



**MARKET DRAYTON
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Market Drayton Market Report
The Following Trade:



MONDAY 16 MARCH 2026
**146 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS &
OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market)**
Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Great to see more forward and easily absorbed on a very buoyant trade. The talk is cow numbers are drying up and this seems to be fuelling the trade and more needed to meet increasing demand. Also further finishers very keen for younger leaner types which is certainly adding more value than slaughter prices. As always a big thank you to all our vendors and buyers for their continued support and its great to see returning faces to the live ring.

Top of the shop this week saw overage clean to 377p or £2,996.32, sucklers to 338p or £2,834.34, bulls to 333p or £3,596.40 and dairy to 294p or £2,232.70. The overall market average returned at 273p or £1,819.66.

74 Dairies - Few more about but more needed to meet increasing demand ringside!! Trade raced away to 294p or £1,587.60 for young black and white from L.F.Horton & Sons, Little Leigh and purchased by a further finisher. Mr David Holt & Family, Middlewich had a cracking run of fed black and whites selling to 282p (£1,810.44), 275p (£1,930.50), 269p (£1,538.68) etc, Mr George Cork & Family, Oakhanger cow to 269p (£1,872.24), DF.JM.&BD. Palmer, Haughton cow to 269p (£1,979.84) and The Jones Family, Crabtree Green cow also to 269p and grossed £2,232.70. The Vernon Family, The Rookery also saw a cow in excess of £2,000 to return £2,043.36 to mention a few. The section average returned at 238p or £1,516.15.

34 Sucklers - A strong trade throughout for all weights, grades and breeds. The Evans Family, Llanwddyn took pole position with a Blue Cross at 338p or £2,237.56. A regular Cheshire vendor saw 294p (£1,846.32) for a Blue Cross. J.W. Gosmore & Partners, Tattenhall Simmental added up to £2,834.34 in the lump or 291p kilo and further Simmental from Mr B.J. Hassall, Fishpool Road sold to 287p (£2,089.38). Native cattle a flying trade with Herefords to 338p (£2,386.28) from Mr Chris Matthews & Family, Blythe Bridge. Mr Elgan Jones, Llangollen Angus to 285p (£2,422.50) to mention a few. The section average returned at 280p or £1,847.54.

9 Bulls - Drayton seems the place for stock bulls at the moment and more required to meet increasing demand. Trade peaked at 333p or £3,596.40 for Limousin from The Evans Family, Llanwddyn. Sillito & Gill Farming, Ashley saw their Angus to 319p (£1,920.38) and G. Ward Farms, Madeley Angus to 315p (£2,904.30). Herefords sold to 310p (£2,814.80) from James Oulton & Family, Audley and 303p (£2,466.42). Mr Charles Forrester, Northwood saw his Simmental to 308p (£2,217.60), The Timmis Family, High Elms Hereford to 295p (£3,062.12) and The Blackwell Family, Coton-In-The-Elms Charolais to 262p (£2,583.32) to mention a few. The section

average returned at 299p or £2,509.92.

29 Clean - Corking entry of overage clean forward seeing Limousin heifer to 377p or £2,035.80 from Mr M.S. Lockley, Marstone and 342p (£1,997.28). AG.&H. Barnett & Son, Hilderstone had a cracking run of Continentals with heifers to 359p (£2,527.36), 357p (£2,577.54), 348p (£2,408.16), 340p (£2,257.60) and 338p (£2,548.52) and their steers to 352p (£2,604.80), 339p (£2,210.28) etc. In the lump Mr Chris Matthews & Family, Blythe Bridge saw their Hereford steers selling to £2,996.32, £2,947.04, £2,908.36, £2,844.90 and £2,794.44.

Thank you all for your support and please keep the numbers coming to meet increasing demand.

- RED MARKETS -

**Red Market Will Be The Second Monday of
Every Month ... Monday 13 April/11 May, 3.30pm.**
For all cattle including T.B. restricted holdings with
a movement licence from Animal Health.

119 PIGS

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

12 Cull Sows - A mixed entry with best sows still good to sell at 40p plus topping at 50p from Harper Adams College, Edgmond. Plain sows hard work at 10p to 20p with rare breed boars very hard to cash.

71 Fat Pigs - A good entry and a little bit more demand - lets hope the job is turning the corner. Lighter weight fat in demand this sale but heavy weights not as fast. Best gilts topping at 200p from Mr Nigel Turner, Cleobury Mortimer.

	Av.	Top	Top
60kg to 79kgs	121p	140p	£111.30
80kg to 100kg	128p	200p	£186.67
101kgs Plus	108p	114p	£120.84
Sows	31p	50p	£131.00

36 Stores & Weaners - An unbelievable demand for weaners today with the best at £50 to £60 topping at £68 for 19kgs from Mr Nick Reade, Lower Wych. GOS stores at 50kg to 55kg trading at £62 to £68. Weaners averaging £49.69.

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -

**Monday 6th April (Easter Monday) & 20 April,
Monday 4 & 18 May 10.30am**
Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs
All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

400 WEANLINGS

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

Super entry of weanlings and another tremendous trade today with confidence brimming around the ring from start to finish. A huge crowd of buyers ensured strong competition throughout, resulting in an outstanding overall average of £937 per head.

The youngest continue to look the dearest but all vendors would go home happy with their days trading.

A few less bulls this week, but brisk bidding from start to finish especially for well fleshed types. The top price went to a group of 10mo Simmentals at £1,390 from Mr S. Mayer, Stoke-on-Trent; followed by £1,290 for 8 month Simmentals from BJ Mould Ltd, Stafford; 7 month Herefords to £1,280 from Mr J. Evans, Gnosall; 8 month Herefords at £1,090 from Mr M.P. Mason, Wolverhampton. Younger types saw 4 month Limousins at £970 from P.E.&G. Hale, Chester and 5 month Blues at £880 from Mr C. Williams, Eccleshall. All 57 bulls averaged £859.98.

The steers have been relentless with several volume buyers lifting the trade and 54 selling for over £1,100. Top call going to 9 month Limousins at £1,620 from Mr S. Simpkin, Market Drayton; followed by 9 month Angus from Mr R. Ward, Spoonley at £1,590 and 8 month Angus from Mr O. Clough, Melferley at £1,570. A 8 month Hereford from GA.&FA. Brassington, Longton at £1,450; 8 month Blues at £1,220 from Mr S. Heeley, Seighford. The younger types saw 5 month Simmentals at £1,210 from Mr M.D. Berrisford, Betley and 5 month Blues from Mr M. Groom, Croxton at £1,160. A packet of 10 x 6 month Montys realised £1,080 from R.J.&J.M. Mottershead, Aston. All 142 steers averaged £1,030.21.

A lot more heifers forward and a fantastic trade! Top spot went to 10 month Limousins at £1,700 from Mr S. Simpkin, Market Drayton; followed by 9 month Angus at £1,530 and £1,500 from Mr R. Ward, Spoonley; 9 month Charolais at £1,430 from R.W. Adams & Son; 10 month Blues from P.&D.E. Jones, Shocklach at £1,050 and 7 month Blues from B.J. Mould at £1,020. Topping the younger end were 5 month Charolais at £980 from Redfern Farming Ltd, Stafford; 6 month Blues at £960 from Mr N.R. Brandon, Gayton; 4 month Herefords at £860 from Mr M.A. Jones, Arclid. All 142 heifers averaged £1030.43. **Next sale is Easter Monday 6 April 2026, please book early entries in with Ben or Jonty.**

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WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH 2026

198 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS

Auctioneer : Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Great to be back to nearly two hundred and all easily absorbed on the day and trade. Trade was remarkably brisk considering some deadweight prices being quoted up and down the country. Quality always sells and to a premium, especially for cattle with breeding, shape and loin which were very easy to place. As always a big thank you to all our vendors both near and far and also to our army of buyers representing butchers, wholesalers, exporters and further finishers.

Headline makers this week to 456p or £2,675.20 for heifers, 446p or £3,276.24 for steers and 437p twice or £3,928.32 for bulls. The overall market average to 361p or £2,196.96.

Please keep the numbers coming to meet increasing demand. Thank you!

63 Bulls - Trade seems to be finding another gear throughout but especially for the best shaped and heavy suckler bulls. Trade raced away to 437p twice or £2,324.84 and £2,779.32 both Blues from distant supporters Probert & Probert, Sarn and with further bulls to 417p (£2,985.72), 409p (£2,969.34) and 381p (£2,575.56), Mr Martin Edwards & Family, Lower Morton saw their Continentals to 393p (£2,177.22), 384p

(£2,081.28) etc. In the lump we have a Simmental gross £3,928.32 from Mr Rob Holdcroft & Family, Sandbach. Natives saw Shorthorns to 386p (£2,655.68) from Mr Ian Mainwaring & Family, Oteley. Drayton specials saw black and whites to 360p (£2,080.80) from Mr Mark Eden & Family, Leigh to mention a few. The section average returned at 364p or £2,267.95.

52 Steers - A very mixed entry offering all breeds and grades but as usual something for everybody and everybody for something. The real "aces" on the day sold to 446p or £2,809.80 for a Blue from Mr Darren Young, Balterley and further Limousin to 409p (£3,067.50). Another distant supporter The Lodge Family, Leighton saw their Blue to 438p or returning £3,276.24 in the lump. Mr Simon Beamon, Caersws saw his Limousins reaching 401p (£2,157.38) and topping the natives with Belted Galloways to 382p (£2,200.32). The section average returned at 358p or £2,332.17.

83 Heifers - Strength and depth in the ranks with a good cross section of heifers forward. Superstars peaked at 456p or £2,343.84 for Limousin from LG Farms Ltd, Market Drayton. Great to see The Darlington Family, Scholar Green back with a corking run of Limousins to 440p (£2,675.20), 437p (£2,281.14), 434p (£2,534.56), 422p (£2,489.80), 420p (£2,511.60) etc. Probert & Probert, Sarn Blue sold to 438p (£2,566.68), 428p (£2,465.28) etc. Mr Jonny Warner & Family, Stoke Heath Blue to 421p (£2,374.44) and Mr Darren Young, Balterley Limousin to 414p (£2,517.12). Natives saw to 382p or £2,047.52 from W. Walker & Sons, Rushton to mention a few. The section average returned at 362p or £2,111.34.

Please keep the numbers coming to meet demand. Please ensure all cattle are accompanied with a FILLED IN DECLARATION FORM signed & correct Farm Assurance details. Thank you.

54 DAIRY CATTLE

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

TOP PRICE BULL £5,000

TOP PRICE HEIFER £2,850

TOP PRICE COW £2,680

A few more milkers about this week and generally trade was on the up once again.

The bull section took today's top spot with a Pedigree Simmental Bull from Mr J. Wainwright, Tetchill selling at £5,000 and Aberdeen Angus bull to £2,920 from Sillito & Gill Farming, Ashley.

Heifers just up another level this week with £2,850 the top price for Lot 9 Bannistree Quality Cherry 263 from Mr D.E. Monk, Ormskirk with both their other heifers at £2,600. Commercial heifers from Mr R.N. Thompson, Sudbury £2,800 and £2,720 from H.S.&A. Callwood, Ollerton.

Cows as always the heavier milk cows in very high demand. £2,680 for Lot 20 Bostock Alcove Lavel from W.L. Smith & Son, Bostock and their other cows to £2,580 and £2,480.

Commercial cows from A.C. Hocknell & Sons, Whitchurch £2,620. £2,500 from J. Lomax Son, Baldwins Gate.

Incalf cow to £2,000 from Mr J.E. Gleave, Sproston. Incalf heifers really seem to have lit the touch-paper in recent weeks. Pedigree British Friesian heifers from Mr K.L. Humphreys, Norfolk £2,120, £2,060 with Jersey

heifers from the same home £1,300.

Bulling heifers of a cross bred native £780 to £860.
Calves from £335 from Burland Farms, Rossett.

Averages:

Dairy Cows (all breeds/faults)	£2,162
First Quality Cows	£2,566
Heifers (all breeds/faults)	£2,082
First Quality Heifers	£2,672
Incalf/Served Heifers (all breeds/faults)	£1,610

**Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by
The Western Holstein Club Wednesday 25 March 2026.**

**Next Monthly Youngstock Sales
Monday 6 April (Easter Monday)/4 May 2026 at 10.45am
entries to Jason or Jonty.**

224 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer : Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

Back up over the two hundred mark and trade moves on another gear. All makes and models easy to sell and great to see the first of our seasonal distant buyers making a start.

Cow and calves topped at £3,000 and £2,750 for young Angus outfits while in-calf cows make around £1,500 to £1,750 depending in size etc.

A great show of feeding bulls forward attracting interest at £1,400 to £1,600 for best topping at £1,700 for Herefords or 350p to 360p/kg.

Yarding cattle selling on another flying trade with £1,800 to £2,100 the call for the best topping at £2,180 for Limousin steers from Goodwin Farms, Abbots Bromley. Plenty of good cattle trading at £1,600 to £1,800 and trading at 370p to 390p/kg for the top end with the best 400p/kg plus. Best of the native heifers at £1,700 to £1,800 topping at £1,990 for Angus heifers.

Great demand for farming and outlying cattle today with 400p to 430p/kg easy for the right goods. Best cattle £1,400 to £1,600 with very good 10 to 14 month old Continentals at £1,700 to £1,800. Good farming cattle at 300kg to 350kg selling at £1,200 to £1,400 depending on size and breed.

Steers averaged £1,595 or 374p
Heifers averaged £1,489 or 363p

250 plus stores needed next week please - all store enquiries to Ben 07791 791356.

Steers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1,515.00	450kg	R. Foxley & Sons
Friesian	£1,390.00	434kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
British Blue	£1,955.00	508kg	MH.&SE. Weaver
British Blue	£1,640.00	410kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
British Blue	£980.00	237kg	JE.Mansell & Ptns
Galloway	£1,800.00	546kg	WA.& JE. Baker
Anguis	£2,100.00	570kg	JE.&A. Mitchell
Angus	£1,960.00	543kg	MH.&SE. Weaver
Angus	£1,760.00	432kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Angus	£1,710.00	436kg	D. & J. Johnson
Angus	£1,700.00	447kg	DH.&TM. Ratcliffe
Angus	£1,600.00	404kg	DH.&TM. Ratcliffe
Hereford	£2,100.00	572kg	Goodwin Farms
Hereford	£1,970.00	556kg	OC.Whittaker&Sons
Hereford	£1,945.00	510kg	IG.&TM. Beckett
Hereford	£1,870.00	484kg	R. Foxley & Sons
Hereford	£1,560.00	388kg	F.J. Cornes & Son
Charolais	£1,800.00	448kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Simmental	£1,980.00	510kg	MH.&SE. Weaver
Simmental	£1,980.00	532kg	MH.&SE. Weaver
Limousin	£2,180.00	520kg	Goodwin Farms
Limousin	£1,800.00	434kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Limousin	£1,795.00	458kg	S.R. Lewis & Son

Heifers

Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
British Blue	£2,170.00	581kg	WA.&JE. Baker
British Blue	£2,160.00	584kg	Mr D.A. Lockett
British Blue	£1,975.00	514kg	WA.&JE. Baker
British Blue	£1,760.00	442kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
British Blue	£1,210.00	338kg	Jonathan Worthington
Shorthorn	£1,300.00	432kg	GA.&FA.Brassington
Angus	£1,990.00	590kg	Mr R.A. Owen
Angus	£1,930.00	549kg	JE.&A. Mitchell
Angus	£1,640.00	444kg	D. & J. Johnson
Angus	£1,500.00	407kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Hereford	£1,900.00	614kg	Mr P. Lloyd
Hereford	£1,710.00	497kg	Chapel Farm
Hereford	£1,630.00	540kg	Mr J.B. Beech
Hereford	£1,500.00	414kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Hereford	£1,150.00	340kg	Al.&GS. Hollinshead
Charolais	£1,700.00	413kg	E. Cookson & Ptns
Simmental	£1,900.00	512kg	IG.&TM. Beckett
Simmental	£1,760.00	452kg	Mr G.E. Whitfield
Limousin	£2,000.00	392kg	D. & J. Johnson
Limousin	£1,870.00	526kg	Winnington Dairy Fms
Limousin	£1,540.00	457kg	Mr F.L. Jones
Limousin	£1,410.00	398kg	GA.&FA. Brassington

2,378 PRIME HOGGETS

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Less hogs forward this week nevertheless no let up in trade with a total clearance reported and an overall market average returned at 415p.

Lights sold to 440p for 31.9kgs to gross £140.36 for Rooms Farm Ltd, Adderley.

Standards peaked at 436p for 34.5kgs to generate £150.42 for Mr Richard Hooper, Rowton. Top price in the lump was £166.10 for 38.9kgs for Mr G.H. Paddock, Stone.

Mediums sold to 529p for 41.7kgs to realise £221.12 for D.&SM. Williams, Basford. Other highlight prices as follows:- 43.5kgs (528p) £229.68 D.&JM. Williams, 45kgs (522p) £234.90 D.&JM. Williams, 41.2kgs (520p) £214.24 D.&JM. Williams, 43.2kgs (517p) £223.35 AV.&G. Ratcliffe, 44.5kgs (514p) £228.73 D.&JM. Williams, 43.7kgs (502p) £219.37 R. Swift & Sons, 44.7kgs (499p) £220.06 R. Swift & Sons and 39.4kgs (481p) £189.51 Mr P.D. Crossmore.

Heavies sold to 498p for 46.5kgs to generate £231.57 for D.&JM. Williams, Basford. Top headage was £235.10 for 47.4kgs for Claire Tomlinson, Agden. The vast majority of heavies traded between 370p to 390p or £180 to £205. More required next week please.

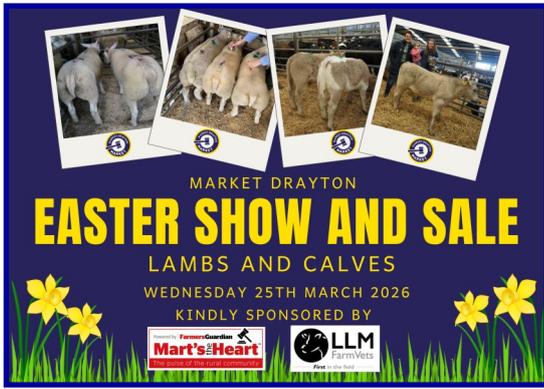
	Sold	Av.
Premium	258	439p
Prime	1,696	412p
Other	424	381p

Lambs Graded:- Lights 440p (£140.36) average 398p (£115.10). Standards 436p (£166.10) average 403p (£147.24). Mediums 529p (£234.90) average 419p (£176.83). Heavies 498p (£235.10) average 391p (£198.21).

263 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer : Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Ewes sold to a flying trade with the best to £306 for cracking Texel ewes from R. & J. Plant, Keele. Rams to £241 for D. Parton & Son, Norton-In-Hales. Light ewes sold from £70 to £90, plain ewes £100 to £120, cutting ewes £130 to £160 and heavy ewes £170 to £220. An overall average was returned at £165.08.



1,062 REARING CALVES

Auctioneer : Jonty Cliffe (07595 453306)

Massive numbers this week, with our second-highest ever entry of calves. Trade was superb and remained strong throughout, with 82 buying accounts operating on the day. There was more quality forward this week, which helped lift the average by £30 on last week to £398 per head, with 194 calves selling for over £600. The best calves continued to command a premium, while medium calves were fiercely bid for by the largest portion of buyers. The bottom end of the trade remained similar to last week, with buyers becoming more selective, so it really does pay to put some extra milk into these calves. A huge thank you to our staff team today, and to all buyers and sellers for their support and patience.

Friesian Bulls – A lot less forward as we come over the peak of dairy bulls, but still a super trade averaging £119. Top price was £230 from Dalton Farms, Ashbourne. Best: £175-£220, Mediums: £100-£150, Smalls: £30-£75.

Native Bulls – Another super trade with 25 over £600, the mediums and smalls look extremely well sold and are in incredible demand! Top price: £700 for a Angus from RD&A Roe & Son, Gnosall. Best: £550-£650, Mediums: £450-£525, Smalls: £250-£400.

Continental Bulls – Massive numbers with 304 forward, selling on a super trade with many young bulls in the mix too. The section average is £532 per head. Top price: £820 for a Charolais from RJ&RH Gadsbey, Yarlet. Best: £600-£750, Mediums: £475-£575, Smalls: £300-£450.

Native Heifers – Same story as the bulls, a hell of a trade and section average of £329 but plenty of spring calves in that!! Top price: A cow making Angus at £535 from RD&A Roe & Son. Best: £425-£500, Mediums: £325-£400, Smalls: £175-£300.

Continental Heifers – Super trade with demand relentless, a much better show this week which led to 48 over £600 but all grades great to sell with the trade holding throughout the sale. Top price: £740 for a Blue from Thomasson Farms, Nantwich. Best: £575-£675, Mediums: £475-£550, Smalls: £300-£450.

Only a handful of young weanlings included a 6 month Blues steers at £795 from Mr S.J. Palmer, Sutton Maddock and 3 month Hereford heifers at £570 from Mr R. Upton, Belper. **Please note all weanlings will be sold at the end of the calf sale going forward.**

BULL CALVES

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN

(185 - AV.£119.60)
£230 Dalton Farms
£220 Charmley Farms Ltd

BRITISH BLUE

(246 - AV.£504.90)
£810GA.Hargreaves&Sons
£760 P. & F. Jenkinson

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(81 - AV.£485.31)
£700 RD.&A. Roe & Son
£695 RD.&A. Roe & Son

HEREFORD

(61 - AV.£346.56)
£595 A.&A. Proctor
£570 Mr E.J. Studley

CHAROLAIS

(10 - AV.£613.00)
£820 RJ.&RH. Gadsbey
£750 B.J. Mould Ltd

SIMMENTAL

(25 - AV.£627.00)
£790 DV.&DA.Cliffe&Sons
£780 KP.&M.Massey&Son

LIMOUSIN

(23 - AV.£405.87)
£600 Tracey M. Evanson
£540 S.J. Cartwright Ltd

HEIFER CALVES

BRITISH BLUE

(218 - AV.£457.87)
£740 Thomasson Livestock
£715 Mr S.J. Palmer

ABERDEEN ANGUS

(78 - AV.£377.69)
£535 RD.&A. Roe & Son
£510 Fitton Farms Ltd

OTH

(3 - AV.£265.00)
£520 Halton Farms Ltd
£160 Platt Farms Ltd

HEREFORD

(82 - AV.£285.61)
£530 RJ.&RH.Gadsbey
£520 P. & Y Farming

CHAROLAIS

(7 - AV.£601.43)
£730 G.Green & Son
£710 D.&HE.Colclough&Son

SIMMENTAL

(14 - AV.£574.29)
£710 DV.&DA.Cliffe&Sons
£690 DV.&DA.Cliffe&Sons

LIMOUSIN

(14 - AV.£377.14)
£500 Andrew J. Byron
£495 Tracey M. Evanson

LONGHORN x 1

£470 Mr C. Window

CBD x 1

£270 Reaseheath College

STABILISER x 1

£255 Dalton Farms

FOR SALE

40 x Silage/Haylage Bales (2024)
Sandon, Staffordshire
Contact Ben 07791 791356.

Mitsubishi L200 / Fiat fullback hard tonneau cover.
Lifts on gas struts. Lockable and comes with two keys
Genuine Mitsubishi part - Made 2014 Was fitted to a 2019
Fiat fullback. 07791222520.

WANTED

Maize Ground Wanted to Rent for a Number of Clients.
Contact Jonty Cliffe 07595 453306.

SHOW POTENTIAL CATTLE WANTED

We are looking for weanlings and store cattle with show potential for our young competitors to purchase for the competition.

Monday 6th April - Weanlings, 11.30am
Wednesday 8th April - Stores, 12.30 pm

PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD AND SUPPORT OUR YOUNG HANDLERS!

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rural surveyors & property agents

FETF UPDATE



FARMING EQUIPMENT & TECHNOLOGY FUND (FETF) APPLICATION WINDOW **OPEN NOW**

THIS IS THE FINAL STANDALONE ROUND OF FETF IN ITS CURRENT FORM, WITH A STREAMLINED AND MORE TARGETED GRANT SCHEME TO FOLLOW FROM 2027. TO APPLY NOW CALL THE TEAM ON 01630 692500



CHESHIRE EAST CALL FOR SITES

THE COUNCIL ARE INVITING SUBMISSIONS FOR POTENTIAL DEVELOPMENT SITES AS PART OF THE LOCAL PLAN PREPARATION

DEADLINE TUESDAY 31ST MARCH 2026

Process : Online submission of suitable sites

Minimum site requirement: 0.25 hectares or 5+ dwellings

Purpose : To identify suitable sites to meet housing & employment needs

Submission does not guarantee allocation for development but is an important first step in promotion of land.

For further information please contact Dan Bowden

  @barbersrural 01630 692500 info@barbers-rural.co.uk

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- Traditional cheese production
 - Modern pig fattening unit
- Regenerative livestock systems
- Potatoes and flowers enterprise
 - Arable and sheep farm
 - Organic arable farming

New Members Welcome

Application forms are available from the Secretary.

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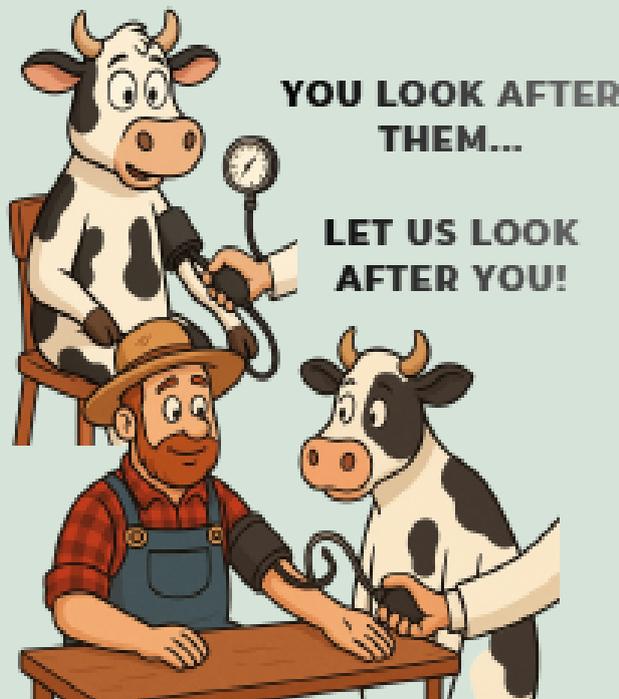




WELLBEING DROP-IN

FULL AND MINI HEALTH CHECKS ARE BACK!

2026 DATES:



YOU LOOK AFTER
THEM...

LET US LOOK
AFTER YOU!

MARKET DRAYTON LIVESTOCK MARKET:

1ST WEDNESDAY OF THE
MONTH: 10AM - 2PM

7 TH JAN	8 TH JUL
4 TH FEB	5 TH AUG
4 TH MAR	2 ND SEPT
8 TH APR	7 TH OCT
6 TH MAY	4 TH NOV
3 RD JUN	2 ND DEC

FULL HEALTH CHECK:

- CHOLESTEROL CHECK
- DIABETES CHECK
- BODY MASS INDEX (HEIGHT, WEIGHT, AND WAIST MEASUREMENTS)
- BLOOD PRESSURE/PULSE
- ALCOHOL AUDIT
- PHYSICAL ACTIVITY ASSESSMENT
- Q RISK/HEART AGE
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