2,000GNS TOP AT OAKEY FARM COMMERCIAL HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN SALE

2,000gns was the highest price achieved when Rob and Sue Warren dispersed their large herd of commercial Holstein Friesian dairy cattle at Moreton Valence near Gloucester.

The top price of 2,000gns was paid by a West Wales buyer for a December calved second calver which was due to calve again in November. The Bassingthorpe Drayman daughter had recorded 10,142kgs as a heifer and was off a 14,324kgs dam.

The same West Wales buyer gave 1,980gns for a January calved heifer by McCormick calving again in January. She was out of a 13,187kgs dam.

Two June calved second calvers made 1,880gns to another West Wales buyer and a buyer from Dorset.

A May calved heifer sold for 1,850gns to a Gloucestershire buyer.

In-calf heifers sold to 1,400gns and six month old heifer calves to 560gns.

Averages:

330 milking cows and heifers £1,152.71 (including 72 heifer calves at £332.94) 39 served heifers £1,151.77 5 heifer calves £325.50 374 lots £1,141.55

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