



MARKET DRAYTON DAIRY SALES

WEDNESDAY 04 MARCH 2026 (10.15AM)

49 DAIRY CATTLE

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

TOP PRICE HEIFER £2,980

TOP PRICE COW £1,900

A good entry of mostly first quality heifers with a few older and Friesian/Cross bred cows.

There is resistance to the climbing trade but the shortage of quality cattle coming forward is only going to increase the trade.

Once again RF. Goodwin & Son, Earls Croome consigned ten superb heifers, top price was for Lot 14 at £2,980 this Indigo sired heifer had been calved three weeks and was producing 33.8kgs daily, she was followed by Lot 8 at £2,680 this time sired by Fulliver, three weeks calved and giving 33.2kgs daily. Others from the same home £2,500, £2,520, £2,500 with their ten averaging £2,545.

Lot Two from D.&E. Monk, Ormskirk sold at £2,620 this heifer from their Primrose Family sold three weeks calved and was giving 33kgs and their other heifers £2,350 and £2,160. RJ.&RH. Gadsbey, Yarlet to £2,350 and £2,200.

Very noticeable heifers over 30kgs, plenty of interest from several vendors but heifers with less milk and or light of frame a little more difficult to place.

No real young Holstein type cows in today just Friesian and Crossbred Irish types. £1,900 from JH.&J. Salt & Team, Checkley with their other cows £1,780, £1,760.

Calf numbers starting to increase as the Spring calves start to sell. Top today £280 from Burland Farms, Rossett and £210 from HW.Chatham, Shifnal.

Averages:

Heifers (all breeds/faults) £2,247

First Quality Heifers £2,520

Second Quality Cows (all breeds/faults) £1,532

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