



MARKET DRAYTON MARKET LTD

Market Drayton Livestock Market report the following trade:- 31st July 2023

NEW VETERINARY ATTESTATION RULE for Farmers to be introduced on 13 December **ACTION NEEDED NOW** All livestock vendors to take action now and do not leave it until December to ask their vet for a farm visit and a signed declaration.

What's Changing?

Changes in legislation as from 13 December 2023 will require all producers selling livestock for slaughter to have had an annual farm veterinary visit to allow their animals and or part of any animal to be exported out of the UK. The purpose of this new rule is to comply with EU Export Regulations to verify the absence of notifiable disease and provide general advice on farm bio-security.

What Do Producers Need To Do?

Producers will be required to obtain a signed declaration from their vet that the visit has taken place. Obtaining a signed veterinary attestation must be done at least once over a 12 month period and can be combined with any routine veterinary visit. Farmers and Vets much keep a copy.

THURSDAY 27 JULY 2023

464 HEAD ORANGE MARKET

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

320 Calves – Another bumper entry of calves forward for this sale with only 220 booked in and an extra 100 turning up!! Best rearers a similar trade but second quality less money. Processing types very similar and all new homes. Best Bulls £200 plus, topping at £250 for 4 week old Charolais and £275, £265 and £268 all for good Blues. Same story for heifers £200 plus topping at £255 and £225 for Blues again.

Bulls	Top	Av.	Heifers	Top	Av.
Friesian	£130	£39	British Blue	£255	£77
British Blue	£275	£89	Angus	£165	£43
Aberdeen A.	£130	£55	Longhorn	£55	£42
Flec	£80	£76	Hereford	£140	£64
Longhorn	£70	£48	Simmental	£180	£73
Hereford	£170	£78	Limousin	£80	
Charolais	£250				
Simmental	£140	£86			
Limousin	£100				

87 Weanlings - Bulls well bid for to finish but poor types and heifers harder to place. All cattle forward

being 2-3 months old topping at £200 for Blue Bulls.

57 Store Cattle - More Stores forward this month and trade fast right from the off. Plenty of good stores forward and 200-220pkg happening regularly with 220-240pkg for those better bred types. Top yarding Cattle to £1,200-£1,300 topping at £1,400 for Limousin Steer.

Steers	Wt	£	Heifers	Wt	£
Friesian	512	£1170	British Blue	462	£1080
Friesian	498	£1100	British Blue	415	£990
Friesian.	504	£1060	British Blue	326	£640
British Blue	449	£1130	Angus	462	£1090
British Blue	432	£1100	Welsh Black	414	£905
British Blue	343	£650	Hereford	540	£1100
Angus	479	£1070	Simmental	422	£940
Welsh Black	480	£970	Limousin	564	£1320
Hereford	426	£910			
Limousin	589	£1400			

- NEXT ORANGE MARKETS -

Thursday 24 August / 21 September

(Calves & Weanlings 1pm followed by Store Cattle & Feeding Cows 3.30pm) Many more needed please For any TB related advice please ring

Ben on 07791 791356.

MONDAY 31 JULY 2023

95 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS & OVER-AGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market)

Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Seasonal entry forward and considering the gloom and doom within the industry and falling deadweight prices a remarkable trade prevailed! Yes cattle back especially very light plain cows but meatier types still accommodating a premium.

Leading lights shone brightly to 244p or £1771.44 for average clean bulls to 190p or £1497.32. Dairy to 198p or £1519.56 and suckler to 171p or £1333.80.

Overall Market average returned at 162p.

59 Dairy Cattle - Demand totally outstripping supply and selling on an extremely competitive trade. Young meatier cows sold to 198p (£1334.52) for a black and white from the Mason Family. Further cow to 178p (£1121.40). Gleave Family cows sold to 189p (£1519.56) 177p (£1196.52) 173p twice (£1252.52 & £1141.80). Dawson Family saw 182p (£1452.36) etc. Billington Farms Ltd cow to 177p (£1341.66) etc Martin Family Norwegian Red to 176p (£1312.96), 168p (£907.20) etc and Sillito and Gill Farming Norwegian Red to 170p (£1047.20) etc. Section average returned at 147p (£899.13)

17 Sucklers - Humble numbers forward with a large consignment of plain older cows forward which wouldn't enhance the averages. Blue cows sold to 171p (£1333.80) from David Lea & Family. Natives to 150p (£975.00) for Angus from Wayne Clews & Family. Section average returned at 122p (£677.40) Most entries very plain older cows hence the average.

2 Bulls - Younger blue cross bulls to 190p (£836.00) from Chads Lean Charolais stock bull to 166p (£1497.32) Section average returned at 173p (£1166.64).

17 Clean - The Edwards family dominated the section with some cracking continentals selling at 244p (£1771.44) for Limo steers & further steers to 240p (£1584.00), 236p (£1600.08), 233p (£1631.00) 266p (£1509.68) 225p (£1417.50) and their heifers to 237p (£1436.22) 266p (£1482.56) etc Warner family heifers to 229p (£1566.36) for blue crosses.

- RED MARKETS -

**From May 2023 - Only One Red Market a Month -
Our Red Market Will Be The Second Monday of
Every Month ... Monday 14 August /
11 September / 9 October 4.30pm For all
cattle including T.B. restricted holdings with a move-
ment licence from Animal Health.**

**To accommodate restricted younger cattle and
feeding cattle ORANGE MARKETS are the third
Thursday of every month (24 August/21 September) -
All cattle to travel
on a TB204 License - further details or
assistance please contact Bernie or Ben.**

PIGS

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

Monday 7 August at 10.30am - Entries to include:

- **10 to 15 Cull Sows**
- **80 to 100 Fat Pigs**
- **50 Plus Store & Weaner Pigs**

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -

Monday 7 & 21 August/4 & 18 September, 10.30am

Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs

All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST 2023

232 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS

Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Cracking number forward considering all the talk in the industry and big vote of thanks to all vendors for their continued support! Busiest ring of buyers for a while with 10 buyers for bulls and 15 buyers for clean so there was certainly competition at Drayton resulting in a firm trade throughout. Best sold on the day would be the clean with bulls back on the week.

Top of the shop saw heifers to 340p or £1747.20 steers to 310p or £1852.38 and bulls to 289p or £2031.12.

112 Bulls - Fantastic number hosting the good the bad and ugly selling on a reasonable trade considering some abattoirs moving away for slaughtering bulls again. Bulls saw the fast price increase but are now experiencing the fastest correct in price! Best sucklers reached 289p (£1930.52) for a Limo from the White Family and further bulls to 279p (£2031.12) and a Angus to 265p (£1908.00). Stubbs family saw their Limbos to 277 x2 (£1783.88) & (£1927.92) 262p (£1713.48) and 258p (£1640.88) to mention a few. Drayton special saw black and white to 224p

(£1133.44) from Richard Reynolds. Section average returned at 224p (£1305.66).

42 Steers - Solid trade throughout for all weights grades & breeds. Trade raced away at 310p (£1683.30) & 295p (£1770.00) for Limos from the Brown Family Nuneaton closer to home saw Chris Barnsley and family Limo to 282p (£1613.04) Ed and Diane Nelson also returned 282p (£1584.84) for Limo & 261p (£1325.88) etc in the lump Darren Young Simmental realised £1852.38. Natives saw Herefords to 253p (£1335.84) from Andrew Williamson. Section average returned at 240p (£1483.33).

78 Heifers - Quantity and quality to the forefront with super stars racing away to 340p (£1645.60) for Limo from Edward Evans and family and further heifers to 322p (£1738.80) 320p twice (£1580.80 and £1452.80). Regular Cheshire vendors saw 322p (£1513.40) for a Limo 276p (£1297.20) 268p (£1189.92). Distance travelled the Brown family Nuneaton sold Limos to 320p (£1715.20) and 305p (£1717.15). Warner Family Limo to 306p (£1493.28) etc George Proctor blues to 298p (£1746.28) and 280p (£1685.60). In the lump Julian Corfield of Corfield and Ashton sold Simmental to generate £1747.20 to mention a few. Section returned 250p (£1407.74).

58 DAIRY CATTLE

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

2,700 TOP PRICE HEIFER - £2,420 TOP PRICE COW

Quality was much improved this week with a better and very level trade to match from a busy ringside.

Prices peaked at £2,700 for a calved heifer from W Herdman & Sons, Cambridgeshire, with another of their heifers claiming the second top price of £2,410. Skinner Bros, Melton Mowbray sold heifers to £2,400 and £2,250. R & J Madders, Adbaston £2,280 and £2,260. DI Ball & Son, Sandbach £2,280 and £2,200. MT Jones, Oswestry £2,270, £2,250 and £2,220. D & W Davenport, Brereton £2,200.

A total of twenty one heifers sold over £2,000 with another ten over £1,800.

Cows topped at £2,420 for a third calver from D & E Monk, Ormskirk, with their second calver selling for £1,950.

In-calf heifers sold for £1,700 and £1,600.

Coloured breeds calved heifers sold for £1,500 Brown Swiss, £1,450 Montbeliarde cross and Jerseys to £980.

Averages:

Top Ten Heifers £2,332

44 Holstein Friesian Heifers £1,923

5 Other Breeds Heifers £1,166

First Quality Cows £2,185

7 Cows (all in) £1,524

2 In-calf Heifers £1,650

**Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western
Holstein Club – Wednesday 16th August.**

SHEEP FAIR - Thursday 17th August, 5pm

Entry forms are available from the market office.

Forms must be completed by 9th August (for the first sale)

FRIDAY 4 AUGUST (10am)

AT HENDRERWYDD FARM,

HENDRERWYDD, DENBIGH, LL16 4LL

(midway Denbigh and Ruthin)

For IL Jones

ON FARM DISPERSAL SALE OF THE ENTIRE FIRST CLASS HERD OF 300 HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS

275 milkers to be sold in calving order

25 in-calf heifers

YOUNG HERD WELL BRED

9,016L (2x) 4.26F 3.40P 158CC

60% 1st and 2nd Calvers

All year calving to BB / Lows are grazed

CUBICLES / HERRINGBONE PARLOUR

NEVER HAD TB

A SUPER HERD - PLENTY OF MILK &

CHOICE – BE THERE.

MONDAY 7 AUGUST (10.30am) AT MARKET DRAYTON MARKET, TF9 3SW

(moved from Coton Farm, Whitchurch,
Shropshire, for sale convenience)

For A.C. Hocknell & Sons

DISPERSAL SALE OF THE ENTIRE HERD 175 HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS

90 milking cows and heifers to be sold in
calving order

20 in-calf/served heifers, 24 bullers,

17 yearlings, 22 maidens

All year calving to BB or sexed HOL

Straw yards

7,000L 4.26%F 3.16%P 195CC

Grazed Herd.

Friesian	£1060	476kg	AJ & EJ Hampton
British Blue	£1120	460kg	MH & SE Weaver
British Blue	£1080	458kg	T & J L Redfern
British Blue	£1000	424kg	Simon Baskerville
British Blue	£950	409kg	D.E Fenton
British Blue	£650	300kg	D.E Fenton
Shorthorn	£800	326kg	E W Hamer
Shorthorn	£790	401kg	Wayne Clewes
Angus	£1160	478kg	I C Edwards
Angus	£1010	458kg	M H & S E Weaver
Angus	£500	306kg	A J Pugh
Fleckvieh	£870	404kg	J & V Hancock
Norwegian	£800	426kg	I C Edwards
Hereford	£1230	540kg	M H & S E Weaver
Hereford	£840	368kg	J & A Evans & Son
Montbeliarde	£1180	568kg	N.TN&EM Baskyfield
Montbeliarde	£1000	424kg	Simon Baskerville
Charolais	£1180	516kg	P E Moss
Charolais	£860	352kg	DAE & OB Morris
Simmental	£1250	528kg	N.TN&EM Baskyfield
Simmental	£1030	451kg	I C Edwards
Simmental	£980	424kg	Simon Baskerville
Simmental	£870	404kg	J & V Hancock
Limousin	£1100	442kg	D E Fenton
Limousin	£1090	378kg	DAE & OB Morris
Limousin	£1080	413kg	W T Mardling
Limousin	£900	332kg	DAE & OB Morris
Limousin	£860	376kg	W T Mardling

Heifers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
British Blue	£900	407kg	Simon Baskerville
British Blue	£830	388kg	J & V Hancock
British Blue	£675	318kg	D E Fenton
Shorthorn	£945	392kg	E W Hamer
Shorthorn	£740	392kg	Wayne Clewes
Angus	£1050	468kg	P E Moss
Angus	£1040	480kg	W.T Mardling
Angus	£845	402kg	Simon Baskerville
Hereford	£1080	500kg	P E Moss
Hereford	£910	434KG	T & J L Redfern
Hereford	£590	262kg	D E Fenton
Charolais	£900	348kg	DAE & OB Morris
Simmental	£810	374kg	Simon Baskerville
Limousin	£1090	446kg	W T Mardling & Son
Limousin	£1000	334kg	DAE & OB Morris
Limousin	£880	388kg	D E Fenton
Limousin	£880	318kg	DAE & OB Morris
Limousin	£820	360kg	J & V Hancock

1568 PRIME LAMBS

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

More lambs forward with meat weight and best continental sorts selling on a very good trade. Total clearance reported at overall market average turned out a very pleasing 265p.

Lights sold to 273p for 30.3kg to return £82.72 for J A Goodwin.

Standards hit 313p for 38.7kg to realise £121.13 for M Lancaster, others as follows £113.68 for 38.8kg TW Heler and Son. £109.52 for 37kg from K Cashmore and £109.45 37.1kg from P Gough.

Mediums where top of the tree hitting 328p for 43kg to gross £141.04 for M Lancaster, other notable prices £135.30 45.1kg from Done and Son, £133.20 45kg from G E Morris, £131.57 44.6kg from Done and Son, £129.93 43.6kg D Gater and £129.58 41.4kg L J Plant.

203 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

All enquiries to Ben 07791 791356.

Super August numbers forward and trade sharper on the week. More customers ringside run of cows and calves from the Jones family sold to fantastic interest topping at £2150 for a Angus cow and calf. All the best outfits £1800-£2000 with a lovely young Lim bull charging hard at £3600.

Yarding cattle still trading at the recent high level with better end at £1100- £1200 topping at £1250 for Simmentals. A lack of those 550kg plus steers today. Plenty of trade at 220– 240pkg lets hope it hold up well.

A bumper entry of Friesians on offer with the best at 1100 plus . Section averaged £1092 or 220ppk!

More spark for farming and young cattle today with the 350 – 400kg cattle well bid for to face £800- £900 looking well sold. As always suckler bred also looked very well sold at 260 - 880pkg and some smart young things at £900-£1000.

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Steers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1135	514kg	I. C Edwards
Friesian	£1100	508kg	AJ & EJ Hampton

Heavies sold to 307p 46kg from M Lancaster top price in the lump was £154.47 57kg E Vaughan, Zoe Pugh grossed £153.12 for 58kg, £141.12 56kg H F Jones, and £139.74 51kg form B Lawton and Son. More required next week please.

Lambs Graded :- Lights to 273p (£85) average 260p (£79.14). Standards to 313p (£121.13) average 264p (£95.28). Mediums to 328p (£141.04) average 267p (£111.84). Heavies to 307p (£154.47) average 264p (£125.96).

422 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

More Ewes forward this week and ewes would be dearer on the week. Best ewes selling at £130 to £150 topping at £171 for Texels from M Lancaster. Cutting ewes £100 to £120, mediums £70 to £90, smalls £50 to £60 and smaller £28 to £48. Ewe average was returned at £92.44 with a high number of Welsh and small ewes forward.

WELFARE STATEMENT

Following correspondence from the FSA and Shropshire Trading Standards we have been asked to highlight the types of welfare issues being reported at abattoirs receiving cull ewes and these mainly relate to prolapse, mastitis, LAMENESS and condition score ie. being very thin "if they are treated on farm and do not improve then the farmer should be putting them down and calling the knackerman not putting them into the cull sales at markets".

Please remember that an animal must be fit for the intended journey it should not be ill, injured, fatigued, diseased, severely lame ie. non-weight bearing, pregnant (last 10% gestation or given birth in previous 7 days) presenting open wounds or prolapses, physical abnormalities, blindness and no in-grown horns.....

598 REARING CALVES

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

BULL CALVES

An excellent days trading in the calf section with more forward and more demand for the better end. All commodities have sold on a very pleasing trade with buyers for all breeds and grades including six new purchasers today! Not much to get excited by with the Friesians today with very little quality on offer, but topping at £135 for David Rees Farms, Hunsterson. The native bulls have been excellent to sell, running short on best types but mediums looked very dear on the day with smalls a touch harder to place. Top price was £370 for an Angus from TS & AE Hartley, Mere. Best bulls at £200-£250, mediums at £150-£190 and smalls at £70 to £120. The Continental bulls looked a cracking trade, with a superb show of quality which was all the better with some many buyers after best bulls. Top call was a Charolais at £530 for DJ Colclough, Sandbach. Best at £300-£380, mediums at £220-£280, smalls at £120-£180. The native heifers have been good to sell, but the edge off the smalls compared to recent weeks. Top price went to a Hereford from N Dakin & Sons, Walgherton at £230. Best types £140-£180, mediums and smalls at £30-£100. The Continental heifers have been the trade of the day especially the best and mediums with several seasonal buyers dictating the trade. Top call was £470 for a Charolais from DJ Colclough, Sandbach. Best types £260-£320, mediums £180-£240, smalls £80-£140.

Numbers will begin to increase week on week so if your after some calves why not give us a try.

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN

(55 - AV.£49.04)
£135 David Rees Farms
£130 Bubney Farms

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(91 - AV.£140.56)
£370 T S & A E Hartley
£360 T E Whittaker

MONTBELIARDE

(1 - AV.£125)
£125 R N Thopson

SIMMENTAL

(19 - AV.£264.37)
£400 L P Atkin
£390 L P Atkin

BRITISH BLUE

(118 - AV £230.65)
£425 G B Warner
£425 A W & CM Barrow

HEREFORD

(26 - AV.£198.38)
£365 G B Warner
£310 D & P Allen

CHAROLAIS

(7 - AV.£324.29)
£530 D J Colclough
£510 D J Colclough

LIMOUSIN

(11 - AV.£243.36)
£360 G Tomasson
£300 S Harding

HEIFER CALVES

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(89 - AV £83.72)
£205 Distinctive Holsteins
£190 Chatcull Farm

CHAROLAIS

(9 - AV £309.44)
£470 D J Colclough
£440 D J Colclough

LIMOUSIN

(13 - AV.£147.69)
£295 Mr W.J. Holdcroft
£285 Mr W.J. Holdcroft

BRITISH BLUE

(84 - AV £186.88)
£335 G A Hardgreaves
£335 G A Hardgreaves

HEREFORD

(25 - AV.£103.32)
£230 N Dakin & Son
£225 N Dakin & Son

SIMMENTAL

(24 - AV.£198.88)
£360 L P Atkin
£345 L P Atkin

WEANLING SALE ON MONDAY 7th AUGUST

300-350 Head Expected – 11:30am

Early entries include –

30 x Blue, Sim, Angus 4-6 months

30 x Blue, Angus, Hereford 4-5 months

13 x Blonde 4-5 months

28 x Hereford 3-6 months

9 x Angus 4-6 months

20 x British Blues 8-10 months

All enquiries to Ben or Jonty



The poster features a blue background with gold confetti. At the top is the Market Drayton Market logo, a yellow circle with a hammer and the text 'MARKET DRAYTON MARKET'. Below this, the text 'MARTS THE HEART' is written in white, followed by 'Nominee for' in a script font with stars on either side. The main headline 'AUCTION MARKET OF THE YEAR' is in large, bold, yellow capital letters. Below this, 'We Need Your Vote!' is written in a large, white, cursive script. A yellow banner at the bottom contains the text 'POSTAL FORM ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE MARKET OFFICE.' in black. At the very bottom, there are three logos: the BFA (British Farm Auctioneers) logo, the Horizons logo, and the Marts the Heart Awards 2023 logo. To the right of the BFA logo is the text 'THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.'



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Welcome to the team...

We are delighted to introduce George McCulloch to our fantastic team as he commences his placement year at Barbers Rural whilst studying Rural Estate and Land Management at Harper Adams University.



George McCulloch

George will be working alongside our skilled and knowledgeable team of surveyors as he puts his studies into practice, gains invaluable experience and works towards a future as a chartered surveyor.

We're hiring!

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