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THAME FARMERS AUCTION MART LTD

Friday 28TH November 2024

Prime Steers to £2980

Cows to £3550

Prime Heifers to £3400

Bulls to £3400

Store Steers to £2550

Store Heifers to £2000

Store Cattle: 315 Forward

Show Cattle: 18 Forward

Auctioneer: Simon Draper

This week's sale included our annual Christmas Prime Stock Show, which was kindly judged by Phillip Parrott who awarded the champion beast to Kevin Ludgates British Blue X Heifer 17 months which sold for £3400. (548 P/Kg) to T.W Ludgate & Son. Reserve champion came from M/S Rawding Partners standing second to the champion and sold for £2900 (457 P/Kg). The best Steer was also won by M/S Rawding Partners selling for £2950 (440 P/Kg). The best Native Steer was won by RL & JM Priddle for their South Devon X Selling at £2780 (445 P/Kg). The best Aberdeen Angus came from C.W Webb at £2980 (413 P/Kg). Andrew Phillips sold his champion Cow a Pure British Blue for a new Mart Record of £3550 followed by his Blue X Friesian cow at £2400 standing second in the class.

Noel Doran topped the Store Cattle trade with a single Aberdeen Angus Steer 20 months at £2550 and 3 at £2260. Mr Gray sold to £2000 for his Angus X with Aberdeen Angus X Dairy from PC & RW White selling at £1920. M/S H H Wadland & Son sold their pen of Hereford Steers to £2420 at 19 months. Beef Shorthorn sold to £1980 from B Kenney, with Murray Greys from Chapman Countryside selling at £1860 21 months.

Lincoln Red 22 months sold for £1800 from OMF Farming. Aberdeen Angus Steers 8 months from B J Singleton & Sons topped at £1500.

Rob Lawrence topped the Heifer trade at £2000 for his Aberdeen Angus Heifer followed at £1910 for 3. M.J Ludgate took £1980 for their Hereford Heifer 26 Months. Mr A Phillips sold his Limousin X at £1750. M/S Singleton & Sons sold their Aberdeen Angus Heifers 8 months at £1220 & £1210.

Prime Lambs: 214 Forward

Auctioneer: Thomas Hiorns

A wonderful show of lambs today, very kindly judged by Philip Parrott, Parrott Bros Butchers, Whitchurch, awarding M/s D W Gurney & Son champion with their trio of Beltex at £300.00 or 714p/kg purchased by the judge. M/s Rawding Partners took reserve champion with £200.00 for 53kg Beltex purchased by T W Ludgate & Son. Seven pens today made over £200.00 and 18 pens over 400p/kg. The Future Farmers class was won by George Claridge selling his pen of 43kgs to £201.00 purchased by Ed Tompkins of Boarstall Meats. Nine buyers were present today for the show lambs. A single lamb was very kindly donated by RL & JM Priddle, in support of Ed Tompkins who is partaking in Movember, raising Monday for Prostate Cancer UK. The lamb raised a grand total of £2300.00 and was purchased by 13 different vendors.

Ewes

Show ewes were very keenly bid on topping at £258.00 and averaging £210.00.

Store Lambs

A small show of stores averaged £138.00 and topped at £150.00

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Prize Winners

Champion Beast

K Ludgate – Class 2

Reserve Champion Beast

Rawding Partners – Class 2

Class 1

Rawding Partners

Class 2

K W Ludgate

Class 3

RL & JM Priddle

Class 5

A Phillips

Champion Pen of Sheep

D W Gurney & Son – Class 7

Reserve Champion Pen of Sheep

Rawding Partners – Class 6

Future Farmer Champion

G Claridge

Class 6

Rawding Partners

Class 7

D W Gurney & Son

Class 8

Rawding Partners

Class 9

Rawding Partners

Class 10

G Claridge

Class 11

AJ & FJ Claridge

Class 12

R & R Farms