



Wright Manley

## BEESTON CASTLE AUCTION EQUINE REPORT

Wednesday 14th April 2010

An entry of **78** in total to choose from today met a good trade for the better types entered, but plenty of ordinary types that everybody already owns forward making it hard to find new homes for the entries. The other difficulty in selling a lot of equines is that many have very strong unrealistic reserves thus them having just a day out. Trade has changed somewhat from recent years and if you need a change of equine it will cost you less to buy, but of course you can't sell dear. *(it all averages out in the end!)*

Top price today went to lot 25

**£1300**

This though like many others did not make it into the sale ring and was sold prior to the auction. We hold an AUCTION not a private sales collection and it is not only frustrating for potential buyers that are around the ring but **you** could be well underselling you entry.

The Auction system was invented to have a number of interested parties bidding to their full potential not one persons best bid.

**NEW measures will be brought in to combat this and offenders will be dealt with severely.**

Top price went to a Haflinger Gelding at £1300, next a 4year old Chestnut Gelding ridden bare back in the ring sold to be straight in every way reached £1200, £950 was next top price for a 15.2hh Liver Chestnut Gelding sold due to them being overstocked. £810 went for a 15.1hh 10year old Grey Gelding.

Plenty of thorough bred riding horses in looking good value from £400 - £700, Kids riding ponies topped at £520 but mainly from £200 for youngsters to £400 for something a little older and wiser. Young coloured fillies reached £500 whilst Colts made around the £300 mark.



Lot 16 – Not Sold



Lot 15 - £950



Lot 26 - £620



**Lot 4 - £700**



**Lot 28 - £400**



**Lot 53 – Not Sold**



**Lot 14 – Not Sold**

### **TACK & SADDLERY**

Over 1000 lots of tack forward to include a dispersal of 200 lots. Saddles this week topped at £400 a buyer from Ireland came and purchased over 20 saddles along with a hundred lots of tack.

With the light nights more people have time after school, collage and work to ride out hack etc so if you have any spare tack or accoutrements lying about why not exchange them for money instead of them rotting away in the tack room.

Please contact any of our Equine team for further information on marketing your goods or if you are interested in making a purchase.

#### **Horses & Ponies**

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#### **Tack & Saddlery**

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**NEXT SALE**  
**Wednesday 21st April 2010**