

UP AND UP IT GOES WITH ANOTHER RECORD AVERAGE AT BEESTON FOR HEIFERS.... AND A VERY SIMILAR FAST TRADE AT CHELFORD

BEESTON

A small entry of 39 cows and milking heifers at Beeston for members of the Western Holstein Club who reside outside the Blue Tongue and Protection Zones were judged this month by Alan Outram who has the Crompton Herd at Bury, Lancashire. For his champion he selected Delwin Reunion Amy, a heifer by Ards Reunion from Club Chairman David Rutter of Delamere, Northwich. In reserve was Fieldside Electric Baby 503rd, a daughter of Kirkblythe Digby, from Harry and Vera Jolly of Great Eccleston, Preston.

Trade was very fast and extremely consistent selling to a top of 2700 gns for Tynyreithin Talent Lucy, a daughter of Ladino Park Talent from Enchanted Holsteins of Preston and selling to an undisclosed Cheshire client. Two animals made 2500 gns each; the first to achieve it was Ewloegreen Iron Doris, a Boss Iron daughter from J Evans & Sons of Deeside selling to Norman Tomkinson of Gnosall and the second was the Champion who joins the herd of Shutt & Mansell at Newport, Shropshire. Cows sold to 2000 gns for a second calf daughter of Modesto from Alastair Dobson of Cholmondeley. In all there were twenty four bids of 2000 gns or more and a record average at Beeston for calved heifers of £2191 was achieved.

CHELFORD

The entry at Chelford was buoyed up by a number of late entries which increased numbers considerably. Again Alan Outram was present to judge the cattle and for his Champion he selected Leesemanor Modesto Bang from Wilf Lomas of Byley, Middlewich for this very smart daughter of Sikkema-Star-W Modesto. In reserve was Harold and Pat Crapper's Painley Aaron Freedom 28th, a calved heifer by Dixie-Lee Aaron.

The end result at Chelford was very similar to the Beeston trade with the overall average being just £27 less at Chelford. However cows were considerably dearer at Chelford but quality was better and heifers did not quite have the consistency of the Beeston trade, but nevertheless, were well sold. Top price was 2500 gns for the Champion which sold to D Hulme of Basford, Leek who also purchased the leading cow Bidlea Enforcer Faith (VG86-2yr) from Ray Brown and Partners of Holmes Chapel. Two more made 2300 gns, both second calvers, one from Bidlea and the other from John Dale of Brereton. Twenty of the thirty animals sold made 2000 gns or more.

TOP PRICES	(*B sold at Beeston; *C sold at Chelford)		GNS
*B Lot 9	Enchanted Holsteins	Tynreithin Talent Lucy PI Undisclosed Cheshire Client	2700
*B Lot 14	J Evans & Sons	Ewloegreen Iron Doris PI N Tomkinson, Stafford	2500
*B Lot 17A	R C Rutter & Son	Delwin Reunion Amy Messrs Shutt & Mansell, Newport	2500
*C Lot 59	Mrs L H Lomas & Son	Leesemanor Modesto Bang D Hulme, Leek	2500
*C Lot 53	Ray Brown & Partners	Bidlea Enforcer Faith (VG86-2yr) D Hulme, Leek	2450
*B Lot 26	H & VE Jolly	Fieldside Electric Baby 503 rd Messrs Shutt & Mansell, Newport	2420
*B Lot 21	H & VE Jolly	Latus Irene 62 nd Messrs Williamson, Penrith	2350
*B Lot 42	J Bowden	Canwell Talent Nora Joylan Farms, Preston	2300
*C Lot 51	HT & M Dale & Son	Moorhead September Roberta (GP83)(VG-MS) F F Marrow, Sandbach	2300
*C Lot 52	Ray Brown & Partners	Bidlea Lucente Mab (GP81) F F Marrow, Sandbach	2300

*B Lot 19	Ward Partners	Wayring Hanno Haughty 71 st D E Owen & Sons, Llangollen	2250
*C Lot 60	C Fernihough & Son	Snowfern Jackson Maribyl D & HE Colclough & Son, Sandbach	2250
*C Lot 76	H Crapper	Painley Aaron Freedom 28 th J C Bell, Knutsford	2250
*C Lot 85	W Salt & Son	Quixhill Jackson Rowena D & HE Colclough & Son, Sandbach	2250

AVERAGES:

BEESTON: 6 Cows £1671.25; 33 Heifers £2191.95; 39 HEAD £2111.85

CHELFORD: 6 Cows £2187.50; 24 Heifers £2058.44; 30 HEAD £2084.25

OVERALL: 12 Cows £1929.37; 57 Heifers £2135,82; 69 HEAD £2099.84

Wright Manley of Beeston Castle Auction, Cheshire were the Auctioneers