



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 01 MARCH 2022 (10.30AM)

49 DAIRY CATTLE

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

**ASTOUNDING TRADE – 20 BEST MILKERS – AVERAGE £2,051
HEIFERS TO £2,350 – COWS TO £2,280 – 11 OVER £2,000**

What a difference a week makes! After last week's slower trade, today's trade was fast and furious from the word go with the Show and Sale very ably judged by Evan Ellis attracting a better calibre of cattle.

The champion heifer from Liam Phillips of Llanymynech sold for £2,320 and his other two sold for £2,280 and £2,100 to average £2,233. The second prize heifer from Mark Partington, Lancashire sold for £2,300. The top price was £2,350 for a heifer bred by the Winstanley family from Rob Clare.

First time vendors Steve and Will Moore of Middlewich sold their heifers for £2,200 and £2,000. Brownswood Holsteins, Worcester sold to £2,120 and Frank Speed, Crewe £2,020.

The reserve champion and first prize cow from PA & JA Adams, Butterton sold for £2,250. The second prize cow from the Barbour family, Leicestershire sold for £2,280. All were second calvers.

Seven heifers sold in the £1,900s and £1,800s and twelve in the £1,700s and £1,600s with another five milkers over £1,500. There was only one milker less than £1,000.

An Aberdeen Angus stock bull (47 months) sold for £2,400.

A truly brilliant day's trading from a packed ringside of regular and new buyers. A big thank you to Evan for judging, the vendors for providing a quality entry and the buyers for their support.

Averages:

20 Top Heifers £1,994

31 Correct Heifers £1,858

6 Faulted Heifers £1,338

37 Heifers (all in) £1,774

7 Correct Cows £1,726

Next Monthly Show & Sale – Every First Wednesday – 6th April

PLEASE RING WITH YOUR ENTRIES FOR NEXT WEEK'S DAIRY SALE
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