

### MARKET DRAYTON MARKET LTD

**Barbers Auctions report the following trade** at Market Drayton Market :-

#### **MONDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2022** 151 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS **OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Red Market)** Auctioneer: Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Red market and it certainly did not mean stop with trade holding remarkably firm for the time of year. All weights and grades of cattle looked well sold especially leaner cows and these would have been dominate in number.

Top book read to the following - clean to 238p or £1,575.00, dairy to 198p or £1,303.50, sucklers to 197p or £1,335.66 and bulls to 170p or £1,633.00. The overall market average returned at 150p.

82 Dairies - Demand throughout with young Swedish Red taking pole position at 198p (£1,009.90)

from W. Lloyd Jones & Son, Hanmer who saw 180p (£896.40) for black and white. RJB Farming Ltd, Hill sold Norwegian Red Bolesworth (£1,171.20), M. & D. Batkin & Sons, Marchamley black and whites to 176p twice (£911.68 and £894.08), DA.& JG. Price, Calverhall cow to 173p (£1,249.06) and W.G. Brown & Sons, Abbots Bromley also saw 173p (£989.56), The Martin Family, Longford Norwegian Red to 168p (£934.08) and 158p (£1,099.68), DH.&TM. Ratcliffe, Marbury cow to 172p (£1,056.08), PRF.&EA. Stone & Sons, Little Stoke Danish Red to 165p (£1,303.50) and 156p (£1,216.80) to mention a few. The section average returned at 134p (£837.71).

29 Sucklers - Humble number forward seeing The Holdcroft Family, Audley dominating the podium with a Limousin to 197p (£1,335.66) and Shorthorn to 183p (£1,310.28) and 180p (£1,080.00). Distant travellers The Jones Brothers, Bwlchgwyn Limousin to 182p (£1,274.00) to mention a few. The section

average returned at 150p (£938.25).

8 Bulls - Stock bulls sold to 170p (£1,574.20) for a Limousin from The Gilman Family, Lilleshall. Young restricted black and whites to 166p (£949.52) from Messrs N.R. Brandon Partnership, Gayton. In the lump L.C. Davies & Son, Rushton saw their Hereford gross £1,633.00. The section average returned at 150p

32 Clean - BJ.& GM. Williams, Holt took the top place medals with Limousin steer to 238p (£1,204.28) and Limousin heifer to 235p (£1,240.80) and further Limousin steers to 231p (£1,191.96), 227p (£1,180.40). In the lump Mr J.H. Charlesworth, Marchington Woodlands saw their Limousin steer to gross £1,575.00 and black and white steer to return £1,521.84.

#### - NEXT RED MARKETS -Monday 28 November/12 December/ 9 & 30 January, 4.30pm

For all cattle including T.B. restricted holdings with a movement licence from Animal Health.

#### **PIGS**

Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791791356) Monday 21 November, 10.30am - Entries to include :

- 10 to 20 Cull Sows
- 80 to 100 Fat Pigs
- 60 to 80 Store & Weaner Pigs To include 14 x Pietrain & Welsh Stores (11 weeks old)

#### - NEXT PIG MARKETS -

Monday 21 November/5 & 19 December, 10.30am (Christmas Pig Show & Sale Monday 5 December) **Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs** All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

#### WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2022 179 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS Auctioneer: Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Reasonable number forward and easily absorbed by our regular array of buyers representing end users and further finishers. Trade remains buoyant throughout and especially for young bulls and well fleshed cattle. Only real grumble this week coming from the buyers requiring more superstar quality to fulfil orders.

Leading lights shone brightly to 300p or £1.740.96 for heifers, 286p or £2,082.08 for steers and 286p or £1.999.36 for bulls.

68 Bulls - Demand certainly out stripping supply many more needed to fulfil growing orders. Sucklers peaked at 286p (£1,853.28) for Limousin from The Stubbs Family, Coppenhall and their Limousin further bulls to 269p (£1,716.22), 264p (£1,547.04), 257p (£1,984.04) etc. Mr Bernard Parsons, Golden Hill Lane Limousin to 285p (£1,926.60) and Mr Brian Taylor & Family, Scholar Green Limousins to 284p (£1,999.36) and 274p (£1,791.96). Distant travellers The Turner Family, Bwlch-Y-Ffridd sold Limousins to 276p (£1,484.88) and 268p (£1,672.32), Mr Ian Morris & Family, Stottesdon sold Limousins to 268p x 2 (£1,559.76 and £1,436.48) etc and Ian also topped the natives with an Angus to 268p (£1,447.20) to mention a few. "Drayton specials" saw black and whites to 220p (£1,196.80) from The Proudlove Family, Baddiley. The section average returned at 233p (£1,437.66).

49 Steers - Just missing the very best handy weight steers on the day and more required next week please. Leading the charge today was Mr George Proctor, Wood Lane with a corking Limousin to 286p (£2,082.08) and further Limousin to 284p (£1,846.00). Distant travellers The Jones Family, Maestruan with their Limousins to 276p (£1,894.64), 268p (£1,575.84), 252p (£1,617.84), 248p (£1,537.60) etc.

Owen, Market Drayton saw his Limousins to 256p 164 STORE CATTLE (£1,361.92) and 252p (£1,416.24). Natives sold to 254p Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791 791356) (£1,610.36) from The Cadwaladr Family, Leighton. The average to 240p or £1,520.89. section

of super star quality at the top end, however, this said entry at end of report. Trade a tiny bit less today with distant travellers IÉ.&M. Gittins & Sons, Brooks sold some men beginning to fill up but all said a very Limousin to 300p (£1,590.00) and 282p (£1,246.44). respectable trade all through. Regular Cheshire vendor sold Limousins to 276p (£1,203.36), 272p (£1,398.08) etc. Mr Mark Hawkins & Family, Chetwynd sold Blue Cross to 266p (£1,468.32) etc Kilminster, Tiffield. Generally the best £900 plus, farming and close behind David Jones & Family, Kerry sold Limousin to 265p (£1,431.00) etc. In the lump The Blake Family, Rhosmadog Ruabon sold Charolais to return £1,740.96 to mention a few. Natives to a staggering 256p A.J. Norbury, Yoxall. Plenty of cattle £1,100 plus and best (£1,510.40) for Angus from The Jones Family, Maestruan.

#### **87 DAIRY CATTLE**

Auctioneers: Gwilym Richards (07768 020393) & Jason Brown (07774 816384)

#### £2,800 HEIFER TOP - £2,700 COW TOP 20 OVER £2.000

Another very good trade despite Ian Potter's gloomy price predictions endeavouring to dampen enthusiasm with the Monthly Show & Sale sponsored by Cogent attracting many quality cattle for Kelly Hill to judge.

The champion was the first prize pedigree heifer Boseley Appeal Butty from Richard Thompson, Sudbury, and sold for the day's top price of £2,800.

The first prize pedigree cow was the second calver Bidlea Kimball Faith from Ray Brown & Partners, Twemlows, and sold for the day's second highest price of £2,700.

The first prize commercial cow was a Swedish Red cross second calver and the first prize commercial heifer were from the same home and sold for £2,550 and £2,400 respectively.

There were 20 cattle in all that sold for over £2,000, 9 of which were over £2,200.

Hilltop Farming Co, Aston by Budworth sold heifers at £2,380 and £2,300, C Whitticase & Son, St Martins £2,300 and £2,250, and Kingarth, Leicester sold second calvers to £2,250.

A Brown Swiss fourth calver from Harold Davies & Partners, Puddington sold for £1,900.

In-calf cows sold to £1,420, more Spring calving cross-bred second calvers calving again in May from a mid Wales farm sold to £900 and heifer calves to £150.

#### Averages:

Top 10 Heifers £2,269 46 Heifers £1,735 (all in) Top 10 Cows £2,126 19 Cows £1,822 (all in)

#### **Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western** Holstein Club Wednesday 21 December.



Just a few less forward today as the season marches on and we wait for vendors to re-test again. 62 Heifers - The entry was just missing that sprinkle Plenty of cattle booked for next week - please see special

> Good quality Friesians forward attracting very brisk bidding topping at £1,070 and £1,055 from Mrs V. cattle £650 to £750 and all trading at 180p to 200p and averaging 170p all through.

> Strong yarding cattle a tremendous trade at £1,200 to £1,400 topping at £1,545 for Limousin steers from Mr native heifers at £900 to £1,100. In general best cattle at 220p to 230p/kg with best native heifers at 200p to 220p/ kg. The medium cattle trading 180p to 200p/kg.

> Only a handful of farming cattle forward attracting brisk bidding with steers £800 to £900 with heifers £700 to £800 for Continental sorts and native steers. The native heifers a little harder to move at times with £600 to £700 stopping most heifers.

#### Special Entries For Wednesday 23 November

- Start of a Genuine Herd Dispersal 12 x Pedigree Angus Cows & Calves 14 x Pedigree Incalf Angus Heifers
- 5 x Water Buffalo (18 months)
- 14 x Simmentals (Suckler Bred) Steers & Heifers 15-18 months.
- All store cattle enquiries to Ben More needed every week please - 07791 791356.

<u>Steers</u>			
Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1,070.00	543kg	Mrs V. Kilmister
Friesian	£1,035.00	502kg	Mrs V. Kilmister
Friesian	£745.00	423kg	Newbold Partners
British Blue	£1,410.0	604kg	Mr K.F. Watson
British Blue	£1,400.00	602kg	Mr K.F. Watson
British Blue	£1,180.00	518kg	Mr R. Darlington
British Blue	£875.00	426kg	R.J. Litchfield & Son
Angus	£1,140.00	518kg	J.A. Evans
Angus	£1,050.00	487kg	A. & K. Thompson
Angus	£1,050.00	482kg	S.R. Lewis & Son
Angus	£995.00	486kg	Vincent J. Powell
Hereford	£1,150.00	542kg	Norton Hall Fms Ltd
Hereford	£1,140.00	540kg	Wheeldon Partners
Hereford	£1,025.00	486kg	ES.AJ.AE.&H.Gilman
Hereford	£955.00	460kg	Mrs V. Kilmister
Hereford	£720.00	382kg	Norton Hall Farms
Charolais	£1,215.00	542kg	TH.&VJ. Seager
Simmental	£1,430.0	660kg	TH.&VJ. Seager
Simmental	£1,195.0	554kg	TH.&VJ. Seager
Simmental	£900.00	490kg	R.J. Litchfield&Son
Limousin	£1,545.00	668kg	Mr A.J. Norbury
Limousin	£1,005.00	473kg	ES.AJ.AE.&H.Gilman
Limousin	£710.00	381kg	S.R. Lewis & Son
<u>Heifers</u>			
Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Blonde D'A.	£1,180.00	548kg	Mr N. Stubbs
British Blue	£1,030.00	500kg	TC.&LH. Baldwin
British Blue	£1,020.00	462kg	JN.&HM. Bennett
British Blue	£800.00	402kg	JN.&HM. Bennett
Angus	£1,100.00	506kg	A. & K. Thompson
Angus	£900.00	467kg	J.A. Evans
Angus	£890.00	463kg	D. & K. Dutton

383kg

J. & V. Hancock

Angus

£705.00

Hereford £1,115.00 Hereford £1,060.00 Hereford £1,020.00 Hereford £820.00 Charolais £770.00 Simmental £680.00 Limousin £1,155.00 Limousin £885.00	539kg 554kg 462kg 420kg 400kg 378kg 507kg 416kg	Wheeldon Partners Norton Hall Fms Ltd JN.&HM. Bennett JD. & M. Baskerville Mr S.E. Gittus Mr S.E. Gittus PA. & JA. Adams RW.&JE. James
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#### **ORANGE SALE**

**Thursday 24 November** Calves 1pm followed by Weanlings Stores at Approx 3.30pm/4pm

**Entries to Date :-**350 to 400 Calves 80 to 100 Plus Weanlings 80 to 100 Stores Full Catalogue Available Monday!

#### 1,178 PRIME LAMBS

Auctioneer: Mark Jones (07813 625787)

A smaller show on offer selling to a very pleasing trade throughout again meated lambs in demand and selling on a fast trade with lighter, leaner sorts just a shade easier on the week. Nevertheless an overall average returned at 248p which is well up on local and national averages seen from the previous days trading.

Lights sold to 270p for 31.7kgs to return £85.59 from Rawsthorne Farming, Derrington.

Standards hit 288p for 37.1kgs to gross £106.85 for Rawsthorne Farming, Derrington. Other notable prices as follows:- 38.8kgs (274p) £106.31 Mr S.R. Scott, 38.5kgs (270p) £103.95 DJ. & P. Macclesfield, 38.6kgs (269p) WEANLINGS - 250-300 Head on Monday 21 November £103.83 DJ. & P. Smith, 35.6kgs (262p) £93.27 Mr AJ. at 11:30am Edgley.

Mediums raced away to 350p for 42kgs to return 80 x British Blues (3-4 months) £147.00 for R. Swift & Sons, Little Onn who had a further 24 x British Blues, Angus and Hereford (4-5 months) run as follows :- £134.68 (45.5kgs), £127.01 (43.2kgs), 16 x Hereford & Aberdeen Angus (6-8 months) £127.01 (44.1kgs), £125.43 (43.4kgs). Others as follows :- 9 x Friesian, British Blue, Limousin (8-10 months) £123.82 (43.6kgs) Mr I. Booth, £123.54 (44.6kgs) M. & L. 4 x Simmental & British Blues (4-6 months) Gibson, £120.54 (42kgs) Mr AJ. Edgley.

Heavies to 342p for 48kgs to return £164.16 for R. Enquiries to Ben Baggott 07791791356 Swift & Sons, Little Onn. Messrs DJ. & PO. Smale, Adderley achieved 321p for 49kgs to accumulate £157.29. Rawsthorne Farming, Derrington grossed £154.23 for 48.5kgs and Mr Ian Sant, Slindon had £153.17 for 53kgs. More lambs wanted next week please!!

	Sold	Av.
Premium	219	296p
Prime	901	246p
Others	58	208p

Lambs Graded: Lights to 270p (£85.59) average 221p (£61.77). Standards to 288p (£106.85) average 247p (£89.56). Mediums to 350p (£147.00) average 255p (£107.53). Heavies to 342p (£164.16) average 252p (£121.82).

#### **409 BUTCHERS EWES**

Auctioneer: Mark Jones (07813 625787)

More ewes sold to a slightly easier trade topping at £136.00 for Suffolk ewes from JD. & WD. Clarkson, Light ewes traded from £20 to £45, plain ewes £48 to £65, cutting ewes £68 to £88 and heavy ewes £92 to £115. An overall average was returned at £82.82 which £92 includes a large proportion of small plain ewes.

#### **627 REARING CALVES**

Auctioneers: Ben Baggott (07791 791356) & Jonty Cliffe (07595 453306)

A superb number of calves for the middle of November and once again we have seen a two tier trade. Demand has been very strong for the top tier and very selective again for the second tier. There continues to be a very fine line between the two tiers, with breeding, shape and age being the key factors.

On to the section round ups, the Friesians saw a slight lift in prices with an average of £52 per head, topping at £115 for E. Turnock Ltd, Audley. Best types at £60 to £90 and mediums and smalls £25 to £50. The native bulls were a similar trade to last week with strongest types in highest demand, mediums and smalls ok to sell. Top call went to Angus from Mr W.R. Grice, Stapeley at £272. Best bulls at £140 to £200, mediums at £80 to £130 and smalls at £40 to £70. Next the Continental bulls which were a good trade with the top end easy to sell but mediums and smalls had a ceiling price. Top call went to a Blue from Moreton Wood Farm, Whitchurch at £350. Best at £250 to £300 and mediums at £170 to £240, smalls at £100 to £150.

Onto native heifers which would be slightly better sold this week with more of the best quality on offer. Top call went to a Angus at £170 for L&A Fitton & Sons, Adbaston and Herefords to £135 for P.&F. Jenkinson, Ridley. Best types £80 to £140, mediums £45 to £70 and smalls £25 to £40. The Continental heifers have been a fast trade with several seasonal buyers about today but all sticking to their budgets. Top price went to a Blue at £240 for HF. & J. Langley & Partners, Bickley. Best heifers at £180 to £230, mediums £90 to £150, smalls £50 to £80. Enquiries about next week to Jonty or Ben.

Entries so far include :-

7 x British Blue & Angus (5-7 months)

#### **BULL CALVES**

-	FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN (87 - AV.£52.93)		BLONDE D'AQUITAINE (2 - AV.£114.00)		
	£115	E. Turnock Ltd x 2	£148	Shortwood Dairy Ltd	
		L. & A. Fitton & Sons		•	
			ABERDEEN ANGUS (87 - AV.£93.53)		
		Moreton Wood Fm Ltd Moreton Wood Fm Ltd			
BROWN SWISS		ОТН			

(2 - AV.£41.50) (6 - AV.£50.67) £45 H.&C. Bloxham&Co. £108 David Davies £38 H.&C. Bloxham&Co. £52 Mr A.E. Litchfield **MONTBELIARDE** 

**HEREFORD** (35 - AV.£88.06) £200 Mr M.P. Mason £192 Mr Mark W.J. Lokier

**STABILISER** (5 - AV.£45.40) J.D. Edge & Sons £45 J.D. Edge & Sons (10 - AV.£60.40) £150 MoretonWoodFmLtd V. Williamson&Sons SIMMENTAL

(10 - AV.£133.50) £285 P.&F. Jenkinson £275 Mr D. Swinson

LIMOUISIN (8 - AV.£175.00) £210 RD.&C.J. Benbow x 3 R.W. Harper & Ptns £192

FLECKVIEH x 1 £125 L. & A. Fitton&Sons

SHORTHORN x 1 Johnson Brothers £26 NORWEGIAN RED x 1 £36 Martin Partners

CHAROLAIS x 1 £195 H. & C. Bloxham

J.D. Edge & Sons

**HEIFER CALVES** 

£90

**BRITISH BLUE** ABERDEEN ANGUS (119 - AV.£121.50) (85 - AV.£73.18) £240 HF.&J.Langley & Ptns £170 L. & A. Fitton & Sons £160 L. & A. Fitton & Sons £218 Moreton Wood Fm Ltd

**HEREFORD** STABILISER (17 - AV.£63.88) (2 - AV.£35.60) £135 P. & F. Jenkinson £52 J.D. Edge & Sons Davenport Farming Ltd £18

**CHAROLAIS** SIMMENTAL (2 - AV.£174.00) (8 - AV.£96.88) £228 CE.&GŚ.Witter&Sons £218 G. Thomasson&Son £120 CE.&GS.Witter&Sons £210 J. Gould & Son

LIMOUSIN **BLONDE D'AQUITAINE x1** (9 - AV.£88.11) £85 Shortwood Dairy Ltd £132 JS.&HJ.Gleave OTH x 1 Mr V. McNaugher £42 David Davies £125

#### MARKET DRAYTON LIVESTOCK MARKET **CHRISTMAS MARKET**

Wednesday 30 November **Principal Sponsors** "Laurence Pierce (Wool Merchants) Ltd" "Fowler & Gilbert / Trent Fasteners" "Hales Sawmills Ltd"

- Over £3.000 In Cash Prizes and Awards
- 20 Silver Cups and Trophies
- NO STORE CATTLE on Show Day
- Prize Money & Awards for 16 Fat Cattle & Bull Classes
- Prize Money & Awards for 4 Prime Sheep Classes
- Prize Money & Awards for 2 Classes of Calves
- Prize Money & Awards for 2 Classes of Dairies

#### ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS MARKET **Monday 5 December**

**PIG SHOW & SALE** 

Prize Money & Awards for 5 Classes of Pigs.

#### **OVER THIRTY MONTH & BARREN COWS** Sale at our usual time of 4.30pm (Green Market)

- Highest Priced Suckler Barren Cow
- Highest Priced Dairy Barren Cow
- Highest Priced Clean Over Thirty Months
- Highest Priced Stock Bull



#### **GREEN MARKET - EVERY WEDNESDAY** FAT STOCK, STORE STOCK, DAIRIES & CALVES

450 to 750 Calves 8.30am - Auctioneers Ben Baggott & Jonty Cliffe

1,500 to 3,000 Lambs, Cull Ewes & Store Sheep 9.00am -**Auctioneer Mark Jones** 

40 to 50 Dairy Cattle 10.30am - Gwilym Richards & Jason Brown

120 to 250 Bulls & Clean Cattle 11am - Auctioneer Bernie Hutchinson

120 to 250 Store Cattle at 12.30pm - Auctioneer Ben Baggott.

#### **DEDICATED BARREN COW & OTM SALES**

Every Monday Evening at 4.30pm Monday 21 November / 5 & 19 December / 2, 16 & 23 January GREEN Market

#### Monday 28 November/12 December / 9 & 30 January **RED Market**

Alternate Green to Red Weekly 10 to 15 Buyers In Attendance All Grades, Weights & Nationality of Cattle Required Young Feeding Cows Required on Green Markets.

#### **ORANGE MARKETS**

Thursday 15 December / 26 January / 23 February Calves at 1.00pm & Stores at 3.30pm at Market Drayton Market.

#### **DAIRY YOUNGSTOCK SALES**

Monday 5 December / 6 February / 6 March at 10.30am at Market Drayton Market.

#### **PIG & WEANLING**

Fortnightly Sale Monday 5 & 19 December / Monday 2 & 16 January Pigs at 10.30am / Weanlings 11.30am.

#### STORE CATTLE SALES

Every Wednesday at 12.30pm Weekly Seasonal Entries 120 to 250 Per Week.

#### **BI-MONTHLY MACHINERY SALES**

Friday 20 January / 17 March at 10.30am Collective sale of Tractors, Machinery, Equipment and Sundries at Market Drayton Market.

#### **FOR SALE**

109 Bale Silage Contact 01630 685313/07563 979821.

2 Collinson 17 Tonne feed bins for sale at Northwich. Call Jonty 07595 453306.

6 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Stock Bulls (17 mths) All Sired by Quaker Hill Dead Centre, Very High EBV's.

Plus Flask, Fully Serviced (plus contents beef & dairy) Contact Jason 07774 816384.

> Bulk Tank 3500L Dari Kool Contact 01938 590015 (Oswestry Area).

3 x Hereford (Pedigree) Bulls 16 months/Home Reared/Whitchurch Area Contact 07773 767491.

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> Jack Russell Puppies (6 weeks Old) Hodnet Area/Contact 07866 991832.



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### **Natural Capital Seminar**

Thursday 1st December 6.30 pm

Market Drayton Livestock Market

Guest Speaker - Kate Russell from Tellus Natural Capital

Other speakers will include:

Paul Appleby from Applebys Dairy

Chris Talbot from Alltech E-CO2

All welcome - refreshments provided

Ring to book your place on 01630 692500



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## FOR SALE - The Old Crow at Woore Farmhouse, buildings and 6.6 Acres Guide £650,000



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