

Frome Cheese Show 8 September 2012

Judge: Joshua Brigg

What a difference dry weather and sunshine makes to a show. Frome was blessed with both.

We started with the Cow class which is where I also found my Breed Champion. Three forward, all good working cows with calves at foot. First prize going to a clean, stylish cow and doing her calf the best, which also went on to win the young calf class. Second and third cows were a credit to the breed with their calves also winning prizes in both calf classes. Junior Heifer class winner, a very smart heifer with strength and femininity which I made Reserve Breed Champion. The second, another sweet heifer but lacking the quality of the first. Senior Heifers, four forward. The first an easy winner, standing out in the class. Second was pretty and feminine but lacking the substance of the first. Third a big, strong heifer but too masculine for me.

Only one bull class, all Juniors. First had plenty of bone and male character and in his working clothes. The second, a useful bull but carrying a bit too much condition on the day. Third and fourth lacked both strength and male character but made a wonderful match and went on to win the Pair class.

Cow or calved heifer

3 prizes awarded

1 st Long Ash Jahola	Mr S Hollier
2 nd Stoke Jet Stream	Natural England
3 rd Gupworthy Grace	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt

Calf under 6 months on show day

2 prizes awarded

1 st Long Ash Mahola	Mr S Hollier
2 nd Stoke Mega Wave	Natural England

Calf 6-12 months on show day

2 prizes awarded

1 st Long Ash Miccy	Mr S Hollier
2 nd Gupworthy Mistress	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt

Heifer 12-24 months on show day

3 prizes awarded

1 st Gupworthy Linda	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
2 nd Long Ash Kylie	Mr S Hollier
3 rd Gupworthy Layla	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt

Heifer over 24 months on show day

3 prize awarded

1 st Gupworthy Krystal	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
2 nd Long Ash Kalmia	Mr S Hollier
3 rd Stoke Kew	Natural England

Bull under 24 months on show day

3 prizes awarded

1 st Long Ash Larkspur	Mr S Hollier
2 nd Gupworthy Larkspur	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
3 rd Stoke Limited Edition	Natural England
4 th Stoke Larch	Natural England

Pairs

3 prizes awarded

1 st	Natural England
2 nd	Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
3 rd	Mr S Hollier

Breed Champion

Reserve Champion
Best Junior Heifer
Best Junior Bull

Long Ash Jahola

Gupworthy Linda
Gupworthy Linda
Long Ash Larkspur