 Drefach Farms Ltd Drefach Henllan Amgoed Whitland Carmarthenshire SSB	7	1sh
45	46 Prichard TL Castellau Fawr Farm Llantrisant Mid Glam	2	1sh
47	58 Bowen WC & RL Gwyndy Llandelay Haverfordwest Pembrokeshire	12	1sh
59	70 Jones & Sons RG & RA Robleston Hall Camrose Haverfordwest	12	1sh
71	72 Boomaars Jan Heathdown The Ridge Woldingham Kent SSB	2	1sh
73	73 Jones Mr & Mrs G Springfield Bungalow Newchurch West Chepstow	1	Ram 2sh
74	82 Jones Mr & Mrs G Springfield Bungalow Newchurch West Chepstow	9	1sh
83	84 Thomas Arwyn & Jane Fferm Bryngwyn Llanboidy Road Whitland Carm	2	1sh
85	91 Curran Paul Wernfawr Bungalow Talgarth Talgarth Powys	7	Ram Lamb
92	96 Marwood & Son CW Foulrice Whenby York N.Yorkshire	5	Ram Lamb
97	101 Prichard TL Castellau Fawr Farm Llantrisant Mid Glam	5	Ram Lamb
102	108 Whitcher Mrs DR Manor Cottage Skewsby York	7	Ram Lamb
109	111 Thomas Arwyn & Jane Fferm Bryngwyn Llanboidy Road Whitland Carm SSB	3	Ram Lamb
112	123 Williams G & J Cwmpadest Crai Brecon Powys	12	Ram Lamb
124	127 Burrough GF Sheldon Grange Dunkeswell Honiton Devon SSB	4	Ram Lamb

SSB – Signet Sheepbreeder recorded

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Ring No. 2
Official Society Sale of Pedigree Texel Rams & Ewes
Clee Tompkinson & Francis Hall 2

Ring No. 2

Clee, Tompkinson & Francis

Texel

Lot Nos.

Number of Rams

130	139	Marlsborough Farm Ltd	Marlsborough Portfield Gate Haverfordwest	10	1sh
140	144	Boomaars Jan	Heathdown The Ridge Woldingham Kent TEXELPLUS	5	1sh
145	151	Watkins RM & GL	Upper Cwm Craswall Herefordshire TEXELPLUS	7	1sh
152	152	Watkins Messrs WR	Great Corras Farm Kentchurch Hereford TEXELPLUS	1	Ram
153	156	Watkins Messrs WR	Great Corras Farm Kentchurch Hereford TEXELPLUS	4	1sh
157	162	Davies & Co WT	Canllefaes Uchaf Penparc Cardigan Ceredigion	6	1sh
163	182	Chave & Son FH	Peacehay Farm Sampford Arundel Wellington	20	1sh
183	194	Quick & Sons EW	Loosebeare Manor Zeal Monochorum Crediton	12	1sh

Clee, Tompkinson & Francis

Texel

Lot Nos.

Number of Ewes

195	198	Vaughen Farms Ltd	Oakfield Farm Kingsland Herefordshire	4	Ewe 1sh
199	208	Marlsborough Farm Ltd	Marlsborough Portfield Gate Haverfordwest	10	Ewe 1sh

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Ring No. 3
Crossbred Rams all MV – McCartneys
Suffolk Rams Non MV
Hall 2

Ring No. 3

McCartneys

Beltex X Charollais

Lot Nos.

Number of Rams

210	221	Roots & Son VJ & ML New Home Farm Worm Leighton Southam	12	1sh
222	227	Davies Mr & Mrs A Glanbryden Manordeilo Llandeilo Carmarthenshire	6	1sh

McCartneys

Beltex X

228	230	Prichard TL Castellau Fawr Farm Llantrisant Mid Glam	3	1sh
231	238	Curran Paul Wernfawr Bungalow Talgarth Talgarth Powys	8	1sh

McCartneys

Charollais x

239	243	Howells R & A Court Farm St Mary Hill Troes Bridgend Vale of	5	1sh
244	248	Boomaars Jan Heathdown The Ridge Woldingham Kent	5	1sh

McCartneys

Texel x

249	249	Boomaars Jan Heathdown The Ridge Woldingham Kent	1	1sh
250	255	Evans BC & JW Penrhos Trefeglwys Powys	6	1sh

NON MV SECTION

McCartneys

Suffolk non MV

256	259	Jones BG & RV & BH East Piton Farms Rhossili Gower	4	1sh
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List of Vendors

RING

B

Boomaars Jan Heathdown The Ridge Woldingham Kent CR3 7AL	1,2,3
Bowen WC & RL Gwyndy Llandeloy Haverfordwest Pembrokeshire	1
Burrough GF Sheldon Grange Dunkeswell Honiton Devon EX14	1

C

Chave & Son FH Peacehay Farm Sampford Arundel Wellington	2
Curran Paul Wernfawr Bungalow Talgarth Talgarth Powys LD3 0DY	1
	3

D

Davies G & C Moelfryn Mawr Bethania Llanon Aberystwyth	1
Davies Mr & Mrs A Glanbryden Manordeilo Llandeilo Carmarthenshire	3
Davies & Co WT Canllefaes Uchaf Penparc Cardigan Ceredigion	2
Drefach Farms Ltd Drefach Henllan Amgoed Whitland	1

E

Evans BC & JW Penrhos Trefeglwys Powys SY17 5QT	1,3
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H

Howells R & A Court Farm St Mary Hill Troes Bridgend Vale of	3
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J

Jones Mr & Mrs G Springfield Bungalow Newchurch West Chepstow	1
Jones & Sons RG & RA Robleston Hall Camrose Haverfordwest	1

M

Marlsborough Farm Ltd Marlsborough Portfield Gate Haverfordwest	2
Marwood & Son CW Foulrice Whenby York N.Yorkshire YO61 4SD	1

P

Prichard TL Castellau Fawr Farm Llantrisant Mid Glam CF7 8LP	1,3
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Q

Quick & Sons EW Loosebeare Manor Zeal Monochorum Crediton	2
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R

Roots & Son VJ & ML New Home Farm Worm Leighton Southam	3
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T

Thomas Arwyn & Jane Fferm Bryngwyn Llanboidy Road Whitland	1
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V

Vaughen Farms Ltd Oakfield Farm Kingsland Herefordshire HR6 9QU	2
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W

Watkins Messrs WR Great Corras Farm Kentchurch Hereford HR2	2
Watkins RM & GL Upper Cwm Craswall Herefordshire HR2 OPH	2
Whitcher Mrs DR Manor Cottage Skewsby York YO61 4SG	1
Williams G & J Cwmpadest Crai Brecon Powys LD3 8YS	1

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