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## Beeston Market Report Week Ending 17<sup>th</sup> February 2012

### MARKET HEADLINES

**BEESTON CASTLE AUCTION**  
The UK's Number One Calf Market

#### **361 Calves**

126 Continental x including  
BB x Bulls to £415, BB x Heifers to £332  
AA x Bulls to £288, Here x Bulls to £288  
126 Hols Bulls to £180, Average £84.94.

**5 Weanlings** to £340 Fr Bull 6 mo

**155 Cull Cows** to 165.0p or £1,475.10

Averaging 120.8p  
Black & White Cows to 140.0p  
Continental Cows to 165p  
Native Bred Cows to 154.0p  
Cull Bulls to 129.5p

**28 Beef Cattle:** Steers to 194p,  
Heifers to 173p, Bulls to 185p.

**139 Store Cattle:** Steers to £1,060 or 231p,  
Heifers to £895 or 224p, Bulls to £535 or 165p.

### COLLECTIVE SALES

**Next Sale:**  
**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March @ 9.30 am**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> April @ 9.30 am  
All Enquiries to Alastair Brown on 07831 395 167

**Sale of Farm Equipment:**  
**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March @ ?? am**  
at No 3 Holding, Coole Pilate, Nantwich.

### DAIRY CATTLE SALES

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February @ 10.30 am**  
The Western Holstein Club's Sale of Pedigree Dairy  
Cattle @ Beeston Castle Auction

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March @ 10.30 am**  
Mid-Month Sale of Commercial & Pedigree Dairy  
Cattle @ Beeston Castle Auction

### EQUINE SALES

Sale of Horses & Ponies @ 11.00 am on  
**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> March**

Sale of Tack @ 10.00 am on  
**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> February & 14<sup>th</sup> March**

### ANTIQUÉ & GENERAL SALES

Antique & General Sale  
**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March @ 10.30 am**  
Viewing: Wed 29<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 am – 5.00 pm

Fine Art Sale  
**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March @ 10.30 am**  
Viewing: Sun 18<sup>th</sup> March 10.00 am – 4.00 pm  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March 10.00 am – 4.00 pm  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 10.00 am – 4.00 pm  
**NO VIEWING Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March**

### FRIDAY MARKETS

Sale of Calves @ 8.15 am, "Not For Export"  
Calves @ approx 9.45 am, Continentals @ 11.00  
am, Weaned Calves @ 11.00 am, Cull Cows @  
10.00 am followed by Beef @ 12 Noon & Store  
Cattle @ approx 12.30 pm, Produce @ 12.15 pm

Wright Manley, Beeston Castle Auction,  
Whitchurch Road, Beeston, Tarporley, Cheshire  
CW6 9NZ. Tel: 01829 262 100.

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## **361 CALVES**

Auctioneers: All Calves: Stuart Hassall,  
Richard Goodwin & Simon Lamb  
Weanlings: Andrew Wallace  
Sale Times: Native Breeds 8.15 am  
Weaned Calves 2 – 8 Months approx 11.00 am  
Followed by Continentals at approx 11.00 am  
According to Weanling Entries

### **ATTENTION CALF VENDORS**

**If calves are PRE-Movement Tested WE NEED a copy of the Paperwork with each calf to give to the Buyer with the PASSPORT.**

**Your cooperation would be appreciated.**

**If you have any queries please speak to Andrew Wallace.**

**361** An **EXPECTED POST** Mid-Month Entry met a **BLISTERING TRADE** throughout. Plenty of Buyers around the ring for all breeds. Continental Bulls sold to £415 for a British Blue from P. & A. Howard (Darnhall) while Continental Heifers topped at £332 for a Blue from P.B. Overy. Good to see them back. Holstein Bulls sold very well to £180. Hereford and Angus cross Bulls were an **ALMIGHTY TRADE** and Heifers were very well sold.

Thank you for your Custom.

**VENDORS NOTE: PLEASE CHECK YOUR PASSPORTS WITH THE EAR TAGS IN THE CALVES. THREE WRONG THIS WEEK WHICH HAD TO GO HOME.**

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2012 the 42 day old calf will have been born on the 14<sup>th</sup> January 2012.**

**66 Continental Bulls, Overall average £290.60. Up £50.**

**TRADE WAS ON FIRE** selling to £415 and averaging £290.60, Top spot went to P. & A. Howard with a **SUPERB** British Blue, who also had second place at £405 and fourth place at £390. P.B. Overy took third place with £395 for a British Blue Bull and A.J. & M.J. Hall took fourth place at £388 with another British Blue Bull. Limousins sold to £378 from M. & S. Wilson & Son.

#### **Continental Bull Averages:**

British Blue to £415, averaging £313.11.  
Simmental to £328, averaging £287.43.  
Limousins to £378, averaging £268.63.  
Charolais to £278.

#### **Our Top Ten:**

£415 BB x – P. & A. Howard  
£405 BB x – P. & A. Howard  
£395 BB x – P.B. Overy  
£390 BB x – P. & A. Howard  
£388 BB x – A.J. & M.J. Hall  
£382 BB x – J.A. & C.J. Sherwin  
£378 Lim x – M. & S. Wilson & Son

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£358 BB x – M. & S. Wilson  
£354 BB x – C. & S. Fitton & Son  
£342 BB x – P. & R. Robibson

**65 Continental Heifers, average £216.93.**

**A CRACKING TRADE** with a top of £332 for a British Blue from P.B. Overy. Plenty of calves £250 plus. All breeds keenly bid on.

#### **Continental Heifer averages:**

British Blue x to £332, averaging £235.54.  
Simmentals x to £328, averaging £222.85.  
Limousin x to £258, averaging £189.11.  
Charolais x to £248.

#### **Our Top Ten:**

£332 BB x – P.B. Overy  
£328 Sim x – J.E. & H.M. Rutter  
£325 BB x – C. & S. Fitton & Son  
£295 BB x – M. & S. Wilson.  
£275 BB x – P. & A. Howard  
£274 BB x – Claytons Partnership  
£272 BB x – Platt Bros  
£265 BB x – R.G. Winward  
£260 BB x – Roger Done  
£260 BB x – J.H. Blackburn

**62 Native Beef Breeds**

A **BLISTERING TRADE** with best Angus crosses to £288 for G.J. Ford & Son. Herefords topped at £290 from R.G. & S.K. Evans.

**36 Native Cross Bred Bulls: Averaging £200.36.**

#### **Native Cross Bred Bull averages:**

Aberdeen Angus x to £288, averaging £242.56.  
Hereford x to £288, averaging £251.75.  
Shorthorn Bulls to £122, averaging £79.30.

#### **Our Top Six Bulls:**

£290 Her x – R.G. & S.K. Evans  
£288 AA x – G.J. Ford & Son  
£288 AA x – J.R. & F.J. Hocknell  
£288 AA x – A.C. Pugh  
£288 Her x – W. Hodgson & Sons  
£285 AA x – A.C. Pugh

**26 Native x Bred Heifers, average £163.12. Up £30.**

HEIFERS were a **REAL TRADE** with a top price of £202 for a splendid Angus cross from S. Rigby. Herefords topped at £188 from O. Bennion.

#### **Native Cross Bred Heifer averages:**

Aberdeen Angus x to £202, averaging £159.33.  
Hereford x to £188, averaging £169.29.

#### **Our Top Four:**

£202 AA x – S. Rigby  
£188 AA x – T.M. Woodcock & Partners  
£188 AA x – Graham Ward Farms Ltd  
£188 Her x – O. Bennion.

## 134 Black and White Bulls to average £84.94.

This week saw Black and White Bulls topping at £180 from P. Jeffs & Son. The medium and stronger calves were very well sold with demand very high from rearer's and processors calves. Overall average £84.94.

### Top Ten Black and White Bulls

£180 – P. Jeffs & Son  
£175 – P. & S. Tushingam  
£175 – P. & S. Tushingam  
£175 – Cheshire Vendor  
£170 – P. B. Overy  
£168 – Newton & Shaw T/A/ Riverside  
£160 – Newton & Shaw T/A Riverside  
£155 – M.J. Richardson & Partners  
£152 – P.B. Overy  
£150 – P. & R. Robinson

### 5 Weanlings:

A SMALL ENTRY this week topped at £340 for a pair of Holstein Friesian Bulls (6 months) from Alan Littler. A seven month old Limousin Heifer sold at £302 from a Cheshire Vendor and another Holstein Bull made £180 (4 months) from K. Harding.

### CALF COMPETITION

Each Month we will offer a £20 monthly cash prize to the highest price calf of the month, in the following sections where they are **UNDER 42 DAYS** of age on the Sale Day:-

Best Hereford Bull	Best Hereford Heifer
Best Angus Bull	Best Angus Heifer
Best Black and White Bull	
Best British Blue Bull	Best British Blue Heifer
Best Charolais Bull	Best Charolais Heifer
Best Limousin Bull	Best Limousin Heifer
Best Simmental Bull	Best Simmental Heifer



### NON EXPORT MILK CONTRACT CALVES BEESTON CALF MARKET

We are operating **A SPECIAL SECTION** at approx 9.45 am, for Holstein, other Dairy Bull Calves and Hereford and Angus crosses from Farms on Tesco, Sainsbury and Co-op Milk Contracts. **Lots 151 to 250.**

Separate Orange Entry Cards please, together with a white form for each calf.

**GOOD HOME MARKET DEMAND EXPECTED.**

**PLEASE ARRIVE BY 9.30 am**

Last week top price Black and White Bull £180.

Enquiries to Andrew Wallace on 01829 262 132

## ORANGE CARDS MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL VENDORS EACH WEEK INCLUDING NAMED SIRES FOR ANGUS & HEREFORD CALVES



### FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION

Some calves go for Processing and it is essential if any calf has been treated we know what with, when and the Withdrawl Period. Please fill the details on the White Food Chain Information Form. If **NO CALVES** have been treated the Standard Declaration on the back of the Orange Entry Card will suffice.

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### BEESTON CATTLE SECTION YOU MAY LOSE OUT ON PRICE IF YOU DO NOT SUPPLY THE RIGHT INFORMATION

#### 155 CULL COWS & OTM

Direct Telephone number 01829 262103  
Every Friday at approximately 10.00am

OVERALL 155 Entered topping at 165.0p / £1475.10  
Averaging 120.8p

A lot less younger cattle forward this week compared to last but no serious change in trade when comparing the weeks. Plain cows sold from 84p – 105p, and the best cows were still in the mid 130s. Please contact our office with your entries so that we can market your cows to your best advantage.

#### Top prices achieved

##### Dairy Bred Cows – Average 118.9p

140.0p	800kg	BF	A R Davies
135.5p	710kg	HF	Mrs A B Fearnall
135.0p	770kg	HF	P A & J E Vaughan
135.0p	715kg	HF	W Hodgson & Sons
133.5p	645kg	HF	Chas Whittingham & Son
132.5p	815kg	HF	M J & M C Thomasson
132.0p	845kg	HO	Messrs Showell Farms
132.0p	710kg	HO	E M & R J Edge
130.0p	775kg	BF	B Briscoe & Son
130.0p	650kg	HO	E J Studley

##### Dairy Bred Steers & Heifers (Under 48months old)

159.0p	555kg	HO S	18mo	J & W D Clarkson
159.0p	695kg	HF S	27mo	J & W D Clarkson
158.5p	535kg	BFx S	29mo	J & W D Clarkson
155.0p	630kg	HF H	34mo	W J G Dimelow & Co

150.0p	705kg	HO H	33mo	P H Bourne & Partners
146.0p	675kg	HF H	34mo	R Darlington
146.0p	575kg	NRx H	28mo	S E Pym & Sons Ltd
146.0p	720kg	HF S	30mo	J & W D Clarkson
143.0p	550kg	GU H	26mo	A J & M J Hall
142.0p	470kg	HO S	23mo	J & W D Clarkson



## BEEF CATTLE

### Continental Breeds

165.0p	535kg	CHx	32mo	A Jones
139.0p	610kg	BBx	169mo	J & W D Clarkson
139.0p	710kg	BBx	51mo	A J Lowe
135.0p	785kg	BBx	75mo	A J Lowe
127.0p	575kg	LIM	72mo	R E Hughes
123.0p	455kg	SIM	44mo	R James
119.0p	580kg	SM	70mo	R James
112.0p	585kg	SMx	70mo	R James

### Native Breeds

154.0p	590kg	AAx	33mo	J A Langford
149.0p	990kg	SD	123mo	A R Prince
142.0p	945kg	SD	146mo	A R Prince
140.0p	960kg	SD	101mo	A R Prince
134.0p	610kg	SHO	53mo	R Crank & Son
132.5p	725kg	BG	76mo	J A Langford
119.0p	510kg	HEx	60mo	J Timms
119.0p	500kg	AA	40mo	J Timms
117.5p	730kg	AAx	88mo	J A Langford
110.0p	495kg	SHx	50mo	P Callwood Partners

### Cull Bulls

129.5p	1065kg	HO	66mo	Messrs Showell Farms
122.5p	850kg	HO	36mo	J R Edge
121.5p	890kg	HO	43mo	J Evans & Sons

**IT IS IMPERATIVE TO HAVE YOUR CORRECT  
DETAILS REGARDING TB (PARISHES & TESTING  
DATES) AND YOU HAVE COMPLETED AN ENTRY  
CARD ESPECIALLY REGARDING YOUR FARM  
ASSURANCE STATUS.  
YOU MAY LOSE OUT ON PRICE  
IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE RIGHT INFORMATION**

**EVERY FRIDAY AT approximately 12noon**  
**Prices peaked at 194.0p or £1,299.80**

**28** A few more about and a PLEASING TRADE as good as anywhere. WHY NOT GIVE BEESTON A TRY? *If you have any cattle to sell please do not hesitate to contact us with your entries, we would be pleased to increase the entries at Beeston and you may be surprised by the service and the prices achieved?*

**PAYMENT IS AVAILABLE ON THE DAY.**

### Top Prices achieved

#### Steers

194.0p	670kg	LIM	R W & W M Heath
192.0p	640kg	LIM	R W & W M Heath
187.0p	545kg	LIM	R W & W M Heath
185.0p	580kg	LIM	A T Williamson
181.0p	705kg	BRB	J K & T Rigby
180.0p	710kg	SMx	J K & T Rigby
178.0p	515kg	HEx	J Timms
173.0p	655kg	Hex	Mrs B J Lloyd
172.0p	710kg	CHx	Mrs B J Lloyd
169.0p	635kg	Hex	Mrs B J Lloyd

#### Heifers

173.0p	550kg	SMx	R B, P J, R M & K Whittaker
173.0p	445kg	LIM	T Bunn & Co
163.0p	605kg	HF	J Timms
156.0p	545kg	AAx	R B, P J, R M & K Whittaker
155.0p	460kg	AAx	R B, P J, R M & K Whittaker
140.0p	645kg	HF	G E Siddorn & Co
138.0p	485kg	AAx	R B, P J, R M & K Whittaker

#### Bulls

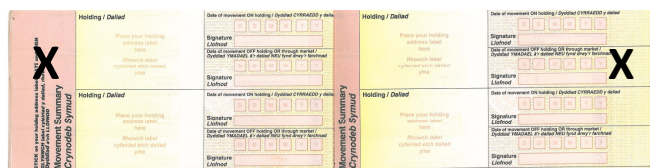
185.0p	610kg	LIM	T Bunn & Co
185.0p	535kg	LIM	T Bunn & Co
134.0p	640kg	AY	M Partington

### FARM ASSURANCE

**Vendors** please ensure that the cattle you sell are correctly **FARM ASSURED.**

If you sell an animal in the auction and it is kept to be fed on then the buyer presents it to an abattoir within 90days, if they were purchased as Farm Assured and they turn out not to be, they will get deducted between 30–50pence per kilo dead weight.

Please clearly put on the entry card your farm assurance sticker and also in the passport marked with an " X " next to your off movement (as shown Below)



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# STORE CATTLE

Every Friday

(To commence after the sale of the beef approximately 12.30pm)

\*\*\* The Top 25 Steers realised over £2 per kilo \*\*\*

**(139)** Number increase week by week and the trade seems to do the same! Please contact Alastair or Simon for further information

**VENDORS – CAN YOU VALUE THEM?** If you sell to traders off the farm are you getting the right price? We have a **packed** ring of buyers desperately wanting cattle there couldn't be a better place to have your cattle properly valued than in the market.

£1060	BF	600kg	S Hassall & Co
£1000	CHx	510kg	E Harper
£1000	CHx	525kg	E Chadwick & Son
£960	FKV	580kg	R A Arden
£950	LIM	480kg	P Studley & Sons
£935	BF	530kg	T, S M & T R Lunt
£920	SHO	540kg	P P Whitby

231p	LIM	315kg	D Mort
222p	LIM	355kg	D Mort
214p	HEx	370kg	P Studley & Sons
212p	LIM	370kg	P Studley & Sons
209p	HEx	405kg	P Studley & Sons
207p	AAx	330kg	A R Tomlinson

## Heifers

£895	LIM	460kg	Brereton Farms
£895	LIM	465kg	P A Platt
£860	LIM	460kg	Brereton Farms
£840	LIM	375kg	P Studley & Sons
£830	LIM	420kg	Brereton Farms
£790	LIM	460kg	E Chadwick & Son

224p	LIM	375kg	P Studley & Sons
197p	LIM	420kg	Brereton Farms
194p	LIM	460kg	Brereton Farms
192p	LIM	465kg	P A Platt
187p	LIM	460kg	Brereton Farms

## Bulls

£535	AAx	400kg	B Head
£480	HF	295kg	P Studley & Sons
£298	BF	180kg	J C Myott & Son
£250	HO	170kg	R E Hughes

165p	BF	180kg	J C Myott & Son
162p	HF	295kg	P Studley & Sons
147p	HO	170kg	R E Hughes
133p	AAx	400kg	B Head

# STORE CATTLE SPECIAL ENTRIES

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

19 ABERDEEN ANGUS 8 Steers & 11 Heifers  
16-19mo

If you have any special entries you would like us to advertise, please do not hesitate to contact us

We offer FREE pre sale advertising  
Alastair or Simon would be pleased to be invited  
to any pre sale inspections.



## THE CUBBON HERD DISPERSAL SALE



*On Behalf of Messrs A R & S Prince*

*Comprising of: 19 Pedigree Cows In-Calf, 6 Pedigree Heifers In-Calf 2 Pedigree Females with Calves at Foot, 2 Pedigree Stock Bulls 30 Straws of South Devon Semen ON*

**FRIDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> MARCH 2012,  
11.30am AT**

**Beeston Pedigree Centre  
Beeston, Tarporley, Cheshire. CW6 9NZ**



The Cubbon herd was founded in 1994 with cows from the **Billington, Waddeton, Trevassack, Trerise & Sexton** Herds with the use of bulls from **Highgate, Grove, Sexton, Hindsloders, Brettles & Lumbylaw** Herds. The herd was further improved with some big strong cows from Philip and Betty Firkins **Betton** herd. These are hardy cattle that spend all their lives outside. It is with great regret that that Adrian & Sue Prince have to hold this sale but due to pressures of losing grazing land the cattle forward in this catalogue are to be dispersed. Their decision is to sell their In-Calf Cows and heifers and two of their Stock bulls along with surplus semen that they have in stock as catalogued. The females have run with the Service bulls as detailed from the 20<sup>th</sup> June 2011. The cattle come highly recommended to all prospective purchasers.

*For catalogue requests please contact the Beeston office.  
Auctioneer in Charge: Alastair Brown*

## EQUINE SECTION

### Horses & Ponies at 11am

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2012  
Wednesdays 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> March 2012

### Tack at 10am, Saddles 12noon & Vehicles at 1pm

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> February 2012  
14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> March 2012

For further enquiries regarding the equine sections please contact the Equine Department on **01829 262170**.  
email: [alastairbrown@wrightmanley.co.uk](mailto:alastairbrown@wrightmanley.co.uk)

## Collective Implement & Effect Sale

### NEXT SALE

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 9.30am  
Entries So far include:

1992 SANDERSON Telescopic Loadall 4wheel steer and 4wheel drive, HINOMOTO C174 Mini Tractor with Loader, JOHN DEERE 366 5 Gang Mower, RANSOMES 3 Gang Mower, LISTER Fertiliser Spreader, 4' PTO Driven Brush, 4' Topper with Roller, Mini Single Furrow Plough, Mini Snow Plough, FERRIS Hydrowalker Commercial 36" Mower with Forward & Reverse Gears, 14' Folding Chain Harrows to fit 3pl, Approximately 50 Metal Galvanised Calf Pens, A quantity of Ply-board Sheets, RICE Horse Trailer, IFOR WILLIAMS Stock Trailer.

If you have any entries to advertise please do not hesitate to contact us



**PRODUCE** Every Friday @ 12.15 pm Approx

If you are looking for some Straw, Hay, Silage, give Andrew Wallace a ring and I will try and ensure some is available under the hammer or for a Private Sale direct from the Farm.

### **Sharon Mayer**

Agricultural Chaplain Confidential Support to the Agricultural Community.  
Tel: 07540 761 972 also Associate Chaplain Lewis Rees on 01244 335 830

**FOR SALE:** Conventional Hay Bales. Excellent Quality, ideal for Horses, Sheep or Cattle. More information please phone 07714 860359 or Simon Lamb on 07851 188125

**HAYLAGE:** approx 100 x 4 string bales of Haylage @ Betley, Near Crewe. £25 per Bale. Vendor can load. Ref: AKW/DB045

**SILAGE:** 80 Round Bales September 2011 Silage @ Clotton. £25 per Bale. Ref: AKW/TB010

**HAYLAGE:** 100 Bales Haylage @ Winsford. Vendor can load. £18 per Bale. All enquiries to 01606 592 380.

**CLAMP SILAGE:** Approx 500 Tonnes 1<sup>st</sup> Cut Grass Silage in Northwich Area. Vendor can load: Ref: AKW/Jean/S 01829 262 132

**QUALITY** Conventional Hay Bales, up to 1,000 available in the Minshull Vernon area, details from Simon Lamb on 07815 188 125

**ROUND BALE HAY:** 80-100 Bales of July 2012 good quality Hay, situated @ Dutton. Ref: AKW/G020

150 Round Bales of June 2012 Hay @ Ledsham, Wirral.  
Ref: AKW/P001

**BALE SILAGE:** 16 Round Bales of Silage @ Poole, Nantwich. £25 per Bale. Phone Brian on 07966 418633

### **PRODUCE FOR SALE:**

We have a Yorkshire Client with Round Bale Silage, Wheat and Barley Straw to Sell. Interested parties phone A.K.W. Ref: JC on 01829 262 132

**MAIZE SILAGE:** We have a Llandudno Junction Client with approx 500 Tonnes of Clamp Silage to sell. 31%DM, D Value 71.1, Starch 20.5, ME11.3%. Guide Price: £30 per Tonne. Ref: AKW/EW

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### Langford Beef & Sheep Monitor Farm Open Day

28th February 2012

12pm Lunch & registration. Start 1pm— Finish: 4pm including refreshments

Langford Farm, Moss Lane, Lostock Green, Northwich, Cheshire, CW9 7TG

Please join us to find out what has been achieved so far

*Guest speakers Angus and Duncan Nelles (Thistleyhaugh, Morpeth) have been members of the Donkin Rig beef and sheep monitor farm steering group since 2010. Angus and Duncan will give a talk on their business improvements and personal gains achieved through involvement with the monitor farm project.*

#### Topics will include:

- Reducing inputs without compromising performance in a beef herd
- How EID has been used as a management tool in the sheep flock since 2007
- Recent New Zealand study tour experience- grassland and sheep production

*A farm walk, led by John Gate, accompanied by Darrell Irwin (Willows Vet Group) plus other industry advisors that have been actively involved in work at Langford Farm. Key focus areas will be highlighted during the walk, with opportunities to discuss the changes so far, benefits seen & future plans to address grassland productivity, health, welfare and biosecurity.*

To register for your free place and/or more information and please contact Lesley Innes on 01270 625 131 Ext 308 or e-mail [livestocknw@reaseheath.ac.uk](mailto:livestocknw@reaseheath.ac.uk) Find more information on our website at [www.livestocknw.co.uk](http://www.livestocknw.co.uk)



## Furniture & Fine Art Department

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**Enquiries to Ian Woodward or Lillian Rogerson  
Tel: 01829 262 151**

**Spring Fine Art Sale:** Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March @ 10.30 am  
All Enquiries to William T. Witter on 01829 262 151



## **Furniture & Fine Art Department**

**THURSDAY 1<sup>st</sup> March, AT 10.30 am**

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ANTIQUE & GENERAL HOUSEHOLD SALE  
BEESTON CASTLE SALEROOMS  
JUST OFF A49, TARPORLEY  
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**Pedigree & Commercial Dairy Cattle**  
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**SALE REPORT**

**TRADE SOARS AT BEESTON MID MONTH!**  
**RECORD AVERAGE SMASHED FOR MILKERS**

The February Mid Month Sale at Beeston attracted the largest entry ever received for a winter dairy sale; almost 500 head were catalogued and all 437 animals forward on the day found new homes at prices that for most categories were beyond all expectations by some way. A huge crowd was present with at times at a frenzied pace as buyers competed fiercely to secure their requirements. It also has to be emphasised that the quality in all age groups was tremendous and there is no doubt Beeston is the only market in the country which offers buyers quality cattle in vast numbers.

We fully realise that we are in a very privileged position in so far as we have so many good clients who bring quality cows and heifers month after month and consistently supply what the market wants – milky cattle with width and strength and good udders. This of course attracts the buyers in big numbers from all over and creates a healthy competition. Trade for all classes of dairy cattle has reached another level and this was certainly the case at this sale where no less than 108 cows and heifers sold for £2000 or more, including 21 at £2500 or more, and only one black and white below £1000. For the first time the record for registered heifers broke through the £2000 mark and the overall average for all milkers, excluding Jerseys, was almost £1900, an increase of more than £200 on the month. There were many success stories; the top price of the day was an outstanding red and white heifer by Baileys Red Rock from the Burnbrae stable of brothers Jack and Barclay Taylor of Myddle, Shrewsbury who were the leading consigners on the day selling 25 animals for a remarkable average of £2414. Their top seller was homebred and sold giving 35 kg daily and sold for £2900 to LA & SM Lloyd of Welshpool. They also had the top selling cow, a second calf daughter of Regancrest Dolman sold giving 46 kg. daily for £2800 to regular customers D & HE Colclough & Son of Hassall, Sandbach; she was one of eight top purchases of animals by the Colcloughs from the Taylor's and included two heifers by Retinue Red and Rampage Red at £2700 each.

Terry Goldstraw of Kinsey Heath, Audlem who is dispersing his herd as they calve also had a great day averaging £2360 for ten head; his top seller was the third calf Nanhoron Cherry 31st (VG85), a daughter of Samuelo who had given over 11000 kg in her second lactation and was sold giving 54 kg to JG & CA Bayley of Nuneaton for £2700. Messrs Bayley also purchased two non pedigree cows from the same home – a third calver at £2600 and a fourth calver at £2500. Another regular buyer at the sale, Ben Elkin of Hilderstone, Stone purchased a couple of leading lots from Terry Goldstraw including a second calf RSVP daughter at £2600 and his leading heifer,

Kingold Kendall Duchess at £2650. Ben also secured a Ross daughter from Messrs Boughey of Tarporley for £2600 Mark and Ann Bowden of Malpas have also earned a great reputation for supplying quality goods to the market and their consignment of ten heifers averaged £2250. Their top seller was £2600 for Womack Matson Lavender, a daughter of Autumn Ridge Matson selling to Anthony Matthews of Whitchurch. Mark also sold two Holbeck bred heifers for £2500 each; another Matson selling to Geoff Thomasson of Norbury, Whitchurch and a Bolton selling to Arthur Nicholas of Tarporley.

Coloured breed cattle are always in demand and were topped at £2000 for a first cross Brown Swiss heifer from Neil Lewis, Farndon; Rotbunt crosses from Richard Thomson, Ashford, Kent to £1900; Shorthorns topped at £1820 for a third calver from Rob Kite of Stone; Ayrshires to £1750 for one from OC Whittaker of Knutsford and Simmental crosses to, also from Richard Thompson, Ashford to £1720. There was also a great entry of Jerseys which included a reduction of the herd from Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council, West Bromwich; their top price was £1220 for a fresh second calf daughter of Q Zik selling to Messrs Lloyd, Welshpool but the top Jersey was a fresh heifer, Bramjill Comeria Nina from Andrew Woodmansey of Beverley selling to S & S Murray Farms of Wolverhampton for £1350.

The second ring featured all the in-calf and maiden heifers and another electrifying trade was experienced. The incalf heifers sold to £1880 for a daughter of Moet Melody from David Ishmael of Orrell with Ayrshire crosses from David Calvert, Skipton selling to £1700. Late summer calvers sold to £1500 for a daughter of Holbra Paman from AL Kemp & Sons of Alvechurch, Birmingham. Maiden heifers topped at £1260 for a buller from G E Pogson & Son of Newark who were dispersing their young stock who also sold a yearling by Alexander for £1220 and another by the same bull for £1200. Six month old heifers from the same home sold up to £850 for a daughter of Pine Shelter O Lariat. Yearling heifers from Tollemache Farms Ltd of Beeston sold to £1000 for a daughter of Laudan and Grosvenor Farms Ltd of Chester had a consignment of September born calves which topped at £950 for a daughter of Cogent Twist.

Tollemache Farms Ltd also featured in the calf section and topped it at £500 for a ten week old daughter of Koepon Classy. Jersey crosses sold to £340 and pure Jerseys to £140. There were two stock bulls forward; a three year old Simmental made £1950 and an almost five year old Hereford at £1450.

**AVERAGES:**

**39 Registered Holstein Cows £1783.84; 29 Unregistered Holstein Cows £1783.79; 26 Jersey Cows £796.15; 142 Registered Holstein Calved Heifers £2008.38; 52 Unregistered Holstein Calved Heifers £1749.42; 10 Registered**

**Jersey Calved Heifers £1144.00; 18 In-calf and Served Heifers £1605.56; 93 Maiden Heifers (Average age 9 months) £875.83; 18 Heifer Calves £332.31; 2 Stock Bulls £1700.00**

## Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February @ 10.30 am

The Western Holstein Club's Monthly Show & Sale @ Beeston Castle Auction of **75** fresh Calved Holsteins.

Comprising 16 Cows; 58 Calved Heifers and 1 Red & White Heifer Calf from the herds of leading Breeders. These Sales are renowned for supplying to the market super high quality, long living cows and heifers ideal for commercial milk production as well as having a reputation for being the source of that really good deep pedigree heifer for the Breeder. This month's catalogue includes members of the Blackrose, Dandy, Lustre, Ricki, Rolls and Roxy families all with between six to ten generations of VG/EX dams, also a potential young show cow by Shottle from a herd that is dispersing and an outstanding Goldwyn Heifer from the Jean family.

Herds consigning this month are: **AINTREE, ALCAR, AVENHAM, BIDLEA, BILSROW, BROOMLEA, BUDWORTH, BURLANE, CHATERLEY, CHORLTON, CLAYFORD, DALEBANK, ENCHANTED, EWLOEGREEN, sGOLDMIST, HAWKSMOOR, INGLEVIEW, KINGOLD, LEEDHAM, LEESEMANOR, MANORHAVEN, NOBOLD, OAKSHORE, SPENCER, STERNDALE, TABLEY, WEAVIAN, WIMBOLDSLEY, WIGLAND, WINTON.**

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## Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March

Mid-Month Sale of Commercial & Pedigree Dairy Cattle & Youngstock @ Beeston Castle Auction  
Closing Date for entries for cataloguing  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

### SALES NOT PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED

**16<sup>th</sup> MARCH: HOLSTEINS:** Dispersal of the Entire Commercial CIS Milk Recorded Herd (160 head), the property of AJ & EJ Hampton, Bar Hill Farm, Madeley, Crewe and removed to Beeston Castle Auction for Sale convenience.

**23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH: HOLSTEINS:** Sale of the Entire January to March Calving Portion of the Commercial NMR Recorded Herd, the property of Rode Farms, Chance Hall Farm, Astbury, Congleton and removed to Beeston Castle Auction for Sale convenience.

**All Enquiries to 01829 262 120.**

## **Farm Dispersal Sale**



Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March @ 10.30 am

**Genuine Smallholders Dispersal Sale At  
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**Comprising: SWB Landrover, 4 Tractors, Farm  
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**WEDNESDAY MARKET:** Regular Sales of Implements and Machinery (1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday in the Month), Horses (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays in the Month), Saddlery and Tack (every Wednesday except the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday).

**FRIDAY LIVESTOCK MARKET:** Native Breed Calves 8.15 am, Continental Calves 11.00 am, Cull Cows 10.00 am, Prime Cattle 12 Noon, Store Cattle 12.30 pm.

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