

MARKET DRAYTON MARKET LTD

Market Drayton Livestock Market report the following trade:-

Polite Notice

Please can all Fat Cattle & Bull vendors ensure that a Declaration Form has been signed and completed in accordance with legal legislation to ensure no queries or problems at the abattoir when slaughtered.

MONDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2023

184 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS & OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market)

Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Trade seems to be keeping finding cattle and what a trade to report drawing cows from seven different counties. Big thank you to all our vendors and buyers for their continued support. Green market certainly helps to add value to young and plain cows and please be mindful which market to sell on. Cracking line up of end users, exporters and further finishers creating some very spirited bidding resulting in a real joy to sell. Credit where its due a different line up of cows this week with more power and colour in the ranks which certainly enhanced the averages.

Leading lights shone brightly to 279p or £2,276.82 for overage clean, 250p or £2,172.42 for sucklers, 209p or £1,918.96 for bulls and 206p or £1,610.70 for dairy. The overall market average returned at 180p!!!!

115 Dairy - Tremendous run of cows forward and a good number for the time of year and all easily absorbed on a flying trade. Young black and whites raced away to 206p x 2 (£1,248.36 and £1,100.04) for new vendor from the Powys Valley The Williams Family and further cattle to 195p (£1,610.70), 194p (£966.12), 193p (£1,439.78), 190p (£1,242.60), 189p x 2 (£1,319.22 and £1,349.46), 188p (£1,342.32) etc. J. Lomax & Son, Baldwins Gate saw 200p (£1,148.00) & 170p (£1,033.60) and Willis Dairy Farmers Ltd, Cholmondeley cows to 191p (£916.80), 178p (£747.60) etc. Distant traveller Mr Andrew Morris saw 191p (£1,126.90), 187p (£1,312.74), 186p (£1,294.56), 176p (£996.16) etc, T.A. Dobson & Son, Bickley cow to 188p (£1,519.04) etc and RJB Farming Ltd, Bolesworth Hill cow to 186p (£1,372.68) etc to mention a few. The section average returned at 167p (£1,064.03).

41 Sucklers - Export night certainly found some corks with a run of Limousins from The Jones Family, Montgomery to 250p (£1,715.00), 243p (£2,172.42), 240p (£1,776.00), 239p (£1,567.84), 238p (£1,785.00) and 229p (£1,639.64). The Jones Family, Cwmtirymnach Charolais to 240p (£1,689.60) and 221p (£1,882.92), Mr Brian Taylor & Family, Scholar Green Limousin to 240p (£1,857.60), Mr R.S. Whitley, Spon Green Limousins to 225p x twice (£2,128.50 and

£1,503.00) to mention a few. The section average returned at 206p (£1,420.92).

7 Bulls - Black and whites sold to 209p (£1,203.84) from RJB Farming Ltd, Bolesworth Hill and 196p (£1,179.92), M. & J.C. Gould Ltd, Bomere Heath bull grossed £1,918.96 again for black and white. Blue to 198p (£1,425.60) from Mr Anthony Mitchell, Perryhill Limousin to 193p (£1,482.24) from Mr Tim Madeley, Pulverbatch, Angus to 166p (£1,666.64) from HK.&SB. Bennett, Woodseaves and Longhorn to 152p (£939.36) from Mr D.A. Morris, Wrinehill. The section average returned at 180p (£1,402.33).

21 Clean - Overage Limousin heifers to 279p (£2,008.80) from The Jones Family, Montgomery and 273p (£2,276.82). AT.&EA. Edwards, Llangadfan Limousins to 278p (£1,517.88), 272p (£1,414.40), and 252p (£1,446.48). Younger dairy breeds saw Brown Swiss heifer to 224p (£1,402.86) from The Darlington Family, Chapel Chorlton and Bloor Farmers, Pipe Gate Norwegian Red to 217p (£1,328.04). Steers sold to 228p (£1,554.96) for Simmental from Mr Anthony Mitchell, Whitgreave to mention a few.

- NEXT RED MARKETS -

Monday 13 & 27 February / 13 & 27 March 4.30pm

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

183 PIGS

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

25 Cull Sows - A great show of sows and trade very good. Sows well bid for by six different buyers. Best sows at 60p to 70p topping at 88p and 86p. Medium sorts at 50p to 60p and boars still very hard work indeed.

101 Fat Pigs - Trade very sharp and they got dearer and dearer as the sale went on. Best at 140p to 160p/kg topping at 188p with good quality mediums at 110p to 130p/kg with only lean or poor bred sorts 50p to 80p/kg but look at the healthy averages.

	Av.	Top	Top
80-100kg	129p	188p	£172.96
101+kg	127p	174p	£186.18
Sows	60.4p	88p	£236.72

57 Store & Weaners - A large crowd gathered for the end of an era today at Market Drayton as we wished Jube Wickstead of Lilac House Farm a happy retirement and disposal of his herd. In pig sows topped at £330 and generally sold from £120 to £180 with a lovely sow and litter from Jube at £300.

Other stores topped at £72 from Mr Terry Goldstraw, Kinsey Heath at 41kg white weaners generally trading at £20 to £25 topping at £28.



A big thank you to Jube for his support over many, many years and I wish him all the best.

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -

**Monday 20 February/6 & 20 March, 10.30am
Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs
All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.**

376 WEANLINGS

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

A fantastic entry forward and what a show of quality we have had, with well-shaped and well-presented cattle being in extremely high demand, attracting brisk bidding throughout. At the other end of the scale plain and small weanlings are still seeing limited interest. Only around 100 cattle at 7 to 10 month olds but they attracted a lot of interest if well grown.

Top call in the bulls was £655 for Blues from W.&P. Benbow & Sons, Fauls. Steers sold to £740 for Angus from B.&B. Farming, Marston and heifers sold to £675 for J.W. Cotton & Son, Gratwich. Best types £550 to £750, mediums £450 to £525.

250 weanlings in the 3 to 6 month old bracket and we saw a range of spec. The strongest 5 to 6 month old types were dominated with excellent cattle from Mr D.J. Colclough and Muir Farming Ltd and what a phenomenal trade they had. Six month old Charolais steers sold to £720 and Blues of the same age sold to £675.

The heifers from the same homes were even dearer at £645 for Blues and £640 for Charolais. Well-fed bulls very good to sell at £570 for C. Daniels, Ellesmere Port. Best types £450 to £700, mediums £300 to £400. **The next sale is Monday 20 February, please get your entries in to Ben or Jonty to ensure that we can advertise them in advance!**

Bulls

Breed	Age	Price	Vendor
British Blue	10m	£655	W.P. Benbow & Sons
Limousin	6m	£570	Mr C. Daniels
Montbeliarde	6m	£470	Benbow Bros
Danish Red	8m	£445	GS. & A. Sheard

Steers

Breed	Age	Price	Vendor
Angus	10m	£740	B.&B. Farming
Charolais	5m	£720	Mr D.J. Colclough
British Blue	6m	£675	Mr D.J. Colclough
Charolais	6m	£660	Mr J. Stanier

Heifers

Breed	Age	Price	Vendor
British Blue	6m	£645	Mr D.J. Colclough
British Blue	6m	£600	Muir Farming Ltd
Charolais	5m	£640	Mr D.J. Colclough
Hereford	10m	£585	J.W. Cotton & Son

MONTHLY YOUNGSTOCK

Auctioneers: Jason Brown (07774 816384) & Jonty Cliffe (07595 453306)

The February entry consisted of all crossbred grazing heifers. The main consignment came from C.& C. Martin, Exton who had dispersed their high health status herd last year. This consignment consisted of 34 heifers, mostly sired by the Jersey sire Jolt, all due March to May to Aberdeen Angus.

They had been outwintered but farmed to a high standard, particular attention had been paid whilst selecting sires to give thought to udders, legs, feet and body depth.

Buyers were impressed with the quality and consistency of the consignment and they were a credit to the owners.

Bidding was enthusiastic from start-to-finish, resulting in a top price of £1,180 for a March calving, Jersey cross heifer, sixteen making over £1,000 and only three at £750/£780. This was the best trade seen for crossbred grazing heifers for sometime. **The next sale is Monday 6 March at 2pm (New Start Time).**

WEDNESDAY 8 FEBRUARY 2023

175 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS

Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Boom, Boom, Boom - where is this cattle trade heading!?! Trade has been super sonic and dare I say it many more could have been sold to vendors advantage with demand totally outstripping supply. Please, please, please while this trade remains can you afford not to sell them on their legs at Market Drayton Market? Trade electric for all weights and grades with the only caveat being buyers require a loin in their cattle, however, this said, plainer and lighter types easily mopped up by our further AFU finishers.

Top of the shop today returned at 312p or £2,013.66 for heifers, 311p or £2,054.18 for bulls and 310p or £2,142.00 for steers.

80 Bulls - Trade keeps going forward with some real momentum seeing prices surpass 300p more than once. More bulls needed please to meet increasing buyer demand. Supers peaked at 311p (£1,984.18) for Limousin from distant traveller Mr Richard Taylor, Park Lane and further bulls to 309p (£1,724.22), 305p twice (£1,744.60 and £1,695.80), 296p (£1,805.60), 297p (£1,639.44), 292p (£1,681.92) etc. The Heath Family, Pipe Gate Limousins to 302p (£1,648.92) and 294p (£1,505.28). Mr Ian Morris & Family, Stottesdon Limousin to 294p (£1,811.04) etc. Mr Bob Holmes, High Offley saw 290p (£1,757.40) for Limousin and 288p (£1,912.32). In the lump Julian Corfield of Corfield & Aston Blues returned £2,054.18 and £2,022.10 to mention a few. Natives saw Herefords to 287p (£1,624.42) from Mr Richard Taylor, Abram. Drayton specials saw black and whites to 267p (£1,559.28) from again Mr Richard Taylor. The section average returned 245p (£1,494.00).

32 Steers - Only thing this week disappointing would be the number forward especially when you contrast it with the trade. Highlight would be a corking Limousin selling to 310p (£1,683.30) from The Roberts Bros, Aberystwyth and to 295p (£1,772.95). Closer to home a regular Cheshire vendor sold Limousins to 306p (£1,621.80) and 260p (£1,435.20) for a Murray Grey. Mr Darren Young, Young Farms Limousin to 300p (£2,142.00) and Mr Brian Owen, Market Drayton brace of Blues to 291p (£1,967.16) and 288p (£1,774.08). Natives saw Angus to 282p (£1,629.96)

from Maestruan Farm Ltd, Llanelidan. The section average returned at 264p (£1,487.10).

63 Heifers - Humble number forward and more required next week please. Super star quality sold to 312p (£1,822.08) for Limousin from The Siddorn Family, Tattenhall and further heifer to 308p (£1,737.12). Roberts Bros, Aberystwyth Blues to 310p (£1,770.10) and 300p (£1,686.00). Martin Edwards & Family, Morton Limousins to 309p (£1,470.84), 306p twice (£1,517.76 and £1,505.52). Regular Cheshire vendor Limousin to 306p (£1,285.20). In the lump Mr Darren Young, Young Farm Limousin heifer realised £2,013.66. Native breeds sold to 302p (£1,588.52) for Angus from Maestruan Farm Ltd, Llanelidan. The section average returned at 257p (£1,633.44).

51 DAIRY CATTLE

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

£3,400 & £3,350 STEAMING HOT DAIRIES

It may have been cold outside but the trade was steaming hot in the Drayton dairy ring today.

Mr G.J. Sutton, Astbury averaged £3,100 for their best three heifers selling to £3,400 and £3,350.

Duncan Blood (Hankins Heys Farm) Nantwich also broke the £3,000 ceiling with their heifer selling at £3,030.

Messrs M. Weaver, Stafford was close behind at £2,900 for a Brown Swiss heifer.

Jeremy Platt (Lachstone Farms) Northwich averaged £2,426 for five heifers selling to £2,680, £2,580, £2,550 and £2,420.

Others over £2,000 included £2,320 Skinner Bros, Melton Mowbray, £2,300, £2,200 M. Weaver (Brown Swiss), £2,080 O.C. Whittaker, Tabley, GM. & JA. Williams, Whitchurch £2,060, £2,030 (second calver) Mr G.J. Sutton £2,000.

An Ayrshire calved heifer made £1,820 and Montbeliarde in-calf heifers sold to £1,520.

Stock bulls sold to £2,400 (Limousin 43 months), 3 £2,200 (Hereford 35 months), £2,100 (Brown Swiss 23 months) and £1,500 (Simmental 12 months).

Averages:

Top 10 Heifers £2,780
39 Heifers (all in) £2,008
5 Cows (all in) £1,806

Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club – Wednesday 15 February.

248 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

Trade was good last week but this weeks its serious!! A ring full of hungry buyers fighting hard for your cattle. Please if you have some to sell get them tested!!

Good to see some feeding bulls forward topping at £1,000 for Simmental from Mr J.W. Gosmore, Tattenhall and from Mr R. Wilson, Hollington at £880 and £700 being eight to ten months and a Friesian getting away well at £565 from R.W. Longton & Son, Hatton at ten months.

Another good entry of Friesian steers topped at £1,155 from N.G. Annandale & Son, Hinstock with the best at £900 to £1,100. Farming sorts £750 to £850 and younger ones around that £500 mark. Trade mainly at 200p to 220p/kg topping at 227p and averaging 211p.

Yarding cattle again on fire with the best getting dearer and dearer at £1,200 to £1,400 topping at £1,600 on four occasions for Blues from Mr K.F. Watson, Marton. 260p to 280p/kg achievable for the better end and more could be sold.

Cattle suitable to go straight out and graze a

unbelievable trade! £700 to £800 a regular call for outlying cattle at 250kg to 350kg.

All Steers Averaged 250p/kg

All Heifers Averaged 241p/kg

Plenty of demand, plenty of trade - all store enquiries to Ben 07791 791356.

Steers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1,155.00	530kg	NG. Annandale&Son
Friesian	£1,025.00	465kg	NG. Annandale&Son
Friesian	£990.00	436kg	Mr I.C. Edwards
Friesian	£915.00	406kg	Mr I.C. Edwards
Friesian	£800.00	412kg	Mr Mark Latham
Blonde	£1,030.00	388kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
British Blue	£1,600.00	640kg	Mr K.F. Watson
British Blue	£1,460.00	552kg	DJ. & E. Moss & Sons
British Blue	£1,305.00	434kg	OM&JR. Whittingham
British Blue	£1,155.00	378kg	OM&JR. Whittingham
British Blue	£1,110.00	452kg	NG. Annandale&Son
Angus	£1,365.00	544kg	Mr C.H. Forrester
Angus	£1,300.00	525kg	Cope Prees Ltd
Angus	£1,140.00	431kg	JM. & JK. Cliffe&Son
Angus	£1,080.00	425kg	Mr M.W. Whalley
Angus	£915.00	340kg	Betley Court Fm Ptn
Angus	£630.00	266kg	D. & A. Holt
Saler	£1,030.00	388kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Fleckvieh	£1,485.00	602kg	DJ. & E. Moss&Sons
Fleckvieh	£1,455.00	573kg	H. Kelsall & Son
Fleckvieh	£620.00	286kg	Mr R. Wilson
Hereford	£1,130.00	458kg	Norton Hall Farms
Hereford	£480.00	220kg	Mr M.A. Nicholls
Montbeliarde	£920.00	404kg	Mr L.P. Atkin
Charolais	£1,395.00	500kg	Norton Hall Farms
Simmental	£1,490.00	538kg	H. Kelsall & Son
Simmental	£1,275.00	452kg	Mr C.H. Forrester
Simmental	£725.00	257kg	Mr R.M. Nicholls
Limousin	£1,440.00	524kg	Mr R. Wilson
Limousin	£1,285.00	484kg	PA. & JA. Adams
Limousin	£1,210.00	470kg	Mr M.J. Farnell
Limousin	£1,030.00	388kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Limousin	£980.00	400kg	C.F. Matthews&Son

Heifers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
British Blue	£1,380.00	564kg	Mr D. Norbury
British Blue	£1,345.00	547kg	Mr Robert Hares
British Blue	£1,185.00	501kg	Mr Robert Hares
British Blue	£1,040.00	417kg	NG. Annandale&Son
British Blue	£895.00	359kg	CF. Matthews & Son
British Blue	£895.00	358kg	Mr C.J. Nash
Angus	£1,295.00	510kg	Mr C.H. Forrester
Angus	£1,180.00	468kg	Cope Prees Ltd
Angus	£580.00	315kg	Mr R. Lane
Angus	£550.00	281kg	Betley Court Fm P.
Fleckvieh	£1,080.00	437kg	Mr R. Wilson
Baz	£1,410.00	510kg	Mr C.H. Forrester
Baz	£1,300.00	468kg	Mr C.H. Forrester
Hereford	£1,400.00	590kg	Norton Hall Farms Ltd
Hereford	£1,070.00	476kg	Betley Court Farm P.
Hereford	£1,050.00	480kg	Mr D.A. Burgess
Charolais	£1,385.00	500kg	Mrs V.E. Lloyd
Charolais	£1,370.00	503kg	Mrs V.E. Lloyd
Charolais	£1,285.00	500kg	Mrs V.E. Lloyd
Charolais	£750.00	325kg	R. Foxley & Sons
Simmental	£600.00	302kg	R. Foxley & Sons
Limousin	£1,330.00	492kg	PA. & JA. Adams
Limousin	£1,270.00	468kg	Jones Bros.
Limousin	£1,260.00	444kg	Mr R. Wilson

Limousin	£980.00	396kg	Mr Alex Peak
Limousin	£870.00	345kg	Mr R. Wilson

2,098 HOGGETS

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

More hogs forward with a good show in terms of quality selling on a fantastic trade from start to finish to return an overall market average of 248p.

Lights raced away to 273p for 31kgs to gross £84.63 for B. Lawton & Son, Weston Jones.

Standards hit 321p for 37kgs to gross £118.77 for B. Lawton & Son, Weston Jones who also achieved top price in the lump of £119.51.

Mediums sold to 320p for 42.5kgs to return £136.00 for B. Lawton & Son, Weston Jones. Others notable prices:- 45.5kgs (311p) £141.51 D.&JM. Williams, 43.8kgs (307p) £134.47 D.&JM. Williams, 40kgs (303p) £121.20 D.&JM. Williams, 41kgs (298p) £122.18 WL.&JA. Forrester.

Heavies sold 295p for 48kgs to gross £141.60 for D.&JM. Williams, Basford. Coming a close second was Brighthouse Farms Ltd, Marthall with their 67kgs realising £134.00. The vast majority of heavies traded between 230p and 240p or £112 to £125. More required next week please.

	Sold	Av.
Premium	301	292p
Prime	1,457	244p
Others	340	209p

Lambs Graded :- Lights to 273p (£84.63) average 209p (£61.54). Standards to 321p (£119.51) average 248p (£90.29). Mediums to 320p (£141.51) average 254p (£107.72). Heavies to 295p (£141.60) average 232p (£114.78).



238 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Less ewes forward selling to a flyer with the best to £189.00 for Texel ewes from Mr C.E. Leese, Horsley. Light ewes traded from £18 to £40, plain ewes £45 to £65, cutting ewes £70 to £90 and heavy ewes £95 to £120. An overall average was returned at £93.76.

110 STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

In lamb ewes sold to £142.00 for Suffolk ewes from Mr D.P. Crow, Wappenshall.

Special Entry For Wednesday 15 February
10 x Texel X (2/3 Year Olds) Ewes with Beltex X
Lambs at Foot.

505 REARING CALVES

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

A few more forward this week and another superb show of quality rearing calves, we also had the first of the early spring block calves which will only multiply every week going forward. If you are after Herefords and Angus our numbers are going to begin to increase two-fold. Trade picked up where it left off last week with clear signs of

growing confidence around the ring for the well-shaped and well-presented calves. Lets hope the trade holds in the fat and store cattle rings so that it continues to filter into the calf section.

On to the section round ups, another strong trade for the Friesians but not too many to go at. Top price was £135 for J.&B. Berrisford & Son, Nantwich. Best types at £70 to £120 and mediums and smalls £30 to £60. The native bulls have been an excellent trade with all grades in strong demand which hasn't been the case in recent months. The Herefords topped at £262 for GC. & RE. Durose, Leigh and Angus at £218 from JN. & LP. Bate & Co, Northwich. Best bulls at £170 to £230, mediums at £120 to £160 and smalls at £60 to £90.

Next the Continental bulls which have been a good trade especially for the mediums and smalls. Top call was a Blue bull from Moreton Wood Farm Ltd, Calverhall at £330. Best at £260 to £310 and mediums at £200 to £250, smalls at £80 to £180.

The native heifers have been a delight to sell with several seasonal buyers helping the trade. Best £100 to £140, mediums £60 to £90 and smalls £30 to £50. Top price went to a Hereford at £212 from MP Mason, Wolverhampton.

The Continental heifers picked up where they left off last week with an abundance of buyers after best and medium types. Top call going to a Blue from PC. & SG. Thelwell, Nantwich at £315. Best types £200 to £260, mediums £140 to £180, smalls £80 to £130. Enquiries to Jonty or Ben.

BULL CALVES

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN

(55 - AV.£58.18)
£135 J.&B.Berrisford&Son
£120 Fitton Farms Ltd

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(68 - AV.£119.07)
£218 JN.&LP.Bate & Co.
£210 RD.&A. Roe & Son

HEREFORD

(13 - AV.£143.72)
£262 GC.&RE. Durose
£258 Mr M.P. Mason

SIMMENTAL

(8 - AV.£235.50)
£305 Mr G.J. Underwood
£292 Mr G.J. Underwood

CHAROLAIS x 1

£255 J.&AJ. Weatherby

HEIFER CALVES

BRITISH BLUE

(114 - AV.£160.11)
£315 PC.&SG. Thelwell
£290 A.C.Hocknell&Sons

HEREFORD

(27 - AV.£85.70)
£212 Mr M.P. Mason
£180 GC.&RE.Durose

SIMMENTAL

(14 - AV.£195.71)
£250 RD.&A.Roe & Son
£230 Mr G.J. Underwood

BLONDE D'AQUITAINE x 1
£85 Shortwood Dairy Ltd

BRITISH BLUE

(107 - AV.£181.65)
£330 Moreton Wood Fm Ltd
£312 Lees Dairy Farms

OTH

(5 - AV.£49.80)
£60 C. Royle & Son
£48 C. Royle & Son

MONTBELIARDE

(5 - AV.£75.00)
£128 V. Williamson & Sons
£90 V. Williamson & Sons

BLONDE D'AQUITAINE x 1
£208 Shortwood Dairy Ltd

LIMOUSIN x 1

£280 Newsholme&Bradley

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(70 - AV.£63.89)
£175 DRK Agriculture
£150 P.&R. Robinson

CHAROLAIS

(8 - AV.£234.75)
£295 D.&HE.Colclough
£270 CE.&GS.Witter&Sons

LIMOUSIN

(5 - AV.£153.40)
£230 ME.&RA. Saler
£152 T.G. Cambridge

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN £28
DANISH RED £24



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Natural Capital Seminar hailed as a great success!

At the beginning of December we held our first Natural Capital/Carbon Footprint seminar.

We were delighted to welcome 70 local farmers who enjoyed talks from

Kate Russell (Tellus Natural Capital),
Paul Appleby (Applebys Dairy) and
Chris Talbot (Alltech E-CO2).

For more information on the next seminar watch this space!

**If you can't wait to find out more
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for your farming business,
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Basic Payment Scheme - What we know so far

Application window opens mid-March with a deadline of 15 May 2023

Payments being further reduced this year

2023 likely to be the final year of submissions for land area and cropping

Payments will be de-linked (separating payments from land or farming activities in 2024)

All subsidy payments expected to finish in 2027

De-linked payments based on reference years 2020-2022

Important to keep RPA maps updated for both BPS and environmental schemes

Sustainable Farming Incentive, Mid-Tier Stewardship and other capital grants remain open

Your Expert Advisory Team

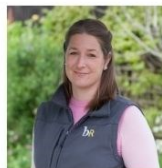
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