

# DALKEITH SHOW RESULTS 2011

Dalkeith Show once again enjoyed record numbers in it's sheep section with just under 500 sheep forward on show day. The Suffolk Sheep lines enjoyed record entries with 51 animals forward competing for the top honours in the strongest section seen at Dalkeith for many years. Charged with the job in hand was Ian Hepburn from Northhouse farm, Hawick. His work was cut out for him in particular the gimmer class which had 13 animals forward containing some high profile animals – Andrew Tooze 3<sup>rd</sup> prize gimmer from The Yorkshire Show and Mrs Nelson's Champion from Cumberland Show.

Taking the Championship on the day and "their first ever" Championship was the very smart Ram Lamb from The Redpath's Westmuir Flock at Kelso. This son of Rhaeadr Reliant was previously 2<sup>nd</sup> at the club show in June and is heading to Stirling later this month.

Picking up the Reserve honours was the 2 shear Ram- Pennan Finale (by Deveronside Speedway) from Scott and Gavin Brown's Capielaw flock, previously 2<sup>nd</sup> at the RHS in 2010 and Reserve champion at Haddington the previous week.

Winning the "Breed Pairs" in the Suffolks was Elaine Wilkies combination from the Islay Flock. This very uniform pair consisted of a 1 crop ewe and a gimmer both by Sitlow Centurion and both purchased from the Flodden Dispersal last year, they went on to represent the breed in the Interbreed competition and came Reserve to the Texel pair.

The Class results were as follows-

## Age Ram

1<sup>st</sup> S & G Brown –Capielaw (Reserve Champion)

## Shearling Ram

1<sup>st</sup> S & G Sutherland - Soutra  
2<sup>nd</sup> R & A Redpath – Westmuir  
3<sup>rd</sup> K & T Bailey - Easton

## Ram Lamb

1<sup>st</sup> R & A Redpath - Westmuir (Champion)  
2<sup>nd</sup> S & G Brown – Capielaw  
3<sup>rd</sup> S & G Sutherland - Soutra

## Ewe

1<sup>st</sup> S & G Sutherland – Soutra  
2<sup>nd</sup> R & A Redpath – Westmuir  
3<sup>rd</sup> R.G.Lang & Sons - Oxmuir

## Gimmer

1<sup>st</sup> A Tooze – Spittal  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mrs Nelson – Rosepark  
3<sup>rd</sup> S & G Brown- Capielaw

## Ewe Lamb

1<sup>st</sup> A Tooze - Spittal (1<sup>st</sup> prize Ewe Lamb Great Yorkshire Show)  
2<sup>nd</sup> A Tooze – Spittal  
3<sup>rd</sup> A Anderson - Robinsland

**Group of Three**

- 1<sup>st</sup> S & G Sutherland - Soutra
- 2<sup>nd</sup> S & G Brown – Capielaw
- 3<sup>rd</sup> R & A Redpath – Westmuir

**Breed pairs**

Winner- E Wilkie- Islay (Reserve Interbreed Pairs Champions).

**Judge- Mr Ian Hepburn, North house, Hawick.**