

4800 GNS TOPS BEESTON BULL SALE FOR CHAMPION FROM HOLMLAND

The Third annual Spring Show and Sale of Bulls on behalf of members of the Western Holstein Club attracted an entry of 43 bulls from the herds of leading breeders of which just 37 were forward on the day. David Robinson of Cockermouth Cumbria acted as judge and for his Champion he selected a Red and White bull from Steve Bell and Paul Findley; Holmland Roebuck Red is a January 2010 son of Rosedale Rampage Red out of Indianhead Durham Roxan EX93 & SP (Ex94-MS) who has already bred five VG daughters. In reserve was Woodmarsh Mogul, a son of Toystory bred from 8 generations of VG/EX dams from M & JC Gould Ltd of Shrewsbury.

Trade was a little up and down and particularly selective for the older bulls but the younger bulls were very readily sold. Top price was 4800 gns for the Champion consigned by this famous Cumbrian Herd and sold to Wallbank Farms Ltd. of Over Wyresdale, Lancaster. The next top seller was Woodmarsh Lysander consigned by the Gould's. This son of Sanchez is bred from seven generations of VG/EX dams has two VG sisters and sold for 4250 gns to Chris Newsham of Walton-le-Dale, Preston.

Bill Nadin had a good trade for his five bulls topping at 3100 gns for the last bull in the sale, the eleven month old Sterndale Ps Attraction, a son of Shottle form the Ashlyn family. He sold to Shropshire milk producers, Shutt and Mansell of Newport. Sterndale also sold the February born red and white Sterndale Rustic Red, a son of Scientific Debonair Red from the Redrose family for 2400 gns to Leighton Farms Ltd of Crewe.

Three bulls sold for 2000 gns each; Holmland Atom, a Goldwyn son from the Adeen family from the Bell and Findley partnership sold to Tomkinson Farms Ltd of Gnosall. Sterndale Mr.Sizzle Red, sired by Dudoc Mr.Burns from the Sara family sold to Bixley Farms of Norwich and Winton Donally by Mario Xacobeo from the Donfloss family from Peter Waring of Beverley sold to Burthwaite Farms of Carlisle.

TOP PRICES:

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Lot 29	SL & PS Bell & P & NA Findley	Holmland Roebuck Red ET	Wallbank Farms Ltd, Lancs.	4800
Lot 37	M & JC Gould Ltd	Woodmarsh Lysander ET	C Newsham, Lancs.	4250
Lot 43	WJ Nadin & Co.	Sterndale PS Attraction	Ms Shutt & Mansell, Shropshire	3100
Lot 34	W J Nadin & Co.	Sterndale Rustic Red	Leighton Farms Ltd., Cheshire	2400
Lot 14	SL & PS Bell & P & NA Findley	Holmland Atom ET	Tomkinson Farms Ltd, Stafford	2000
Lot 24	W J Nadin &Co.	Sterndale Mr Sizzler Red ET	Bixley Farms, Norfolk	2000
Lot 42	P J Waring	Winton Donally	Burthwaite Farms, Cumbria	2000
Lot 19	R & E Butterfield	Ingleview LL Roscoe	T G Phillips & Co., Llanymynech	1900
Lot 33	W J Nadin & Co.	Sterndale Rusty Red	B Towers, Lancs.	1900
Lot 20	P J Waring	Winton Parva ET	EG Stokes & Partners, Shropshire	1800

AVERAGES: 26 BULLS £1801.15

WRIGHT MANLEY of Beeston Castle Auction, Cheshire were the Auctioneers.