MARKET DRAYTON MARKET LTD

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

MONDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2022 171 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS & OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market) Auctioneer: Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

A few more forward and a larger show of plain and worked cows in the mix and these found a stronger trade throughout with very few cows under 100p. Light on export type cows and these certainly sold to a premium and more urgently wanted to meet interest.

Top calls on the night rang out to 216p or £1,645.92 for sucklers, 216p or £1,283.04 for clean, 187p or £1,410.56 for dairy and 184p or £1,780.66 for

bulls with an overall market average of 136p.

107 Dairies - Little bit more spark around the ring for all weights, grades and nationalities returning a top price of 187p (£1,058.42) for a young black and white from The Wild Family, Blythe Bridge. The Cotton Family, Gratwich saw 177p (£888.54) for a young feeder, Mr David Lea & Family, Westfields cow to 167p (£1,239.14), Montbeliarde from JH.& MR. Rushton & Sons, Kingstone sold to 165p (£1,168.20) and S.R. Lewis & Son, Eyton Montbeliarde sold to 156p (£1,104.48) and black and white to 150p (£1,068.00). PRF. & EA. Stone & Sons, Little Stoke cow to 154p (£988.68), Mr S.R. Nash, Leigh cow to 151p (£1,153.64) and Mr Charles Forrester, Northwood cow to 150p (£903.00). In the lump The Reading Family, Warrington cow returned at £1,410.56 to mention a few. The section average returned at 123p (£780.64).

44 Sucklers - On the night only a couple of export cows forward and these breeched the 200p mark with a Blue selling to 216p (£1,645.92) from AF.& DV. Shallcross, Tan House and The Jones Family, Llaneliden Limousin to 200p (£1,256.00). A regular Cheshire vendor saw 186p (£1,484.28) for a Saler, 178p (£1,302.96) for Simmental, 176p (£1,108.80) for a Hereford etc. Glyn Morris & Family, Tushingham Limousin to 181p (£959.30), Angus to 173p (£1,162.56) etc. The section average returned at 156p (£1,025.86).

6 Bulls - Cross bred dairy stock bull took pole at 184p (£1,177.60) from The Whitfield Family, Audley. Angus to 161p (£1,780.66) from Jonathan Jackson & Family, Longpools and 148p (£1,275.76) from Park House Dairy Ltd, Ashley. Welsh Black to 148p (£1,074.48) from AP.&AR. Jones, Arenig and Jersey bulls to 134p twice (£737.00 and £707.52) from Grafton Farms Ltd, Tilston. The overall average returned at 153p (£1,125.55).

14 Clean - Glyn Morris & Family, Tushingham topped both the steers and heifers with Limousins to 216p (£1,283.04) and 196p (£1,113.28) respectively. Native types saw Angus heifer to 194p (£1,156.24) from Mr Eric Callwood, Browns Bank. Black and white steers to 162p (£1,134.00) from The Evans Family, Llanelian.



- 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.

110 PIGS

Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791791356)

21 Cull Sows - Best sows good to sell at 60p to 70p topping at 86p and 85p from D.J. Shakeshaft & Son, Cold Hatton. Medium sows at 30p to 50p with boars still remaining hard to sell but all finding homes. Best heavy sows coming to over £200 topping at £239.20.

15 Fat Pigs - Demand outstripping supply today after the last sale with vendors not so keen to present pigs but those who did were well rewarded. A total one off I would imagine but fat pigs topped at 250p and averaging 170p/kg.

74 Store & Weaner Pigs - A bumper entry and a tail of two halves. Best quality stores at 31kg to 40kg made £70 and £60 from Mr T.W. Goldstraw, Kinsey Heath. Best of the weaners to £42 from Mr Jube Wickstead, Lilac House. In general weaner trade at £10 to £20 but very plain or cold types at £1 to £5.

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -

Monday 5 & 19 December/ 2 & 16 January, 10.30am (Christmas Pig Show & Sale Monday 5 December)
Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs
All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

309 WEANLINGS

Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791791356)

A nice handy entry of weanlings forward for our second sale in November. Trade good throughout especially for those well reared fleshy sorts. Cold and small for age cattle a little harder to place but mostly finding new homes at a price.

Only twenty-two bulls forward today topping at £550 and £500 for Limousin bull from Mr K. Van Straaten, Staylittle. In general best bulls at £380 to £450 with younger types at £330 to £360.

A super entry of steers forward this sale with the vast majority being 3 to 6 months of age with hardly any 7 to 8 month old ones. Best steers at £500 to £550 topping at £600 for a Hereford from RG.&EA.Cornes, School Lane. Those lovely young Blues at 3 to 4 months old sold at £420 to £480 topping at £500. Eighty-eight steers forward to average £441.

Heifers a very similar story to the steers with again mainly 3 to 6 month old ones on offer. Best heifers at £480 to £540 topping at £570 for Angus heifers from J.H. Lightfoot & Sons, Burton. Those 3 to

4 month old sorts trading at £380 to £420 looking well sort. calving cross-bred cows to £820. Just a few figures for food for thought - 118 Blue heifers averaged £438!! And all 185 heifers forward averaged months) and Angus bulls at £2,200 (18 months) and £436!!!

- NEXT WEANLING SALES -Monday 5 & 19 December/2 & 16 January, 11.30am * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

WEDNESDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2022 226 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

A nice entry of cattle on offer selling to a fast trade throughout for all weights and grades. Meated cattle as always were in strong demand and sold to a flying trade with the best to 304p for bulls, 318p for heifers and 283p for steers.

101 Bulls - More bulls on offer with some better quality and meat in the mix. Top price was 304p for a cracking Limousin bull weighing 644kgs to gross £1,957.76 from Mr Edward Evans, Lane Farm. The same man achieved top price in the lump of £1,970.76 (Limousin) 694kgs and further bulls £1,969.74 (Limousin) 706kgs and £1,958.40 (Limousin) 680kgs. Other notable prices as follows:- £1,935.68 (736kgs) Blonde Wells Farming Ltd, £1,851.66 (762kgs) British Blue Mr D.H. Bromilow, £1,850.36 (668kgs) Limousin J.E. Reynolds & Co, £1,845.08 (777kgs) Simmental D.& A. Warrington and £1,761.20 (740kgs) Shorthorn I. Holmes & Co. section average was returned at 231p or £1,472.6.

54 Steers - A good trade throughout with meated cattle a flyer and heavier cattle selling well with a few more further finishers trying to precure cattle with potentially more finish to be had. Top book was 283p for a Limousin steer weighting 556kgs to generate £1,573.48 for Maestruan Farming Ltd, Llanelidan. Top price in the lump was £1,850.08 for a Limousin steer weighing 746kgs from Mr Darren Young, Balterley. Other notable prices as follows:- £1,814.12 (682kgs) British Blue Mr G.L. Noden, £1,765.00 (706kgs) Limousin G.E. Wright & Son, £1,740.02 (722kgs) Saler H. Evans & Sons and £1,682.10 **244 STORE CATTLE** (630kgs) Simmental Mr G.L. Noden to mention a few. The Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791 791356) section average was returned at 236p or £1,452.38.

away to 318p for British Blue heifer weighing 534kgs to and more are needed to meet demand. gross £1,698.12 for Mr D.C. Smith, Wrexham. Top price in the lump was £1,915.80 for a Limousin heifer weighing 620kgs for Gwyn Jones & Partners, Kerry. Mr Chris Lovnton. Hatton came a close second with his heifer selling to 314p for a Limousin weighing 492kgs to generate £1,544.88. The section average was returned at 240p or £1,358.22.

63 DAIRY CATTLE

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

A much more selective trade than of late with the best milkers selling really well but the lesser quality and faulted ones being a lot more difficult to place.

The top price of £2,500 was for a calved heifer. Heifers over £2,000 included £2,400 Andrew Ball, today with better bred steers at £800 to £900 getting to Sandbach, £2,400 and £2,220 Wyndford Wagyu, Newport, £920 for eight month old Limousins from MG. & VE. £2,250 and £2,200 Will May, Bromsgrove, £2,200 Hankins Hudson, Little Bridgeford. Heys Farm, Nantwich, £2,120 David Monk, Ormskirk, £2,100 DH.KS.&JS. James, Magor.

Cows peaked at £2,300 for a third calver. David Monk sold a second calver for £2,150 and a fourth calver Steers for £2,000.

Dry cows sold to £1,420 and £1,400 and Spring Friesian

Stock bulls sold to £2,200 for a Simmental (19 £2,100 (19 months).

Averages:

Top 10 Heifers £2,229 39 Heifers £1,735 (all in) Top 4 Cows £2,063 8 Cows £1,735 (all in)

> **Annual Christmas Show & Sale** Wednesday 30 November

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



MONDAY 5 DECEMBER (10.30am) AT MARKET DRAYTON MARKET, TF9 3SW **260 DAIRY CATTLE**

DISPERSAL SALE OF THE MILKING HERD

120 HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN MILKERS

8,816L 4.04F 3.36P CC190 - CUBICLES ALL YEAR CALVING TO BEEF AND HF For Yareal Llanforda (Market Drayton) THE DECEMBER MONTHLY YOUNGSTOCK SALE

140 DAIRY YOUNGSTOCK

Entries so far include 15 pedigree HF bulling heifers from Freeford Farms, 82 crossbred in-calf heifers calving in February and 42 Autumn crossbred bulling heifers from one farm (North Wales Low TB). Further entries invited.

Great numbers forward this week boosted by good 71 Heifers - Some proper fed shapely heifers raced number of breeding stock. Trade very quick in all sections

> Cows and calves topped at £1,500 and £1,460 for Angus outfits from Messrs T.A.J. Campbell, Cheadle who also sold a great run of in-calf Angus heifers at mainly £900 to £1,000 topping at £1,060 on three occasions.

> A good number for Friesian steers forward attracting very brisk bidding with the best at £900 to £1,050 topping at £1,080 from Mr K. McBride, Astley Moss. Farming types sold well at £750 to £900 with cattle generally trading at 180p to 200p and averaging 186p/kg.

> Yarding cattle a dream to sell today topping at £1,405 for Angus steers from Mr K.F. Watson, Marton. All the best cattle at £1,100 to £1,300 and even the top end native heifers at £800 to £950 with a few best getting over £1,000. Trade mainly at 200p to 220p/kg today with only the very best 220p to 240p/kg.

Farming and younger cattle found some more go

NO STORE CATTLE NEXT WEEK (WEDNESDAY 30 NOVEMBER) CHRISTMAS SHOW & SALE WEEK!!

Breed Weight Vendor Price £1,080.00 Mr K. McBride 576kg

Friesian	£1,050.00	530kg	NS&BAI.Bonell&Sor
Friesian	£955.00	491kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
Friesian	£930.00	471kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
Friesian	£730.00	395kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
Blonde	£905.00	415kg	Mr N. Stubbs
Blonde	£705.00	356kg	Mr David J. Haynes
British Blue	£1,230.00	602kg	Mr K.F. Watson
British Blue	£1,195.00	567kg	Mr G.A. Hughes
British Blue	£895.00	445kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
British Blue	£825.00	410kg	Mr N. Stubbs
Shorthorn	£470.00	305kg	Marchwood Farming
Angus	£1,405.00	630kg	Mr K.F. Watson
Nor Red	£955.00	491kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
Nor Red	£930.00	471kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
Hereford	£1,245.00	559kg	Muir Farming Ltd
Hereford	£1,025.00	524kg	A. & K. Thompson
Hereford	£960.00	490kg	Vincent J. Powell
Hereford	£900.00	417kg	TO. &GO. Lewis
Hereford	£795.00	408kg	<pre>IG.&TM. Beckett</pre>
Charolais	£500.00	286kg	Mr E. Roberts
Simmental	£1,165.00	540kg	Mr G.A. Hughes
Simmental	£900.00	440kg	Mr V.J. Powell
Simmental	£740.00	328kg	Mr G.E. Whitfield
Limousin	£920.00	400kg	MG.&VE. Hudson
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Limousin	£870.00	352kg	MG.&VG. Hudson
Limousin	£855.00	443kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Sor
<u>Heifers</u>			

Price	Weight	Vendor
£725.00	382kg	Mr N. Stubbs
£1,050.00	492kg	A. & K. Thompson
£990.00	464kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Son
£675.00	400kg	GS.&A. Sheard
£1,085.00	490kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Son
£1,025.00	525kg	Norton Hall Fms Ltd
£785.00	432kg	IG.&TM. Beckett
£715.00	350kg	Mr Alex Peak
£600.00	365kg	Beaman Saddlery
£760.00	330kg	Mr G.E. Whitfield
£735.00	325kg	Mr G.E. Whitfield
£480.00	294kg	Mr E. Roberts
£735.00	325kg	Mr G.E. Whitfield
£700.00	344kg	Mr Alex Peak
£1,100.00	439kg	Mr G.E. Morris
£1,085.00	490kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Son
£770.00	394kg	AG.&H.Barnett&Son
£770.00	375kg	MG.&VE. Hudson
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1.088 PRIME LAMBS

Auctioneer: Mark Jones (07813 625787)

A small show on offer selling to a very pleasing trade throughout to return an overall market average of 247p.

Lights sold to 253p for 29kgs to return £73.37 for Mr G.H. Beeby, Woolstanwood.

Standards hit 269p for 38kgs to return £102.22 for R. Brown & Sons, Church Lane. Mrs J.A. Fox, Barthomley achieved 260p for 39kgs to realise £101.40.

Mediums hit 314p for 43kgs to return £135.02 for Mr C.R. Swinnerton, Doley Manor. Others as follows :-£130.07 (43.5kgs) Mr C.R. Swinnerton, £130.06 (43.5kgs) Lipley Beltex, £124.23 (41kgs) R. Swift & Sons, £120.40 (43kgs) L.T. Farm Account, £119.72 (41kgs) R. Swift & Sons.

Heavies sold to 278p for 51kgs to return £141.78 for Mr L.P. Atkin, Whitgreave. Top price in the lump was £147.20 for 64kgs for R.W. Richards & Son, Hafod. More lambs wanted next week please for our Christmas Show & Sale!

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Premium	189	278p
Prime	740	249p
Others	159	210p

Lambs Graded :- Lights to 253p (£74.71) average 221p (£65.36). Standards to 269p (£102.22) average 241p (£86.43). Mediums to 314p (£135.02) average 253p (£106.57). Heavies to 278p (£147.20) average 232p (£122.60).

308 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Less ewes sold to a much faster trade topping at £220.00 for Texel ewes from R. & J. Plant, Keele. 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 £74.26 which includes a large proportion of small plain ewes.

81 STORE LAMBS

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Store lambs sold to £71.00 for Texel Cross lambs for Mr J. Sutton, Newport.

622 REARING CALVES

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

An excellent entry and its been great to see a better trade and a bit more optimism around the ring. Demand has been very strong for the top tier and once again selective for the second tier. There continues to be a very fine line between the two tiers as well.

On to the section round ups, a mixed show of Friesians with quality in short supply. Top price was £130 for E.A. Johnson & Sons, Chester. Best types at £70 to £110 and mediums and smalls £25 to £50.

The native bulls have been good to sell with several buyers after calves around the £120 to £180 mark. Top call went to Angus from G. Green & Son, Lach Dennis at £200. Best bulls at £150 to £180, mediums at £80 to £130 and smalls at £40 to £70.

Next the Continental bulls which were a fantastic trade with the top end very dear, a gap to the mediums and smalls but they have been better to sell than recent weeks. Top call went to a super Blue from Baddiley Hulse Ltd, Baddiley at £390. Best at £250 to £320 and mediums at £150 to £230, smalls at £80 to £140.

The native heifers have been a pleasing trade but short on best types. Sandbach YFC members have danced their way to the top spots by producing box ticking calves, they'll be hoping it's not the only top spot they take this week! Herefords from Tom Oulton sold for £148 and Angus

from birthday boy Tom Whittaker at £145! Best types £80 to £120, mediums £50 to £70 and smalls £25 to £40.

The Continental heifers have been the trade of the day with several seasonal buyers about today lifting the trade. Top price went to a Blue at £315 for PC. & SG. Thelwell, Nantwich and Limousins to £268 for ME. & RA. Sadler, Chester. Best heifers at £180 to £250, mediums £110 to £160, smalls £50 to £100.

Next week we have our Christmas Market which includes prizes for the top price bull and heifer calf under 42 days old. Enquiries to Jonty or Ben.

BULL CALVES

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN
(84 - AV.£47.27)
£130 E.A. Johnson & Sons
£128 RW.&JI. Faulkner

ABERDEEN ANGUS (69 - AV.£71.25) £200 G. Green & Son £198 Baddiley Hulse Ltd

OTH (5 - AV.£42.20)

£60 Phil Callwood & Ptns £48 Cholmondeley Farms

MONTBELIARDE (9 - AV.£74.44) £118 V. Williams

£118 V. Williamson & Sons £100 V. Williamson & Sons

SIMMENTAL (39 - AV.£126.85) £245 RD.&A. Roe & Son £230 Mr S.R. Nash

AYRSHIRE x 1 £30 A. & J. Norbury&Sons CHAROLAIS x 1 £250 CE&GS.Witter&Sons

HEIFER CALVES

HEREFORD

BRITISH BLUE (113 - AV.£112.21) £315 PC.&SG. Thelwell £275 TS.&AW. Hartley

(26 - AV.£58.12) £148 Mr J.E. Oulton £145 AW.&L. Hollinshead

LIMOUSIN (6 - AV.£155.50) £268 ME.&RA. Sadler £185 Mr E.A. Johnson BRITISH BLUE (123 - AV.£170.98)

£390 Baddiley Hulse Ltd £370GA.Hargreaves&Sons

NORWEGIAN RED (2 - AV.£47.00)

£62 Cholmondeley Fms £32 HR.SL.&OD.Bonell

HEREFORD (34 - AV.£83.97)

£190 J.R. Ward & Sons £180 P. & F. Jenkinson

STABILISER (2 - AV.£47.50)

£60 J.D. Edge & Sons £35 J.D. Edge & Sons

LIMOUSIN (5 - AV.£127.00) £185 Mr S.R. Nash £155 G. Ward Farms

SUSSEX x 1 £78 AW.&L.Hollinshead

ABERDEEN ANGUS (67 - AV.£46.18) £145 Mr F. Whittaker

£135 Mr F. Whittaker

SIMMENTAL (27 - AV.£96.70)

£198 F. & R. Brassington £192 RJ.&DJ. Clement

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MARKET DRAYTON LIVESTOCK MARKET PIG SHOW & SALE

Monday 5 December, 10.30am
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

DEDICATED BARREN COW & OTM SALES

Every Monday Evening at 4.30pm Monday 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
es Weights & Nationality of Cattle Require

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.

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Chris Talbot from Alltech E-CO2

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