



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 15 FEBRUARY 2023 (10.30AM)

80 DAIRY CATTLE

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

£3,220 TOP – 7 OVER £3,000 – ALL DAIRIES AVG £2,205

If last week's trade was described as steaming hot, this week's trade is best described as scalding hot and probably the best trade ever at Drayton.

This week's sale included the Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club, sponsored by Hooftrimming and judged by Charles Forrester.

The top price was £3,220 for one of twelve calved heifers from the Lachstone herd of Jeremy Platt, Northwich, who was also awarded the champion and first prize pedigree for Lachstone Outlay W Gleam which sold for £3,150. All twelve averaged £2,956 with others at £3,200, £3,150 and £3,000 twice and £2,900.

The first prize pedigree cow and reserve champion was a second calver from Clayden Farm Partners, Crewe, she was Clayden Jaguar Mattie and sold for the top cow price of £2,900. Their three second calvers averaged £2,633.

David and Ian Whitticase, St Martins sold heifers at £3,100 and £2,880 and Geoff and Jean Williams, Hay on Wye £2,880.

The first prize commercial heifer was a Brown Swiss cross from Richard Thompson, Ashbourne sold at £2,450 and the first prize commercial cow was a second calver from R & R Vernon & Sons, Burleydam sold at £2,420. The second prize commercial heifer from RH Turner, Stafford sold for £2,500.

Ayrshire calved heifers sold to £1,900 and Jersey crosses to £1,280.

Bulling heifers sold to £1,280, heifer calves to £350 and stock bulls sold to £2,400 (Limousin 20 months).

Averages:

Top 10 Heifers £3,052

51 Heifers (all in) £2,242

Top 5 Cows £2,560

12 Cows (all in) £2,048

Next Monthly Show & Sale supported by the Western Holstein Club – Wednesday 15th March

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