MARKET DRAYTON MARKET LTD

Market Drayton Livestock Market report the following trade:



MONDAY 5 AUGUST 2024 111 BARREN COWS, CULL BULLS & OVERAGE CLEAN CATTLE (Green Market) Auctioneer: Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Another good entry considering the time of year and selling on a very firm trade considering the harvest season. Young meated cattle certainly commanding the premium and lean feeding types keenly contested and certainly well past slaughter trade! Big thank you to all the vendors and buyers for their continued support.

Top of the shop this week traded to 245p or £2,724.40 for Bulls, 226p or £1,632.00 for Sucklers, 222p or £1,500.72 for Clean and 217p or £1,489.60 for Dairy. Overall Market average returned at 170p.

- **56 Dairy** Certainly not a vintage show with two tiers of cows forward, either wet bagged and very lean worked cows or young types. The young feeding types easier to place and selling to a premium seeing 217p a trio of lives. Distant travellers Williams Family young black & white at 217p grossed £1,275.96. Closer to home Vernon family also 217p to generate £1,271.62 & Ball family 217p to return £1,154.44. The Bloxham family cow to 213p (£1,069.26). Morris family Norwegian Red to 192p (£1,328.64) and the Brindley family black & white to 190p (£1,489.60). Also Park House Dairy Ltd cows to 184p (£1,221.76) and 181p (£1,285.10) to mention a few. Section average returned at 151p (£910.47).
- **40 Sucklers** Mixed entry with a lot of young & leaner types which certainly found some spirited bidding. Bob Yeomans saw his Limousin & Simmentals to 226p (£1,591.04), 207p (£1,548.36), 206p (£1,334.88), 196p (£1,415.70) etc. Pete Crossmore and family Limousin to 225p (£1,206.00). Natives sold to 222p (£1,065.60) for Aberdeen Angus from Cordiner family. Section average returned at 186p (£1,132.54)
- **3 Bulls** Young Limousin sold to 245p to return (£2,724.40) from Edward Evans and family. Pennington family saw their Blue Cross to 220p (2,252.80) and 185p (£2,060.90) for their Dairy Shorthorn. Section average returned at 216p (£2,346.03).
- **12** Clean Humble entry forward with no real power or shape like we have been experiencing in previous weeks. Trade peaked at 222p (£1,500.72) for an Aberdeen Angus heifer from the Clay family. Timmis family sold Hereford heifer to 218p (£1,015.88) & Hereford Steer to 210p (£781.20).

If you have cows to sell please get in touch with this level of trade. Contact Bernie 07778 164274 or Mark Jones 07813 625787.

FROM JUNE THE BARREN/OTM SALE WILL COMMENCE AT 3.30PM. CAN ALL CATTLE ARRIVE BY 3.15PM FOR BOOKING IN PURPOSES.

- RED MARKETS -

Red Market Will Be The Second Monday of Every Month ... Monday 12 August/9 September, 3.30pm For all cattle including T.B. restricted holdings with a movement licence from Animal Health.

To accommodate restricted younger cattle and feeding cattle ORANGE MARKETS are the third Thursday of every month Thursday 22 August / 19 September. All cattle to travel on a TB16E License further details Ben 07778 164274.

178 PIGS

Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791 791356)

- **4 Cull Sows** More sows needed please We should have 20+ sows every sale with this trade. Best at 120pkg topping at 130pkg coming to over £400.
- **66 Fat Pigs** Again short on requirement with best sorts very well bid for at 180p-220p topping at 245p from Nigel Turner. Medium pigs 140p-170p with plain or store pigs from 70p-120p.

	Av.	Тор	Тор
60-79kg	170p	200p	£152.00
80-100kg	185p	220p	£198.00
101+kg	144p	245p	£256.25
Sows	127p	130p	£403.00

108 Store & Weaner Pigs - A massive entry and all sold well to a large crowd. Best weaners at £70 plus with everything making over £50 to include rare breeds. Strong stores at £80 - £90 topping at £98 for 47kg.

Weight	Price	Vendor
47kg	£98	R Pritchard
45kg	£85	R Pritchard
30kg	£80	N Read
23kg	£75	N Read
23kg	£70	GH & J Cork
20kg	£58	J A Evans

- NEXT PIG MARKETS -

Monday 19 August / 2 & 16 September 10.30am Cull Sows & Boars Followed by Prime Pigs All enquires to Ben 07791 791356.

61 YOUNGSTOCK

Auctioneer: Jason Brown (07774 816384)

A respectable entry forward selling to the fastest trade of the year.

The entry consisted as usual of mixed breeds and varied from Calves to Bulling Heifers.

Messrs R.G Woolley, Acton continued their dispersal this month, selling Bulling Heifers and Maidens. The first Heifer of the day set the trade alight and away we went, Pedigree or Commercial it didn't

really matter. 3 of the first 4 Bulling Heifers made from £1,110-£1,130. Bulling Heifers from Messrs Crank, Tarporley from £970 to £1,010.

Yearling Heifers were in very high demand with 7-8 buyers trying to secure them. Again topping the section were Messrs R.G Woolley, Acton at £910 with others at £850, £830 and £800.

Cross Bred Bulling Heifers met a very much improved trade, selling to £860 from E.A Johnson, Chester with majority £580-£860.

Weaned Calves a flying trade with £530-£670 from Messes R.G Woolley, Acton with younger calves £340-£390.

Averages:

Bulling Heifers £920 (All Breeds)

Yearling Heifers £715

£400 (All Breeds) Calves

Next Youngstock Sale Monday 2nd September

316 WEANLINGS

Auctioneer's: Ben Baggott (07791 791356) & Jonty Cliffe (07595 453306)

trade. We've had a fantastic showcase of quality cattle, £1,633.21. with buyers keen to invest in the best! Heifers have been the middle of harvest season.

top tiers, top spot was £485 for a 8mo Friesian from AG steers to 328p (£1,948.32) and 320p (£2,131.20). Closer Bonsall & Son, Stafford followed by 4mo Angus at £380 to home Darren Young Limousin to 289p (£1,999.88) and from MD Clewlow, Shrewsbury. Onto the Steers which thereafter a great run of commercial cattle seeing were on fire from the off. Early in the sale we saw a 6mo Aberdeen Angus to 258p (£1,651.20) from Latham family. suckler bred Limousin sell for £940 for RG Swain, Section average returned at 262p or £1,651.12. Shavington Park. Dairy bred Blues of 9 months sold to month old steers at £775 from PJ&FP Bridge, Cockshutt. Warner and family, 318p (£1,838.04) and shine flew to £500-£600 no matter of the breed.

from BJ Mould Ltd, Stafford at £800. Young 4-6 month old age returned at 270p (£1,538.10). Blues sold to £710 from RJ Brown, Stafford. The Natives were a fast trade with very little below £475. Top spot at £630 from Ward Partners, Ashford for 8mo Angus heifers, and 6mo Angus from M Latham, Derby sold for £550. The next sale is Monday 19th August. Get your entries in to Ben or Jonty to ensure that we can advertise them in 84 DAIRY CATTLE advance.

- NEXT WEANLING SALE -

Monday 19 August / 2 & 16 September 11.30am Enquires to Ben 07791 791356/Jonty 07595 453306.

WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST 2024 190 CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG BULLS Auctioneer: Bernie Hutchinson (07778 164274)

Didn't quite make the 200 mark but considering a £1,260 to top at £1,280 and all their others ranged from real harvest day, totally blown away with the amount of support! Huge thank you to all our local and distant travellers who support and please spread the word as our orders grow more cattle required. Trade was as hot as the weather a real sizzler of a day with 28 cattle over 300p!!!

> Summer sizzlers to 337p or £2,145.00 for heifers, 330p or £2,178.00 for steers, 327p or £2,235.16 for bulls.

88 Bulls - Fantastic array of bulls in the main selling on a blistering trade throughout & dare I say many more could have been sold to the vendors advantage. Sucklers raced away to 327p (£2,151.66) for a cracking Limousin from Edward Evans & family with further bulls to 323p twice (£2,235.16 & £2,196.40). Great to see the Binns family back with a wonderful Limousins to 321p (£2,035.14), 317p (£1,914.68), 315p (£2,047.50) and 304p (£1,793.60). Rob Stubbs & family Limousin to 318p (£2,194.20) and John White and family Limousins to 310p (£2,095.60) and 305p (£2,141.10) etc to mention a few. Natives to a staggering 282p (£2,148.84) for Aberdeen Angus from Pete Moseley and family. Drayton specials A cracking entry of weanlings and trade remains in saw black & whites race away to 270p (£1,398.60) from the highest gear with all grades selling on a very strong the Barlow family. Section average returned at 267p or

21 Steers - Only disappointment on the day would off the clock with the steers not far behind. It's great to see be the numbers forward especially as the trade was hotter so much confidence around the weanling ring as we sit in than the Sahara Desert! Great to see distant travellers the Browns family, Nuneaton taking a hat-trick of top prices to Very few bulls forward and a lack of quality to reach the 330p (£2,178.00) for a tremendous Limousin& further

71 Heifers - Wow what a trade absolutely scorching £850 for Ward Partners, Ashford and next in line were 7 topping at 337p (£1,853.50) for Limousin from Jonny Onto the Natives which saw an excellent show of Angus (£1,511.02). The Brown family, Nuneaton two corking with very few strong Herefords about. Top spot went to 5- Limousins to 330p (£2,145.00) and 318p (£1,904.82). 6mo Angus at £670 from GW&MA Platt & Son, North Closer to home Darren Young Limousin to 323p Rode, who sold others at £655. Anything with shape and (£2,093.04). Ben Starkey and family saw 320p (£1,881.60) for Charolais , 318p (£1,876.20) and 308p (£1,884.96) The heifers took the crown for best sold on the day with a for Limousins. Martin Edwards and family Limousin to lot of enthusiasm and demand for well grown heifers. Top 318p (£1,558.20) etc. Another distant traveller Probert call going to a 6mo suckler bred Blue from RG Swain, family saw their Blue crosses to 303p (£1,866.48) and Shavington Park at £980. Next were 10mo Blue heifers 300p (£1,788.00) to mention a few. Natives to 267p from S & RE Crank, Tarporley at £800 and 7mo Limousins (£1,575.30) for Hereford from Lees family. Section aver-

> FROM JUNE THE CLEAN CATTLE & YOUNG **BULL SALE WILL COMMENCE AT 10.45AM. CAN ALL CATTLE ARRIVE BY 10.15AM FOR BOOKING IN PURPOSES. Thank you.**

Auctioneers: Gwilym Richards (07768 020393) & Jason Brown (07774 816384) **TOP PRICED £2.980**

What a trade! After 2 weeks of shows and lesser numbers forward this week we had a full shed. Again as always we offer something for all tastes. Everything sold well ahead of vendors expectations.

We started off with calves on milk and top call came for Lot 94, Bannistree Cherry Blossom Red, Sired by RDG Aladdin Red, she sold at £300 from Messes D.E Monk, 175 STORE CATTLE Ormskirk. Cross bred Calves from Oakland Farms sold to Auctioneer: Ben Baggott (07791 791356) £295 x2.

£2.980 for commercial heifer from RW & EE Edwards, farmers looking for late grazing cattle. Hanmer, their other three heifers sold to £2,900, £2,420 & £2,350 with 18 heifers over £2,000 in total.

£2,500, £2,300 twice, £2,040 and £2,000.

D & E Monk, Ormskirk £2,620 and £2,300. O.C Whittaker, Tabley £2,400 and £2,000. R.N Thompson £2,350. B & B brisk bidding. Top draws at £1,000-£1,200 topping at Williams, Chester £2,050.

cows the trade of the day. A 2nd Calved Cow from Britton, 200p-220p topping at 260p. Durham sold to today's top price cow at £2,200. J Lomax, Baldwins Gate £2,000 for Chorlton Herring Patty VG85. 90 quality of last week. Best at £1,300-£1,500 topping at month cows from L.F Horton, Northwich to £1,780 and £1,590 for Simmental Heifers from C Hollinshead. Plenty of younger cows from the same home to £1,800. Cows from 70 months to 115 months ranged from £1,200-£1,620.

Incalf Heifers set off at fast pace with the first averaging around 250ppkg for bigger cattle. commercial heifers through the ring topping at £1,850 from PA & S Wynn & Partners, Ightfield Heath.

£1,270.

First Quality Heifers	£2,400
Heifers - All breeds inc faults	£1,934
First Quality Cow	£2,006
Cows - All breeds inc faults	£1,360
Served Heifers	£1,435

SALE AT SHORT NOTICE MONDAY 19 AUGUST (10.30am) AT MARKET DRAYTON MARKET, TF9 3SW

(moved from Farlow, Cleobury Mortimer, for sale convenience)

DISPERSAL SALE OF THE CLEEVIEW & RODYA HERD OF **100 AYRSHIRES & SHORTHORNS**

100 Milking Cows and Heifers to be sold in Calving Order 7.000L - Grazed herd - Spring bias -Cubicles

On Behalf of BJ Rodenhurst & Son *******

FRIDAY 30 AUGUST (10.30am) AT MARKET DRAYTON MARKET, TF9 3SW

(moved from Belbroughton, Stourbridge, for sale convenience)

DISPERSAL SALE OF THE NOTED PEDIGREE HARBORNE HERD OF 210 HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS

180 Milking Cows and Heifers to be sold in Calving Order & 30 In-Calf Heifers Young herd - 7,505L 4.30F 3.31P cc223 - Grazed herd - Cubicles

All year calving to Beef and Holstein - Classified On Behalf of AR Beckett

Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club - Wednesday 28 August 2024.

Steers

A good August entry and a very sharp trade Fresh Calved Heifer trade was absolutely on fire, top throughout. All makes and models in demand and more

A couple of nice Limousin Cows & Calves sold to £1,860 and £1,800 with a pure in calf Limousin Cows at Skinner Bros, Melton Mowbray, £2,650, £2,600, £1,400. A Limousin Bull 16 Month made £1,400 from Paul Evans.

More Friesian Steers on offer and attracting very £1,265 from DM & PJ King. Farming types at £750-£900 A blistering trade on Cows of all qualities with aged with younger types £500-£650. Trade generally around

> Good entry of Yarding Cattle but maybe not quite the good cattle around that £1,200 mark looking well sold. Trade at 260p-280p for the better end with most breeds

Farming and younger cattle very well bid for indeed. Best cattle £900-£1,000 getting to £1,085 for 7-8 month old Recently Served Heifers from R.G Woolley, Acton to Limousin Steer from N.W & J Kent. Plenty of Cattle 280p-300ppkg topping at 340ppkg with only plainer Natives 220p -240ppkg.

> More needed of all makes and models please. 200 plus cattle needed every week at the moment - all store enquiries to Ben 07791 791356.

<u>Steers</u>			
Breed	Price	Weight	Vendor
Friesian	£1,265.00	484kg	DM & PJ Kinsey
Friesian	£980.00	406kg	D.J & E Moss &Sons
Friesian	£770.00	387kg	Adam Hollinshead
Friesian	£630.00	320kg	B.&M. Elkin & Son
British Blue	£1,520.00	550kg	N.TN&EM Baskeyfield
British Blue	£1,130.00	436kg	Amy Seabridge
British Blue	£1,055.00	386kg	Simon Baskerville
British Blue	£900.00	348kg	DJ & E Moss & Sons
British Blue	£800.00	328kg	R J Davies
Angus	£1,550.00	582kg	Karl Harrison
Angus	£1,395.00	506kg	N.TN&EM Baskeyfield
Angus	£1,300.00	494kg	D & D Parsons
Angus	£1,070.00	388kg	Simon Baskerville
Angus	£1,020.00	432kg	Betley Court Farm
Fleckvieh	£ 1,258.00	534kg	D & D Parsons
Hereford	£1,420.00	480kg	V.E Lloyd
Hereford	£1,255.00	480kg	MrDM&PJ Kinsey
Charolais	£1,500.00	514kg	V.E Lloyd
Simmental	£1,375.00	477kg	David P Mounfield
Simmental	£1,105.00	384kg	Adam Hollinshead
Limousin	£1,545.00	550kg	Bonsalls Mercaston
Limousin	£1,375.00	426kg	W.T Mardling & Son
Limousin	£1,085.00	335kg	N.W & J Kent
Limousin	£1,080.00	398kg	JW.T Mardling & Son
Limousin	£855.00	303kg	N.W & J Kent

<u>H</u>	<u>eifers</u>			
В	reed	Price	Weight	Vendor
В	ritish Blue	£1,500.00	574kg	C Hollinshead & Son
В	ritish Blue	£1,460.00	518kg	DJ.& MM. Atkin
В	ritish Blue	£950.00	380kg	NE & DJ Waring
В	ritish Blue	£860.00	326kg	L.P Atkin
Α	ngus	£1,545.00	592kg	DJ.& MM. Atkin
Α	ngus	£1,500.00	560kg	DJ.& MM. Atkin
Α	ngus	£1,190.00	494kg	V.E Lloyd
Α	ngus	£1,135.00	454kg	DM & PJ Kinsey
Н	ereford	£1,275.00	500kg	V.E Lloyd
Н	ereford	£1 190 00	461ka	IG & TM Beckett

Hereford	£1,090.00	433kg	Betley Court Farms
Charolais	£1,400.00	518kg	Adam Hollinshead
Charolais	£1,270.00	478kg	Adam Hollinshead
Charolais	£1,270.00	476kg	D.A Lockett
Simmental	£1,590.00	648kg	C Hollinshead & Son
Simmental	£1,360.00	500kg	Amy Seabridge
Simmental	£1,195.00	447kg	Betley Court Farm
Simmental	£940.00	394kg	Simon Baskerville
Limousin	£1,395.00	471kg	D & D Parson
Limousin	£1,330.00	456kg	W.T Mardling & Son
Limousin	£1,290.00	430kg	M.J Farnell

1440 PRIME LAMBS

Auctioneer: Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Lambs sold to a slightly sharper trade with better meated heavier sorts and best continentals lambs selling to a premium. A total clearance was reported and an overall market average returned at 310p.

Lights sold to 314p for 31.8kg to accumulate £99.85 for K Edwards.

Standards hit 331p for some lambs weighing 36.2kg to return £119.82 for Matthew Gurd. Others as follows: 37.2kg to 320p (£119.04) P Gough, 37.8kgs to 319p (£120.58) K Edwards, 36.6kgs to 318p (£116.39) J R Ward & Son and 37kgs to 317p (£117.29) D J Stubbs.

Mediums raced away to 390p for 44kg to gross £171.60 to L.T Swinnerton. Other notable pens as follow: 42kgs to 370p (£155.40) H F Jones, 40kgs to 360p (£144.00) Sarah Jones, 43kgs to 355p (£152.65) D.J Stubbs, 44kgs to 348p (£153.12) D.J Stubbs, 40.2kgs to 340p (£136.68) W Shelley & Sons, 43kgs to 340p (£146.20) RW & JE James and 41kgs to 340p (£139.40) W BULL CALVES Shelley & Sons.

Heavies sold to 406p for 46.2kgs to return £187.57 from Done & Son. The vast majority of heavy lambs traded from £140 to £160. Top price in the lump was £221.00 for 68kgs from D & J Dunlop.

More required week-in week-out - good buying support - if you have sheep to sell please contact Mark thank you.

	Sola	AV.
Premium	281	312p
Prime	1002	305p
Other	157	291p

Lambs Graded: Lights to 314p (£99.85) average 296p (£90.48). Standards to 331p (£121.29) average 306p LIMOUSIN (£110.88). Mediums to 390p (£171.60) average 312p (12 - AV.£327.08) (£131.60). Heavies to 406p (£221.00) average 316p (£154.62).

502 BUTCHERS EWES

Auctioneer: Mark Jones (07813 625787)

Ewes sold on a flying trade with the best to £280 for £430 PJ &FP Bridge Texel ewes from D & J Dunlop. Rams to £164 for Texel £388 RJ & RH Gadsbey tups from D & B Richardson & Daughter. Light ewes sold from £60-£80, plain ewes traded from £90-£120, cutting ewes £130-£160 and heavy ewes £170-£220. An overall average has returned at £121.60.

587 REARING CALVES

Ben Baggott (07791 791356) & Jonty Auctioneer's : Cliffe (07595 453306)

AN ASTONISHING TRADE! Just when you think we may have seen the best of the trade we go and have a sale like that! Take a look at the averages below; I think they speak for themselves. As expected more calves forward this week and the ringside has been jam packed too. The biggest rise in trade would be the smalls and mediums; you

couldn't ask enough for them! As always the shed has been brimming with quality so the best have been fiercely bid for aswell. Many buyers keep asking us 'when will they drop in price'... well they've stayed so strong for so long n now; I don't think we're going to see much change. Not the least until we see a significant change in prices in the store/ fat sections.

The Friesians continue in top gear but a lot of smalls about in comparison to recent weeks. Top call was £235 from J&R Bell Ltd, Toft. Best £120-£170, mediums £60-£100. The native bulls have been a fantastic trade with 41 over £300. Top spot was £360 for a Hereford from AW&L Hollinshead, Crewe. Best types £280-£350, mediums at £200-£270. Smalls at £120 to £190. The Continental bulls have been a very fast trade with all grades on fire, 62 have sold for over £350. Top price was £440 for a Charolais from EW Moss & Son, Endon. Best at £330-£400, mediums at £270-£320, smalls at £200-£260. The native heifers have been off the clock with plenty of quality too as heifers with shape and shine flew past £150. Top spot was £320 for a Hereford heifer from MP Mason, Wolverhampton. Best types at £200-£260, mediums at £150-£190, smalls £100-£140. The Continental heifers have somehow found another gear with an incredible 43 heifers over £340. Top price of £430 for a Blue from PJ&FP Bridge, Cockshutt. If you wanted a batch of mediums you couldn't get anything for under £250. Best types £320-£370, mediums £250-£310, smalls £170-£230. A handful of weanlings sold to £490 for a 4 month old Simmental bull from KP&M Massey & Son, Crewe. All calf enquiries to Ben or Jonty.

FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN		
(86 - AV.£95.01)		
J & R Bell Ltd		
R Brown & Partners		

ABERDEEN ANGUS (79 - AV.£260.56) £350 AW&B Titterton & Sons £350 J & R Bell Ltd

CHAROLAIS (7 - AV.£354.29) £440 EW Moss & Son £420 PD & RL Fenton

£400 N Bloor & Partners £400 N Bloor & Partners

HEIFER CALVES

BRITISH BLUE (100 - AV.£286.97)

HEREFORD (37 - AV.£221.62) £320 M.P Mason £300 RJ & DJ Clement

LIMOUSIN (11 - AV.£304.82) £415 G J Underwood £398 N Bloor & Partners

SALER x 1 £198 PJ &FP Bridge **BRITISH BLUE** (110 - AV.£300.77 £420DA&EM Drinkall & Son £420 PG&DR Goodwin

HEREFORD (21 - AV.£281.62) £360 AW&L Hollinshead £355Park House Dairy Farms

SIMMENTAL (15 - AV.£350.20) £390KP&M Massey & Son £390KP&M Massey & Son

ABERDEEN ANGUS (69 - AV.£187.01) £310 J & R Bell Ltd £270DA&EM Drinkall & Son

CHAROLAIS (5 - AV.£340.00) £370 PD & RL Fenton £360CE & GS Witter&Sons

SIMMENTAL (12 - AV.£268.08) £370 EW Moss & Son £365DV&DA Cliffe & Sons



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COMING SOON Nr Nantwich 108.28 Acres of arable land Register your interest Annabel Fearnal 01630 692 500

SHOW BUSINES

Last week we concluded our Spring/Summer show calendar as the team exhibited at Nantwich Show. It was a scorcher of a day indeed and we had a fantastic time catching up with you and meeting new faces.

A huge thank you to all our clients, suppliers and



NEXT UP:

Wednesday 31st July

Dan will be at the UK Dairy Day in Telford on 11th September for a walk around, do let him know if you will be there! Along with many other events the team are attending the next few months.



Dan even got himself a new hat!