

DORSETS IN DEMAND WORCESTER MARKET SATURDAY 10th JULY 2021

The annual Dorset Horn and Poll Dorset Show and Sale at Worcester, saw a very strong trade and a hundred percent clearance in all sections. Females were definitely in demand and saw a top of 920gns for an in-lamb gimmer, from The Byeways Flock of Mr Joe Larder, Sandford, Somerset. The gimmer sired by Huish ZEB and carrying twins to Sandy Lane Xceptional sold to Mr S Herraty, Highranachan, Argyll. Close behind at 820gns was lot 4, from Sam Driver, Sandy Lane Flock. She was second in her class in the pre-sale show and sold carrying twins to stock sire Blackhill Bash. She was the pick of Mr P Hancox, Kidderminster. Champion of the day went to lot 26, a ewe lamb from Mr T Pradtt, Hacheston, Suffolk. His Deben lamb, sired by Hilltop Bill had cracking figures and sold to the judge Llyr James, Ty-croes, Ceredigion. The males were not to be outdone with the top price of the day going to lot 56, which was a ram lamb from the Buckenhill Flock of L Crowther. Her homebred lamb sold at 1050gns and found a new home with D.J + L.S Billany Cwn Clydan, Ceredigion.

AVERAGES

Individual in lamb gimmers = 11/11 sold average £589.00

Individual gimmers not in lamb = 7/7 sold average £271.50

Groups of ewe lambs = 9/9 sold average £346.50

Yearling rams = average £577.50

Ram lambs = 6/6 average £661.50

Auctioneers McCartneys