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MONDAY 20 MARCH 2023 193 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS &

OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market) Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Magical night with a fantastic number forward and a record breaking trade! Huge vote of thanks to all our vendors and buyers for their continued support. Trade was electric from the first bull to the last cow seeing a black and white nearly grossing £2,000 returning at £1,891.50!!! Demand was prevalent for all weights, grades and nationalities and while this trade remains can you afford not to sell them on their legs?!!?

Leading lights shone extremely brightly to 262p or £1,891.64 for clean, 262p or £1,891.64 for clean, 262p or £2,965.84 for bulls, 249p or £2,116.50 for sucklers and 230p or £1,891.50 for dairy. The overall market average returned at 185p.

120 Dairy - Tremendous entry representing the good, bad and ugly but all finding a buoyant trade. Young black and white regular breaking 200p topping at 230p (£1,347.80) from SH.&JE. Dennison Ltd, Chirbury and 214p (£1,309.68), 210p (£1,037.40), 208p (£1,168.96) etc. W.G. Brown & Sons Ltd, Admaston heifer to 216p (£980.64), Mick Gould & Family, Bomere Heath with the last two cows in the ring saw their black and whites to 214p (£1,523.68) and 195p (£1,891.50), R. Cooper & Son, Church Lawton cow to 203p (£1,506.26), distant travellers Mr Jonathan Jeyes, Lawford Heath cow to 199p (£1,568.12) etc and Mr Peter Hemmings, Lawford Heath cow to 195p (£1,341.60) etc and Jonathan Jackson & Family, Longpools cow to 195p (£1,337.70) etc and The Brassington Family, Endon cow to 194p (£1,381.28) to mention a few. The section average returned at 174p (£1,089.56).

34 Sucklers - Export night certainly drew some wonderful cows seeing Limousins selling to 249p (£2,116.50) from Mr Richard Shore & Family, Churton. Paul & Christine Tippetts, Shifnal saw their trio of Simmentals sell to 243p (£1,803.06), 234p x 2 (£1,914.12 and £1,755.00). Distant travellers Mr Emyr Roberts & Family, Llanfihangel saw Limousins to 228p (£1,463.76), 226p x 2 (£1,441.88 and £1,310.80). In the lump Mr Darren Young, Balterley Charolais returned



£1,857.12 and Limousin to £1,579.60 to mention a few. Natives to 200p (£1,140.00) for a Longhorn from The Tams Family, Yarlet. The section average returned at 202p (£1,303.26).

10 Bulls - Record top price in the lump of £2,965.84 for 59 months Limousin weighing 1,132 kilos at 262p from The Holdcroft Family, Sandbach. Simmentals to (£1,651.20) from 240p CE.&H. Hanselman, New Woodhouses, Longhorns to 200p (£1,436.00) from The Tams Family, Yarlet, Angus to Forrester, (£1,876.00) Charles 200p from Mr Mr Darren Young, Balterley to 200p Northwood, (£2,048.00), Piedmontese to 196p (£1,626.80) from Mr S.M. Rigby, Acton Bridge and Stabiliser to 190p (£2,226.80) from The Evans Family, Bettws to mention The section average returned at 206p a few. (£1,677.44).

29 Clean - Steers took pole position at 262p (£1,891.64) for a Blue Cross from Mr Phil Tushingham & Family, Clotton and their Angus to 249p (£1,842.60). The Tushingham Family topped the heifers with a Angus to 250p (£1,765.00) and close behind TO.& GO. Lewis, Peny-Bryn with Hereford to 247p (£1,496.82) to mention a few.

- NEXT RED MARKETS -

Monday 27 March / 24 April 4.30pm For all cattle including T.B. restricted holdings with a movement licence from Animal Health.

142 PIGS

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

12 Cull Sows - A reduced entry but trade very good. Best sows at 70p to 80p topping at 90p with no sows under 66p today. In general sows trading around that £150 mark today.

111 Fat Pigs - Fat trade booming today with quality and plenty and buyers a plenty! Best at 180p to 200p topping at a whooping 260p from Mr Nigel Turner, Cleobury Mortimer. Best pigs getting over £200 mark today and long may it last. Please do look at our averages yet again top draw this sale.

	Av.	Тор	Тор
47-60kg	137p	175p	£100.63
60-79kg	160p	195p	£146.77
80-100kg	170p	260p	£239.28
101+kg	129p	152p	£154.80
Sows	78p	90p	£158.40

19 Stores & Weaner Pigs - Just a couple of pens of stores forward today changing hands at $\pounds72$ and $\pounds48/$ head.

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -Monday 3 & 17 April/1 & 15 May, 10.30am Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

435 WEANLINGS

Cliffe (07595 453306)

Super numbers forward today with a fantastic show of quality weanlings, we really did have something for eve- all weights and grades. Mr Brian Taylor & Family, Scholar ryone with a good balance of younger and older weanlings Green duo of Limousins took pole at 320p (£1,740.88) and for our buyers to get stuck into. The talk was that trade may be a little easier but it was quite the Limousin to 316p (£2,584.88), Mr Bob Holmes, High opposite! We've had a absolutely superb trade today with Offley sold Herefords to a staggering 298p (£1,776.08), all ages and grades selling above or within expectations.

bulls sell to £820 for a eight month old Blues from Mr R. Richard Reynolds, Woodhouse Eaves Continentals to Corfield, Bishops Castle. Steers sold to £800 for 10 month 296p (£1,645.76) and 292p (£1,641.04), Will & Jackie Blues from Chris Eite Farming, Nantwich and heifers Forrester, Colehurst Limousin to 290p (£2,505.60) to topped at £690 for 9 month Blues from J.W. Cotton & Son, mention a few. Dairy breeds to 258p (£1,372.56) for a Gratwich. Best types £625 to £750, mediums £500 to Fleckvieh and first in the ring from J.C. Howells & £600.

bracket where the strongest types have been absolutely Hamstall Ridware. The section average returned at 251p off the clock. Top prices were 5 month old Simmental bulls (£1,469.50). to £610 for L.E. Weston & Sons, Whitchurch. I

£670 for JT. & AR. Frank, Astley and the heifers were Nuneaton and Blue to 318p (£1,790.34). Closer to home even dearer at £650 for 6 month Charolais from C.&B. M. & J. Siddorn, Tattenhall saw 291p (£1,507.38) for their Slater, Whitmore. Best Types £500 to £600. Mediums Limousin, £400 to £500.

<u>Bulls</u> Breed Blue Simmental Angus Blue	Age 8m 5m 7m 3m	Price £820 £610 £485 £425	Vendor Mr R Corfield L.E. Weston & Sons Mr A. Harper Brittlebank Partners
<u>Steers</u> Breed Blue Charolais Simmental Angus	Age 10m 8m 8m 5m	Price £800 £760 £690 £570	Vendor Chris Eite Farming C. &.B. Slater C. &.B. Slater JT. & AR. Frank
Heifers Breed Blue Charolais Hereford Blue	Age 9m 8m 9m 5m	Price £690 £670 £570 £580	Vendor J.W. Cotton & Son C. & B. Slater Mr G.D. Swinnerton Dale Farming

The next sales are Monday 3 & 17 April/1 & 15 May please get your entries in to Ben or Jonty to ensure that we can advertise them in advance!

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WEDNESDAY 22 MARCH 2023 **190 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS** Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Clean numbers holding well just desperately short of bulls to quench the level of demand ring side. Extremely mixed entry forward but as always we do not cherry pick the best and leave the rest. An entry to boast best sucklers, to dairy cross bred heifers, from 298 kilos to 800 plus kilos and from P1's to E3's and everything in between. A big thank you to all our vendors and buyers for their continued support. Trade again is absolutely flying and dare I say it many more could have been sold to vendors advantage. More superstar quality and young bulls urgently required to fulfil our buyer base.

Top calls rang out to 334p or £2,182.68 for heifers, 328p or £2,274.30 for steers and 320p or £2,584.88 for bulls.

50 Bulls - Only disappointing factor on the day Auctioneers - Ben Baggott (07791 791356) & Jonty would be the number forward and I do not think another one hundred bulls would have deterred trade. Trade was "off the clock" an absolute flyer!! Demand throughout for before the sale 318p (£1,939.80). The Whitley Family, Spon Green Limousins to 288p (£1,681.92) and Angus to 248p Starting with the older weanlings where we saw (£1,517.76) and 242p (£1,422.96), distant traveller Mr Partners, Church Hill and Drayton specials saw black and Onto the younger Weanlings in the 3 to 6 month old whites to 246p (£1,446.48) from A.E. Barlow & Co,

38 Steers - Trade raced away to 328p (£1,823.68) Onto the steers we saw five month Angus top at for Limousin from distant travellers The Brown Family, Mr Steve Simpkin & Family, Almington Limousin to 287p (£2,141.02) and 285p (£2,274.30), Mr Brian Owen, Market Drayton trio of Blue Crosses to 286p (£1,847.56), 284p (£1,863.04) and 280p (£1,792.00), Mr Darren Young, Balterley Limousin to 277p (£2,199.38). Natives to 255p (£1,463.70) from The Jones Family and Angus to 250p (£1,660.00) from Mr Andrew Morris, Dairy breeds saw Montbeliardes to return Beoley. £1,995.84 from Mr Nev Evans & Family, Winnington. The section average returned at 255p (£1,775.66).

102 Heifers - An entry very much like "dolly mixtures" from 298kgs to 800kgs plus and everything in between and from 12 months to 38 months. Trade blistering throughout especially for well fleshed cattle seeing Limousin to 334p (£1,716.76) from a regular Cheshire vendor. The Brown Family, Nuneaton Limousins to 330p (£1,877.70) and 309p (£1,786.02), M. & J. Siddorn, Tattenhall Limousin to 318p (£1,602.72, The Holdcroft Family, Sandbach Limousin to 308p (£1,952.72) and Charolais to 300p (£2,058.00), Mr Bernard Parsons, Golden Hill Limousin 308p (£1,687.84), 280p (£1,573.60) etc, Mr Graham Johnson, Dunston Heath Limousin to 296p (£1,453.32) etc, Mr Darren Young, Balterley Limousins to 282p (£2,182.68) and 280p (£1,864.80). Natives sold to 262p (£1,572.00) for Angus from DP.& DA. Jones, Hollowmoor Heath to mention a few. The section average returned at 250p (£1,423.52) and this average has twenty heifers ranging from 398 kilos to 440 kilos and 35 to 38 months.

98 DAIRY CATTLE

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

£2,350 HEIFER TOP

Today's entry was a real mixed bag with fewer top quality calved heifers and cows forward. However, the lower prices brought back buyers that have been missing for a while resulting in only one animal returning home not sold.

Top price was £2,350 for one of four heifers from Mr G.J. Sutton, Congleton, with their other heifers selling at £2,280 twice and £2,200 to average £2,278.

Richard Thompson, Ashbourne, topped the cow

section with \pounds 2,200 for a third calver, closely followed at Ch \pounds 2,150 for a second calver from J Lomax & Son, Baldwins Sir Gate.

Other heifers over £2,000 were £2,100 R. & R. Sin Vernon, Burleydam, £2,050 A.P. Ford & Partners, Lir Northwich, and £2,020 K. Bonsall, Market Drayton.

A large entry of dry cows sold to £1,300, served Lir heifers to £1,000, maiden heifers to £(40 and crossbred Lir calves to £60.

Stock bulls sold to £2,550 (Simmental 16 months)

Averages:

First Quality Heifers	£2,182
First Quality Cows	£2,175
25 Heifers (all in)	£1,654
9 Cows (all`in)	£1,518

Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club – Wednesday 19 April.

248 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

Just a few less this week with one cancelled load making a difference. Trade stand on from previous weeks and great to see returning seasonal buyers looking for grazing cattle.

Just a couple of cows and calves forward changing hands at £1,280 and £1,220. Short of Friesian steers today with best at £900 plus topping at £1,010. Farming types at £700 to £800. Trade mainly at 200p/kg average.

Yarding cattle continue to be in hot demand topping at £1,710 today for Blonde steers from Mr M.S. Lockley, Stafford. Plenty of cattle at £1,200 to £1,400 today or 230p to 250p/kg. The best of the best over 300p topping at 340p from J. & C. Mayer, Wheaton Aston.

Big demand for grazing farming cattle today with those 300kg to 350kg. Native steers regularly £800 to £900 plus. Younger suckler bred cattle trading well at £800 plus for steers and mainly £650 to £750 for heifers.

Plenty of trade, plenty of demand - we have customers for 300 plus needed every week please - all enquiries to Ben 07791 791356.

Steers averaged 235p/kg Heifers averaged 237p/kg

<u>Steers</u>			
Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1,010.00	493kg	J. & S. Farming
Friesian	£920.00	434kg	A.P. Ford & Ptns
Friesian	£905.00	421kg	SA.&EA.Ackerley
Blonde	£1,710.00	634kg	Mr M.S. Lockley
Blonde	£1,500.00	608kg	Mr M.S. Lockley
Blonde	£1,480.00	544kg	Mr M.S. Lockley
British Blue	£1,500.00	437kg	J. & C. Mayer
British Blue	£1,190.00	478kg	F.H. Davies & Co.
British Blue	£1,100.00	469kg	Mr A.D. Bennion
British Blue	£965.00	373kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Shorthorn	£910.00	388kg	Mr D.P. Mounfield
Shorthorn	£840.00	392kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Angus	£960.00	382kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Angus	£940.00	372kg	Mr A.J. Greaves
Angus	£915.00	330kg	RW.&JE. James
Angus	£780.00	316kg	Mr A.J. Greaves
Hereford	£1,450.00	582kg	J. & S. Farming
Hereford	£1,280.00	495kg	F.H. Davies & Son
Hereford	£1,160.00	488kg	F.H. Davies & Son
Hereford	£970.00	395kg	F.J. Cornes & Son
Hereford	£940.00	388kg	Mr M.D. Berrisford
Hereford	£730.00	290kg	Beaman Saddlery
Charolais	£1,400.00	502kg	CR&G.Shepherd&Son

Charolais	£1,200.00	482kg
Simmental	£1,210.00	492kg
Simmental	£1,190.00	430kg
Simmental	£1,050.00	444kg
Limousin	£1,410.00	490kg
Limousin	£1,400.00	502kg
Limousin	£1,080.00	396kg
Limousin	£840.00	263kg
Limousin	£780.00	270kg
Heifers		

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	Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
	Blonde	£1,260.00	496kg	Mr A.D. B
	British Blue	£1,200.00	412kg	J. & C. Ma
	British Blue	£1,080.0	463kg	F.H. Davie
	British Blue	£950.00	364kg	J. & V. Ha
	British Blue	£860.00	392kg	Mr E. Slad
	Angus	£1,430.00	584kg	Mr A.D. B
	Angus	£830.00	359kg	Mr N. Mac
	Angus	£825.00	376kg	J. Fletche
	Angus	£800.00	381kg	D. & K. Dı
d	Angus	£770.00	336kg	Mr A.J. Gr
(S	Hereford	£1,125.00	477kg	Mr D.P. M
or	Hereford	£990.00	462kg	Norton Ha
	Hereford	£870.00	400kg	Mr R.G. W
ıg	Hereford	£850.00	380kg	J. Fletche
ay	Hereford	£800.00	342kg	J. & V. Ha
at	Charolais	£1,470.00	589kg	CR&G.She
nd	Charolais	£1,370.00	528kg	Mr A.D. B
S.	Simmental	£1,290.00	506kg	Mr B.J. Ha
00	Simmental	£1,030.00	390kg	Mr D.P. M
)p	Simmental	£725.00	276kg	Mr D.P. M
Υ	Limousin	£1,435.00	574kg	Mr A.D. B
th	Limousin	£1,235.00	482kg	F.H. Davie
to	Limousin	£760.00	366kg	W.T. Marc
0	Limousin	£750.00	306kg	W.T. Marc
	Limousin	£685.00	288kg	BG.&RLR

F.H. Davies & Co. F.H. Davies & Co. Mr B.J. Hassall Mr M.D. Berrisford R.&SEA. Blantern CR&G.Shepherd&Son Mr M.D. Berrisford BG.&RLR. Goodwin BG.&RLR. Goodwin

Vendor Mr A.D. Bennion J. & C. Mayer F.H. Davies & Co. J. & V. Hancock
Mr E. Slack
Mr A.D. Bennion
Mr N. Madeley
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3,141 HOGGETS Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Another big show of hoggets selling on a much improved trade from start-to-finish for all weights and grades to an array of buyers. Handy weights were in big demand selling on a flyer to return an overall market average of 268p.

Super lights sold to 225p for 25.5kgs to gross £57.38 from WJ. &EH. Downs, Moss Lane.

Lights sold to 258p for 30.6kgs to return £78.95 from Mr R.L. Roberts, Llanuwchllyn. Top price in the lump was £81.21 for 31.6kgs for Mr I. Woodward, Duffield.

Standards peaked at 386p for 37kgs to gross

£142.82 for Madders & Johnson, Hopton. Others prices as follows:- £112.41 (38.5kgs) Mr P.R. Jones, £107.40 with well-shaped types in high demand! Top call was a (35.8kgs) Mr A. Jackson, £106.08 (39kgs) Morris & Co, super Charolais bull from CE.&GS. Witter & Sons, £106.05 (35kgs) Mr A. Jackson, £104.99 (38.6kgs) G.H. Sandbach at £450, we had four different vendors with £106.05 (35kgs) Mr A. Jackson, £104.99 (38.6kgs) G.H. Stevenson, £102.58 (37.3kgs) Mr D.W. Benbow.

Mediums sold 378p for 42kgs to gross £158.76 for at £180 to £270, smalls at £80 to £170. Madders & Johnson, Hopton. R. Swift & Sons, Little Onn achieved £145.96 (41kgs), £144.33 (42.7kgs), £143.79 (41.8kgs). Followed by a cracking run from D. &JM. Hartley, Mere at £300, the calf was as good as they get! Williams, Basford returning £143.65 (42.5kgs), £143.62 Best types £80 to £140, mediums and smalls at £30 to £70. (43kgs), £142.80 (42kgs) to mention a few.

Madders & Johnson, Hopton. Top price in the lump was £330. Best types £220 to £280, mediums £140 to £200, £176.46 for 65.6kgs from Mr D. Reynolds, Shrewsbury. smalls £80 to £130. All calf enquiries whether you are The vast majority of heavies traded between 230p to 250p buying or selling to Jonty or Ben. or £115 to £125. More next week please!!

	Sold	Av.
Premium	389	306p
Prime	2,551	261p
Others	201	218p

Lambs Graded :- Lights to 258p (£81.21) average 245p SHORTHORN (£74.31). Standards to 386p (£142.82) average 257p (4 - AV.£119.50) (£92.46). Mediums to 378p (£158.76) average 274p £155 (£115.44). Heavies to 345p (£178.46) average 237p £118 (£119.03).

687 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

A lot more ewes forward selling to reasonable trade £32 with the best to £227.00 for Texel ewes from Mrs J. Wright, Newport. 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 £99.92.

47 STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

In-lamb ewes sold to £140.00 for Texel yearling £325 ewes from TJ. &BE. Wardle, Gayton. Single couples sold £265 to £140.00 from TJ. &BE. Wardle, Gayton.

811 REARING CALVES

Auctioneers : Ben Baggott (07791 791356) & Jonty (121 - AV.£152.82) Cliffe (07595 453306)

No let up in the numbers but what a difference a £322 D.&HE.Colclough&Son week makes with a splendid show of quality calves for our buyers to get stuck into. The trade was nothing short of electric for the best and medium Continentals and best Natives, with some breeds up a gear on recent weeks. Less spring block calves about but they would be better sold today over recent weeks. The Continentals continue to SIMMENTAL be the most in demand by far with 29 bulls over £300 and an extraordinary 56 heifers over £200! The Native and Friesians are more selective based on age, shape and breeding.

On to the section round ups, a decent trade for the SHORTHORN x 1 Friesians with anything well-shaped very good to sell, with \pounds 142 MP Mason, Wolverhampton selling one of the best Friesians bulls you ever may see at £240! The Oulton Family of Audley had another lovely run with four over £100 topping at £168. Best types at £80 to £140 and mediums and smalls £20 to £60.

The native bulls have been a pleasing trade today with best very good to sell and mediums much improved on recent weeks. Top price today was £295 for Angus from A.A. Winstanley & Partners, Audlem and Herefords from AW.&L. Hollinshead, Crewe. Best bulls at £160 to £240, mediums at £100 to £140 and smalls at £50 to £90.

The Continental bulls have been a fast trade all day Charolais over £400 today. Best at £300 to £380, mediums

The native heifers have been better to sell with more quality to go at too. Top price went to Angus from TS.&AE. The Continental heifers have been the trade of the day, 56 Heavies sold 345p for 47kgs to gross £162.15 from over £200!! Top call went to a Blue from TS.&AE. Hartley at

BULL CALVES

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN (97 - AV.£48.85) £240 Mr M.P. Mason Mr M.P. Mason £175

Johnson Bros. Johnson Bros.

NORWEGIAN RED

(10 - AV.£27.70) £34 Platt Farms Ltd Platt Farms Ltd

CHAROLAIS

(8 - AV.£384.63) £450 CE.&GS.Witter&Sons £440 Mr E.J. Leese

LIMOUSIN

(7 - AV.£173.14) AD.&M&.T. Barber G.Thomasson&Son

HEIFER CALVES

BRITISH BLUE £330 TS.&AE. Hartley

HEREFORD (57 - AV.£67.98) £190 PA.JE.&J. Vaughan £188 AW.&L.Hollinshead

- (11 AV.£182.55) £280 **RJ.&DJ.** Clement
- £260

GL.& SM. White

BRITISH BLUE (127 - AV.£186.98) £342 RW.&JI.Faulkner £340 N.& N. Matthews Ltd

ABERDEEN ANGUS (119 - AV.£101.19) £295 AA.Winstanley&Ptns £288 TS.&AE.Hartley

HEREFORD (55 - AV.£107.56) £295 AW.&L.Hollinshead £278 JM&JK.Cliffe&Son

SIMMENTAL (19 - AV.£205.11) £400 L.E. Weston & Sons £395 L.E. Weston & Sons

MONTBELIARDE x 1 £52 P.J. Williams & Ptns

ABERDEEN ANGUS (111 - AV.£58.20) £300 TS.&AE.Hartley £202 Huntington Hall Fms

CHAROLAIS (6 - AV.£167.50) £270 RJ.& DJ.Clement £245 RJ.& DJ.Clement

LIMOUSIN (9 - AV.£135.56)

£175 G.Thomasson&Son £172 G.Thomasson&Son

MONTBELIARDE x 1 £40 P.J. Williams & Ptns

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FOR SALE

Pedigree Dorset Ewes (2-3 Years Old) With Valais Lambs at Foot Oswestry Area / Contact 07496 199866.

SELL LIVE & THRIVE AT MARKET DRAYTON MARKET' Market Drayton Agriculture Centre 01630 652926 Bernie Hutchinson 07778 164274, Mark Jones 07813 625787 Ben Baggott 07791 791356 & Jonty Cliffe 07595 453306.

RD. & A. Roe & Son



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Marketing Support

We are delighted to introduce Rebecca Hemmings to the team as our new Marketing Support. Staffordshire born and bred, following studies at Newport Girls High and Harper Adams University, Becs has gained extensive experience across the rural and country sports sectors, including on Sporting Estates and a Premium Seed Supplier.

With a wealth of experience in events and hospitality, Becs will be supporting the team by heading up marketing campaigns and managing our annual events diary. When not investing her passion and energy into driving strategy and business growth, she can be found 'enjoying' training for and racing in Ironman triathlons. r.hemmings@barbers-rural.co.uk



Outlaw 70.3 (1.2 Mile Swim, 56 Mile Bike, 13.1 Mile Run)

FARMING EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY FUND (FETF)

The FETF Round 2 is split into two themes: 1) Productivity & Slurry Items and 2) Animal Health & Welfare Items.

APPLICATIONS FOR THEME ONE ARE NOW OPEN

CLOSING DATE - 4TH APRIL 2023

Unlike Round 1, this time farmers can apply for a minimum of £1,000 & a maximum of £25,000 per theme. DEFRA have reviewed the items previously available and have decided to include further items for farmers to claim for. The grant is a fixed contribution regardless of the cost of the item to the applicant. Each item has a score out of 100 and funding will be allocated to the highest scoring applications first, until the funding is fully allocated. The second theme opens in March.

PRODUCTIVITY & SLURRY ITEMS INCLUDE:

Robotic Slurry Pusher / Collector: Grant Contribution of £7,573 Dribble Bar: Grant Contribution of £4,200 - £5,400 Robotic Silage Pusher: Grant Contribution of £5,800

If you would like us to send you the full list of items or apply for the FETF on your behalf, please call the team on 01630 692500.

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