

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 14.02.25



101 BARREN COWS

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Excellent numbers forward again this week with an absolute flyer of a trade on all grades of barrens with the 12 loyal dealers on the ringside competing on all types. Top price of the day of £2380 was for 65-month-old Charolais bull weighing 970kgs at 245p/kg from Davies Penybanc Uchaf followed at £1930 for a 67-month-old blue bull weighing 920kgs at 210ppk from Armstrong Plas Y Betws.

Top price beef barren being £2180 for 52-month-old tested blue cow weighing 848kgs at 257ppk from Rogers Nantygrofaen followed at £2020 for 43-month-old Charolais weighing 698kgs at 290 from Howard Glancapel. A market record again this week for a dairy barren at £2100 for 65-month-old non tested Holstein cow weighing 874kg at 240ppk from CMGT LTD Madox farm, followed at £1960 for 75-month-old Holstein cow weighing 829kgs at 236ppk from Sauro & Partners Ty Newydd.

Top p/kg at 327ppk was for a 27-month-old tested limmie heifer weighing 434kg to a lump of £1420 from Davies Tafarnscawen followed at 304ppk for a 39-month-old blue steer weighing 454kgs to total of £1380 from Bowen Silver Hill farm

Thankyou vendors and dealers for your continuous support. Selling live IS a must with trade on fire!!

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£2100.00 874kg 65m HOL CGMT LTD
£1970.00 826kg 54m WBX Watkins Dolauhirion
£1960.00 829kg 75m HOL Sauro Ty Newydd

NT OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1560.00 774kg 66m LIM Duggins Banc Y Glyn
£1280.00 670kg 44mm BRW Leyshon Pentwyn

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£2180.00 848kg 52m BRB Rogers Nantygrofaen
£2020.00 698kg 43m CHX Howard Glancapel
£1840.00 765kg 202m CHX Thomas Penybont

TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1420.00 532kg 41m HOL Pincombe Henllan

TST OTM STEER £/HEAD

£1480.00 541kg 27m BRB Thomas Pantycingle
£1440.00 487kg 39m BRB Bowen Silver Hill
£1380.00 454kg 39m BRB Bowen Silver Hill

TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£2380.00 970kg 65m CHX Davies Penybanc Uchaf
£1930.00 920kg 67m BRB Strong Plas Y Betws

319 STORE CATTLE

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Consistent numbers with terrific numbers coming through the doors for time of year!! Trade very, very, very dear from start to finish with some eye-catching prices!! Heifer topped this week with a 20-month-old shapey pedigree blue from M & S Williams selling to record highs in the section at £3000 or 535p/kg. Dairy bred blues sold next at £2300 from L Rees with a smart 590kg heifer from T E Jones LTD in the top prices again this week at £2130. Limmies to £2030 for 535kg from Penyfodau fawr with plenty of the stronger heifers trading over the £2000 barrier. 540kg Charolais sold to £1950 from D Howard with 19-month-old Limmies from C W G Davies weighing 430kg flying to £1760, while 15-month-old Lim heifer from W O Thomas finding new homes at £2000.

Steers topped at £2300 for 665kg beef shorthorn from B M S Thomas with 560kg Blonde from S M Howells selling to £2190. Angus from W T & D L Organ to £2170 with dairy bred blues from E Davies & son selling well at £2150. Fleckvieh steer found highs of £2080 from P M & J E Davies with others to £1990. 525kg Charolais bullocks to £1990 from E Davies & Son with 510kg Charolais from R E Beynon & Partners selling to £1980. 21-month-old 330kg blues from Dolgian Farm sold to highs per kilo of 436.4 (£1440) with 6 months from the same home looking like trade of the day at £1430 and 420.6ppk/ 8-month-old Charolais from Dufty bros to £1490 with all steers levelling out at over £1600.



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Feeding bulls sold to £1510 from D J Williams with Herefords from S D Picton Davies & son to £1500. 11-month-old Salers to £900 & £1100 or 315p/kg from G K Duggins.

A big thanks to all vendors for another fantastic day of trading store cattle. We go again next week!!

Diolch yn fawr.

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£2300.00 24m BSH Thomas LLwyncelyn
£2190.00 20m BAX Howells Penlan
£2170.00 28m AAX Organ Penrhiwdilfa
£2150.00 24m BRB Davies Fferm Pantffynnon
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HEIFERS

£3000.00 22m BRB Williams Clomendy
£2300.00 30m BRB Rees Cold Harbour
£2130.00 22m BLONDE Jones Blaengwyn
£2030.00 24m LIM Penyfodau Fawr
£2010.00 29m BRB Jenkins Tanfforddgo

BULL

£1510.00 32m LIM Williams Pwllcalch
£1500.00 27m HEX Davies Hendre Farm

495 PRIME HOGGETS (avg326.84ppk)

Close to 500 hogs at Carmarthen this week as trade more or less stand on the week despite national dip in trade!! Highs of 389p/kg or £165 with an overall average of 326.84p/kg. Topping the day with heavy lambs to £159 was Crooke, Britton Ferry whilst a strong run of Texel x mule hogs was close behind at £164 x2 from Jenkins Ty Llwyd. More heavy lambs sold to £163.50 and £163 from Deakin LLainderwen whilst a consistent run of cheviot hogs from Davies Talsarn topped at £160 or 342p/kg. Smart Charolais x hogs from Beynon Glantowy reached £160.50 or 338p/kg, with smart Texels to £159.50 from Jones Cwmgors. Plenty of hogs over £150 on the day with highs of 389ppk for well meated hogs from Jones Bryn Pedyll. Texels from Jones Garreg Goch Ganol traded at 371p/kg with strong buying support on all weights every Friday at Carmarthen.

Diolch am eich cefnogaeth!!

HOGGS P/KG

In 32.1-39kg section

389p/kg 36.0kg Jones Bryn Pedyll
371p/kg 37.5kg Jones Garreg Goch Ganol
355p/kg 38.0kg Phillips Upper Portclew

In 39.1-45.5kg section

346p/kg 41.0kg Dufty Bros
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338p/kg 40.0kg Jones Bryn Pedyll

In 45.5-52kg section

338p/kg 47.5kg Beynon Glantowy
334p/kg 46.0kg Davies Maesygelli
324p/kg 49.0kg Evans Penlan

In 52+kg section

342p/kg 40.5kg Harries Alltcynadda
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330p/kg 42.0kg Harries Alltcynadda

HOGGS £/HEAD

In 32.1-39kg section

£140.00 36.0KG Jones Bryn Pedyll
£139.00 37.5kg Jones Garreg Goch Ganol
£135.00 38.0kg Phillips Upper Portclew

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£152.00 45.5kg Jones Bryn Pedyll
£148.50 45.0kg James Pontbren
£147.50 44.0kg Deakin LLainderwen

In 45.5-52kg section

£160.50 47.5kg Beynon Glantowy
£159.50 50.5kg Jones Abernant
£159.00 49.0kg Evans Penlan

In 52+kg section

£165.00 59.0kg Crook & Partners Pant Howell
£164.00 54.0kg Jenkins Ty Llwyd
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556 STORE HOGGS (avg£86.03)

Another strong entry of store hogs for time of year this week as we see over 500 go under the hammer!! Plenty of variety among the pens with certainly a buyer for all types here at Carmarthen!! Plenty of strong forward types saw highs of £140 from Deakin LLainderwn Lwyd with a solid entry from Kath Watkins, Plasparcau topping at £138 x 2. Jenkins Cathal sold theirs to £138 with more strong sorts from Jenkins Ty Llwyd at £136. Williams Pwllcalch's entry sold to £136 and Jones Greenhill at £131.50. Endless pens over £120 on the day with these being both continental and hill bred types. Once again split ewe lamb pens seeing a few extra buyers' interest, rewarding each vendor by doing so! Demand remains very good on every Friday at Carmarthen mart!!

TOP PRICES

STORE LAMBS

£140.00 Deakin LLainderwen
£138.00 Watkins Plas Parcau
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73 BREEDING EWES & COUPLES

Just a few in lambers this week as we see 3-year-old Zwartbles due to twins start of March to a Zwartble ram top at £200 from Morgan Neath. More in lambers due end of Feb to a Texel at £140 for twins and £112 for a triplet. An increased entry of couples this week as we also see an increased amount of buying faces in the alleys looking to source couples for the grazing season ahead!!

Topping at £320 or £120/life for a full mouth Suffolk ewes and Suffolk x Texel lambs at foot was Phillips Upper Portclew whilst more from the same home sold to £310 and £300. Full mouth ewes with twins sold to £270 from Evans Parcpwll with full mouth singles from the same home to £200. Best ewes and lambs generally £100/life plus with younger lambs £80-£100/life depending on ewe quality. More couples required each Friday please with plenty of demand on all types.

BREEDING EWES

£200.00 Morgan Llantwit

£140.00 Evans LLangynnog

COUPLES

£320.00 Phillips Upper Portclew

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223 CULL EWES & RAMS (avg £119.92)

Once again good numbers of culls and rams forward this week as we see another strong trade on all types from str to finish!! Competitive bidding amongst the alleys resulting in happy vendors!! Topping the section at £246 with a blue texel ewe was Williams Clomendy, with Texel ewes to £210 from Chester Rhos. Strong ewes to £199, £188, £183 and £178 from Jenkins Ty Llwyd with more of the same sort to £190 from Maesybeddau CYF. Ewes from Davies & Harries Penrhiw with more strong types to £175 from Lewis Bolahaul. Endless run of strong continentals over £150 with the strongest hill ewes motoring pass £120, whilst the leaner and plainer ewes a stand on trade. Rams to £229 for a Texel from Waters Parclands with another £227 from Davies Maesygelli. Another strong entry required next Friday please!!

EWES

£246.00 Williams Clomendy

£210.00 Chester Penclawdd

£199.00 Jenkins Ty Llwyd

£190.00 Maesybeddau CYF

RAMS

£229.00 Waters Parclands

£227.00 Davies Maesygelli

£200.00 Crook & Partners Panthowell DDU



Beef Cows to £2180.00 or 327.2p/kg

Dairy Cows to £2100.00 or 295.4p/kg

Bulls to £2380.00 or 245.4p/kg

OTM's to £1490.00 or 304.0p/kg

ALL COWS AVERAGE £1391.21
OR 223.06P/KG

⚡ Sell Live and Thrive ⚡

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Store Cattle (319)

Steers to £2300.00 or 436.4p/kg
Avg. £1607.58 or 345.21p/kg

Heifers to £3000.00 or 535.7p/kg
Avg. £1454.00 or 331.12p/kg

Feeding Bulls to £1510.00 or 315.8p/kg
Avg. £1122.00 or 312.24p/kg

⚡ A FLYER THROUGHOUT ⚡

! 18 Cattle over £2000.00 !

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Auctioneer - Llyr Jones
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Sheep (1347)

Prime Hogs to £165.00 or 389p/kg
Avg. 326.84p/kg

Store Hogs to £140.00
Avg. £86.03

Cull Ewes & Rams to £246.00
Avg. £119.92

In Lamb Ewes to £200.00

Couples to £320.00 or £120/life

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