



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 19 JUNE 2024 (10.30AM)

54 DAIRY CATTLE

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TOP COW £2,920 / TOP HEIFER £2,900

Finally, the sun was shining at Drayton and the temperature was also rising not only outside but inside as well. WHAT A TRADE!!! The best cows and heifers sold to probably the dearest trade for 18 months. Several buyers back in the market again looking for milky cattle to top up their milk profile.

Once again, it was the cow section that drew the top price, £2,920 for a commercial second calver from Lees Dairy Farm, Adderley. Another commercial cow from T.N. Beeston & Son, Moreton Saye sold to £2,500 with another from the same home at £2,400. Dispersal cows from Mr N. Stubbs, Hilderstone set today's trade off on a high note, she was first through the ring and made £2,300 proving that it's what's in front of you not what paperwork is behind them.

The heifer section was full of generally smaller and cross bred types but of the Holstein types which were presented all sold to a premium. Mr J.L. Atherton, Baldwins Gate showed five heifers, two of which were just what everyone wanted. Commercial, good frame, good legs and feet with super udders, the first lot one raced to £2,750 with six bidders fighting to take her home, she was followed in by lot two who stole the show a beautiful black heifer with a black udder, she sold for £2,900.

Other regular vendors sold to £2,520, £2,420 from Mr R.H. Turner, Stafford, £2,150 from Mrs V.E. Lloyd, Buerton and £2,080 L.A.J. Turner & Son, Stoke-On-Trent.

Coloured breeds absolutely on fire with a Shorthorn cow from Lees Dairy Farms, Adderley to £1,900 and fifth calved Brown Swiss Cross from H. Davies & Partners, Puddington and £1,680. Seventh calvers to £1,550 from another dispersal from NK. &CL. Jackson, Whixall.

Averages:

First Quality Cows £2,404

All Breeds Inc Faults £1,770

First Quality Heifers £2,396

All Breeds Inc Faults £1,515

Hereford Bull £1,980 Aberdeen Angus Bull £1,700

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