

# Bletsoes

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## Fur & Feather Report – Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> August

Crowds fly into Thrapston again at another packed fur and feather. We would like to thank all our loyal Vendors, Buyers and Staff for supporting our sale, times are challenging enough without other local sales of similar types being held on the same day, which puts pressure on prices at both sales with restricted buying power, but we are glad to report that we had a great sale and plenty of our customers made the right choice to stay faithful to Thrapston Market.

Fantastic amounts in all sections with the **Sundries** selling at 9.30am including, tools, trolleys, heater boxes at £28, bags of sawdust to £6 and pigeon pens to £15. **Boxed Poultry** saw more top quality entries with hens and chicks topping to £30 for silkies, with young birds seeing chicks and quails at £14. **Caged Birds** drew quality once again with zebra finches and budgies making £32. Trade of the day was seen in the **Fur** section, with rabbits and guinea pigs meeting a host of new buyers and over 100 pens forward! Rabbits topped at a mighty £38 with mated sows seeing £28. Ferrets saw another bumper entry, with Polecat hobs peaking at £22 and sandy jills at £20. The pens of **Poultry** saw all ranges, with every buyer finding something in their range, Bronze Turkey stags kicked off the day topping at £16, followed by Barnacle Geese at £27, Brahma pullets sold in the region of £8.50 with laying hens going between £2 and £15. Guinea Fowl trios sold at £8 all day. Ducks topped to £17 with smart entries of Apricot Call ducks.

Thank you once again, See you on Saturday 4th September at 9.30am.