

# Monthly Dairy Cattle Report

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2026

On Friday, Penrith & District Farmers' Mart LLP held our monthly sale of 176 dairy cattle of all classes.

Another packed catalogue of cattle was forward for our monthly dairy sale, from all over the north of England and as far south as Halifax. The sale included several new vendors, offering genuine honest cattle worthy of any buyer's attention. Another total clearance was witnessed, with vendors going home highly delighted, with trade not quite as bonkers as last months sale.

The sale topped at £3,350 for a tremendous pedigree Holstein heifer, giving 35 litres, calved 4-weeks from Messrs Fisher, Moss Thorn Farm, purchased by Messrs G & MM Dakin & Sons, Clitheroe, this home went on to sell three very well-presented heifers to average £3,083.30. This was very closely followed at £3,100 for a very well put together heifer, correct in the udder, giving 35 litres, calved 3-weeks from Messrs DH & HM Horsley, Woodhouse.

Messrs W Williamson, Barrowmoor Farm, sold a consignment of 7 fabulous, correct, young British Friesian cows, giving 30 litres, 2-weeks calved to average £2,792.86, topping at £2,950 for a second calver, perfect in the udder, purchased by Ellis Bros, Warcop. This home has another large entry for our July sale, so keep your eyes peeled.

A second calved Dairy Shorthorn cow, Breckney Ruth 14 VG86 from Messrs P & CA Harrison, Breckney Hill, sold exceptionally well realising £3,100, a beautiful roaned cow with excellent conformation, purchased by Mr M Jackson, Thirsk.

There was plenty of demand for in-calf heifers, with Messrs JM & J Fisher & Daughters, Holme Wrangle, selling Ayrshires to £2,500. Messrs DW Cannon & Son, Low Abbey, also achieved £2,500 for an Ayrshire X Holstein.

Bulling heifers topped at £1,700 for a lovely sweet Dairy Shorthorn X Holstein Friesian from Messrs P & CA Harrison, Northumberland, purchased by JR Boothman, Burnley.

Altogether another very successful sale was achieved, with entries now required for our next sale on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July, entries close promptly at Noon on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July.

## ***Leading Prices***

### **In-milk Cows**

**Dairy Shorthorn** - £3100 Breckney Hill

**Holstein Friesian** - £3000, £2450, £2300 Walton High Rigg; £2900 Wolfa; £2350 New House Farm; £2300 Greenah Crag; £2100 Crib Farm

**British Friesian** - £2950, £2800 (3), £2700 Barrowmoor Farm; £2900 Nerewater Farm; £2800, £2400, £2300 (2), £2200 (2), £2000 Low Rutter; £2750 Lowick Bridge Farm; £2500, £2200 Causeway Foot Farm; £2200, £2000 (2) High House (Williamson); £2000 Pelutho Park

**Fleckvieh** - £2450 Halefield

**Ayrshire** - £2100 High Cark Farm

**Jersey** - £1500 Cowlyers Farm

### **In-milk Heifers**

**Holstein Friesian** - £3350, £3100, £2800 Moss Thorn Farm; £3100, £2700 Woodhouse; £2900, £2850 Lingy Close Road; £2750 Wolfa; £2700 Greenah Cragg; £2700 Middleton Mill

**ProCross (Swedish Red X Montbéliarde X Holstein Friesian)** - £2900, £2800 (2), £2600, £2500 (3), £2100 Bridge End

**British Friesian** - £2800, £2700 Barrowmoor Farm; £2600 (2) The Croft; £2500 Crib Farm; £2500 Lime House; £2500 Lodge Farm

**Ayrshire** - £2200, £2000 Halefield

### **In Calf Heifers**

**Holstein** - £2500 Holme Wrangle; £2450, £2250 The Ling

**Ayrshire** - £2500 Low Abbey

### **Bulling Heifers**

**Dairy Shorthorn X Holstein** - £1700 Breckney Hill

**British Friesian** - £1540 (2), £1350 (3) Lamonby Hall; £1400 (6), £1390 (2), £1360 (2) Low Rutter

**Fleckvieh** - £1500 Lamonby Hall

**Norwegian Red** - £1500 Lamonby Hall

### **Maiden Heifers**

**British Friesian** - £1300 (4), £1280 (2), £1170 (2), £1070 (2), £1060 Low Rutter

**Holstein** - £1410, £1290 The Ling