

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 19.04.24



73 BARREN COWS

Auctioneer – Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Consistent numbers on a weekly basis with a flying trade on all grades of barrens. Lot of business done 200-220p/kg and up to 239p/kg.

Top price of the day was £2020 for a 125-month-old Holstein bull weighing 1110kg at 182p/kg from Davies, Parcwilws, followed at £1600 for a 92-month-old Holstein cow weighing 798kg at 200.5p/kg from Beynon, Glantowy.

239p/kg was achieved for a 31-month-old 615kg Limmie cow to a total of £1470 from Morgan & Anthony, Whitehouse Farm. Next was 215.9p/kg for a 29-month-old Holstein heifer weighing 690kg and came back at £1490 in the lump for Jones, Ffosddu.

We go again next Friday at 10am, Thankyou vendors and dealers for your continued support!

PLEASE NOT NEW SALE TIME OF BARRENS - 10AM!!

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£1550.00 736kg 50m Jones Bros, Ffynnonlwyd
£1490.00 690kg 29m Jones, Ffosddu
£1450.00 826kg 90m Penhill Farm Ferryside LTD
£1390.00 764kg 117M Harries, Alltynadda

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

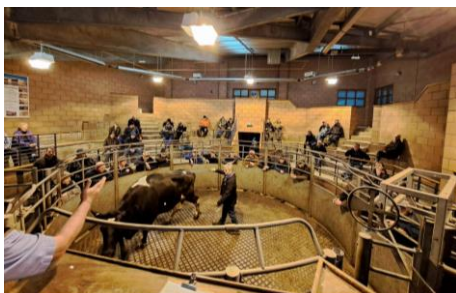
£1600.00 798kg 92m Beynon & Partners, Glantowy Fawr
£1545.00 747kg 87m Beynon & Partners, Glantowy Fawr
£1530.00 767kg 142m Thomas, Ffynnonwen
£1470.00 615kg 31m Morgan & Anthony, Whitehouse

TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£940.00 595kg 42m Thomas, Gelligatrog
£860.00 581kg 28m Thomas, Gelligatrog

TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£2020.00 1110kg 125m Davies, Parcwilws Farm



292 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Llyr Jones 07812934964

Just shy of 300 stores with another very satisfying day in the store ring for what was a plainer/younger show of cattle in the yard. Forward fleshy stores continued to sell well with the heavy types fiercely bid for and reached highs of £1810 for a pair of 25-month-old Hereford bullocks from DC Powell. 3 605kg dairy bred BB bullocks sold next at £17309 from GJ & R & DO Davies, with plenty of bullocks £1500 and over! Plenty of business done at “70-290p/kg with best of the young stores reaching 364p/kg (360kg-£1260). Several runs of well grown Friesian steers over £1400, which would look dearer on the week!

HH & LM Jones showed another fine run of Charolais X Lim cattle once again this week, with their best heifer reaching £1690 for 580kg 2-year-old Limmie and a Charolais at £1570. 4 tremendous heifers from TM Roberts sold next at £1550 for just 520kg which was knocking on the door of 300p/kg barrier. Plenty of the best heifers smashing the 300p/kg barrier with a run from JGO & EA Thomas regularly 310-330p/kg. Bulls sold to £900 for a 420kg dairy bred Angus from EL & G Davies, with more feeding bulls needed every week here on a Friday at Carmarthen Mart! Please notify entries for next week at the market office 01267 493200,

Diolch am eich cefnogaeth parhaus!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£1810.00 HEX 25m Powell, Maesyderi
£1730.00 BRB 24m Davies, Parcwilws Farm
£1680.00 BRB 24m Davies Bros, Waunllanau Isaf
£1600.00 CHX 32m James, Llwynocrwn Farm

HEIFERS

£1690.00 LIMX 24m Jones, Pencaerau Bach
£1570.00 CHX 22m Jones, Pencaerau Bach
£1550.00 LIMX 22m Roberts, Glanrwyth
£1530.00 CHX 20m Crook & Partners, Pant Howell Ddu

BULL

£900.00 AAX 13m Davies, Poityn Farm
£640.00 AAX 13m Davies, Poityn Farm
£630.00 HEX 12m Usher, Nantyrhebog



16 PRIME LAMBS

Still early but a few pens forward this week again with trade looking dearer this week! Topping £184 were Dorset bred lambs from Davies, Cwmffrwd with the same types reaching 410p/kg or £170 for 41.5kg lambs from the same home. This week's trade proving that Friday isn't a problem to trade your spring lambs, give Carmarthen a go please!

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 25.5-32kg section

£100.00 32.00kg Griffiths & Lawrence, The Ridge

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£170.00 41.50kg Daves, 25 St Annes Avenue

In 45.6-52kg section

£184.00 49.00kg Davies, 25 St Annes Avenue

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 32.1-39kg section

313p/kg 32.00kg Griffiths & Lawrence, The Ridge

In 39.1-45.5kg section

410p/kg 41.50kg Davies, 25 St Annes Avenue

In 45.6-52kg section

376p/kg 49.00kg Davies, 25 St Annes Avenue

230 PRIME HOGGS

A cracking trade saw as hoggs continue to sell very well in April! All types well bid for with a pen of smart Texel hoggs from Jones, Penylan topping at £216 with Davies Cwmcelyn trading up to £181. An entry from James, Awelfryn sold to £179 with ewe hoggs from Earle, Llwynyrwn reaching £178.50. Endless amounts trading at Carmarthen every Friday, with more numbers needing to match buyer demand!

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 25.5-32kg section

342p/kg 32.00kg John, Hills Farm

288p/kg 32.00kg Thomas, Ffynnonlas

In 32.1-39kg section

395p/kg 38.00kg Hooper, Rhos Farm

384p/kg 38.00kg Davies, Penlanwynt

368p/kg 34.00kg Evans, Y Felin

In 39.1-45.5kg section

381p/kg 40.00kg Thomas, Nnatycastell

376p/kg 43.50kg Thomas, Ty Rhys

362p/kg 43.00kg Evans, Ty Cerrig

In 45.6-52kg section

367p/kg 46.00kg Earle, Llwynyrwn

357p/kg 47.00kg Evans, Ty Cerrig

351p/kg 51.00kg James & Sons, Awelfryn

In 52kg+ section

393p/kg 55.00kg Jones, Penylan

326p/kg 54.00kg Earle, Llwynyrwn

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 25.5-32kg section

£109.50 32.00kg John, Hills Farm

£92.00 32.00kg Thomas, Ffynnonlas

In 32.1-39kg section

£150.00 38.00kg Hooper, Rhos Farm

£146.00 38.00kg Davies, Penlanwynt

£139.00 38.00kg Walters, Tirmynydd

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£163.50 43.50kg Thomas, Ty Rhys

£155.50 43.00kg Evans, Ty Cerrig

£153.50 44.00 Thomas, Trefenty Farm

In 45.6-52kg section

£179.00 51.00kg James & Sons, Awelfryn

£172.00 51.00kg Thomas, Nnatycastell

£169.00 46.00kg Earle, Llwynyrwn

In 52kg+ section

£216.00 55.00kg Jones, Penylan

£181.00 74.00kg Davies, Cwn Celyn



40 STORE HOGGS

Similar entry with a stand on trade on all types in the store department! Topping the day was Thomas, Ty Rhys at £1-3 with a pen of Kerry Hill hogs trading at £94 from John, Laques Fawr. Not so many big hogs about with plenty trading £70-£80 whilst the alleys continue to draw buyers for store hogs every week. Diolch!

TOP PRICES

STORE LAMBS

£103.00 Thomas, Ty Rhys
£94.00 John, Lacques Fawr
£76.00 Lewis, Esgerddar

321 EWE & LAMB COUPLES

An excellent entry of ewe and lamb couples taking us to one row from a full shed of sheep at Carmarthen mart! Buyers turned up in their numbers with many vendors and buyers leaving the market with averages between £100-£120 a life! Topping the singles was Francis, Pistyll Uchaf at £260 for yearling Dutch Spotted ewes and their spotted lambs with doubles making out at £312 for full mouth ewes and their lambs at foot from Vaughan, Tufton. Speckle ewes and their twin labs sold to £310 from Francis, Pistyll Uchaf, with a cracking entry from John, Morfa Melyn reaching £300 for doubles and £250 for singles. More of the same required next week please!

EWE & LAMB COUPLES

£312.00 Evans & Vaughan, Parcywern
£310.00 Francis, Pistyll Uchaf
£300.00 Johns & Sons, Morfa Melyn
£298.00 Evans, Parcypwll
£295.00 Johns & Sons, Morfa Melyn

206 CULL EWES & RAMS

Carmarthen's cull trade inviting many more new vendors every week with some nice headlines to show for it. Topping the day was a Texel ewe at £200 from Waters, Parclands, with another Texel ewe from Jones, Penylan trading at £180. Jones, Garreg Goch Ganol reached £179 for their entry, with a pen of 20 Berrichon ewes from FFGF LTD selling to £164. Strength an easy seller each week with the leaner and smaller sorts looking just as dear with plenty of customers for every type each Friday, Diolch!

TOP PRICES

EWES

£200.00 Waters, Parclands
£180.00 Jones, Penylan
£179.00 Jones, Garreg Goch Ganol
£164.00 FFGF LTD, Goitrefach

RAMS

£83.00 Jones & Sons, Tirbanal
£71.00 Jones & Sons, Tirbanal

FRIDAY 17TH MAY 2024

**CARMARTHEN MART FIRST ANNUAL
PRIZE SHEEP 'MAY FAIR'**

PRIZES FOR PENS OF:

STORE HOGGS

PRIME HOGGS

SPRING LAMBS

CULL EWES & RAMS

EWE & LAMB COUPLES

SALE – 11AM