



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 14 JUNE 2023 (10.30AM)

73 DAIRY CATTLE

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

£3,100 CHAMPION – ALL 58 MILKERS AVERAGE £1,819

What a trade! The monthly show and sale supported by the Western Holstein Club is now establishing itself as the premier event in the region at which to buy quality milkers.

Today's fixture was sponsored by Hooftrimming Ltd and was judged by father and son Peter and Simon Stone who selected two calved heifers from Matthew Weaver, Stone as their champion and reserve champion. The champion was the non-pedigree first prize heifer, a Holstein Friesian cross Brown Swiss which sold for the day's top bid of £3,100. The reserve champion was the pedigree heifer Astonpool Wavelength Partridge which sold for £2,600. Matthew Weaver also sold the second prize non pedigree heifer, another Brown Swiss cross for £2,450.

The second prize pedigree heifer Newmeadow Firecracker Susan from Wyndford Wagyu, Newport sold for £2,400 and the only pedigree cow, the third calver Heathleigh Mardigras Cinderella from Robert Horton, Northwich sold for £2,000. The first prize commercial cow, a third calver made £1,900.

Sixteen cattle made over £2,000, nine in the £1,900's, five in the £1,800's and another twelve over £1,500.

Other heifers over £2,500 included £2,680 Andrew Ball, Sandbach, £2,610 David Rees Farms, Crewe, £2,500 Malcolm T Jones, Oswestry and £2,500 John and Ebs Whittaker, Tabley.

An entry of seven last Autumn calved heifers and due again with their second calves from Thomasson Farms, Nantwich sold to £2,000 and averaged £1,757.

A consignment of six bulling heifers from Chris Rutter, Delamere sold to £1,200 and averaged £1,092. His six month old heifer calf sold for £500.

A brilliant day's trading despite the concerns over the low milk prices and lack of rain with every animal sold.

Averages:

Top 20 Heifers £2,291

43 Fresh Heifers £1,891 (all breeds and faults)

8 Fresh Cows £1,482 (all breeds and faults)

Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club – Wednesday 19th July.

PLEASE RING WITH YOUR ENTRIES FOR THE NEXT DAIRY SALE
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