



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2022 (10.30AM)

54 DAIRY CATTLE

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HEIFERS TO £2,180 AND COWS TO £1,950

A very good trade for the quality forward with more cautious bidding than of late from another large company of bidders ringside and online.

With 1,032 dairies having been through the Drayton dairy ring over the first two months of the year, buyers were again plentiful with something for every budget.

The top price was £2,180 for a heifer from Lachstone Farms Ltd, Northwich, with others at £2,000 and £1,920 from the same home.

J Lomax & Son, Baldwins Gate sold a red and white heifer at £2,150. Hankins Heys Farm Ltd, Nantwich sold heifers to £1,900.

Cows sold to £1,950 for a second calver from David Rees Farms, Hunterson. Two second calvers made £1,900 each, one from David Monk, Lancashire and the other from Clayden Farm Partners, Crewe.

A number of heifers and cows sold in the £1,500 to £1,800 bracket.

A ProCross in-calf heifer due in June sold at £1,300, a heifer calf £220 and a Hereford bull (11 months) £950.

Next week is the March Show & Sale (the first Wednesday of the month) with classes for the best cow and the best heifer with a consignment of 8 fresh heifers from a high health status area already entered.

Averages:

First Quality Heifers £2,030

Second Quality Heifers £1,663

27 Heifers (all in) £1,544

First Quality Cows £1,917

Second Quality Cows £1,621

24 Cows (all in) £1,423

Next Monthly Show & Sale – Every First Wednesday – 2nd March

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