MARKET DRAYTON MARKET REPORT

WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL 2019 (10.30AM)

46 DAIRY CATTLE Auctioneers: Gwilym Richards (07768 020393) and Jason Brown (07774 816384)

Best Dairy Heifers at £2,050 and £2,150

Mr Richard Hammett of Swansea received the top bid of £2,150 for a calved heifer with Mr Andrew Shakeshaft of Colemere receiving the next highest bid of £2,050.

But for one cow the whole entry comprised heifers with something for everyone ranging from £1,000.

There were fewer first quality heifers forward this week but the large number of second quality heifers consistently made between £1,600 and £1,700.

Coloured cattle sold very well to £1,600 for a red and white heifer and £1,500 for an Ayrshire heifer.

A fourteen month old Hereford bull sold for £1,200 and heifer calves to £190.

Averages:-

42 Milking Heifers (all breeds and faults) £1,458 First Quality averaged £2,100 Second Quality averaged £1,669 Top Ten averaged £1,755

Next week is our monthly "Show & Sale"

Please ring with your entries for next week's dairy sale (to be included in the catalogue entries need to be with us for mid-day Tuesday) 01630 652926 or email : k.coulthard@barbers-auctions.co.uk