

1800GNS TOP AT JULY SALE

Prices peaked at 1880gns at the July Collective Sale of Dairy Cattle at Ross-on-Wye Market, Herefordshire.

The top price was paid for a calved Holstein Friesian heifer from Jeff Morgan, Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire. The buyer was Andrew Alford of Abergavenny, Monmouthshire.

A Comestar Outside sired in-calf heifer from RGSR Farms, Raglan, sold for 1620gns to A Knowles, Malvern, Worcestershire.

Commercial Holstein Friesian in-calf heifers from Ben Rich, Gloucester, sold to 1600gns, 1550gns and 1500gns. Purchasing both the top prices was R J Fletcher & Son, Hereford.

RGSR Farms received the top price for a Holstein Friesian maiden heifer. The 900 guinea Hollysprings Oka Mallow was purchased by M J & S C Pugh of Hereford. The same purchaser also paid 900gns for a Dutch bred Red and White Holstein Friesian maiden heifer.

A Jersey cross calved heifer from Adrian Ractliffe, Gloucester, sold for 1100gns.

Montbedliard cross calved heifers sold to 1050gns three times, all being purchased by F M Ossig & Son of Broseley, Shropshire.

A total of 188 cattle were sold to 39 purchasers from 11 counties.

Auctioneers: Gwilym Richards