

# CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 21.02.25



## 84 BARREN COWS

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Excellent numbers forward again this week with stand on trade from previous weeks on all grades of barrens. Selling live is very rewarding price wise!!

Top price of £2370 for 117-month-old tested Charolais cow weighing 857kgs at 277p/kg from Tucker Stoneaway followed at £2140 for 45-month-old blue cow weighing 633kgs at 338p/kg from Morgan Pantarfon.

Top dairy barrens at £2080 for 127-month-old non tested Holstein cow weighing 882kgs at 236p/kg from Evans Dancapel followed at £1970 for 80-month-old Holstein cow weighing 807kgs at 244p/kg from Drefach Farms LTD. Bulls to max of £2050 for 30-month-old Angus weighing 817kgs at 251p/kg from Beynon Glantowy fawr followed at £1940 for Charolais weighing at 218p/kg from Howells Llety Willows.

Top p/kg at 338p/kg for the above-mentioned blue cow from Morgan Pantarfon followed 313p/kg for 32-month-old Hereford heifer weighing 536kgs to lump of £1680 from Isaac Tower Hill with others from Bevans Pyllau Crynion to 307p/kg for 41-month-old blue cow weighing 635kgs to total of £1950.

Thank you, vendors and dealers, for your loyal support. We would encourage vendors please have their barrens in by 9.30am please!! We go again next Friday 9.30am. Diolch.

## TOP PRICES

### NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£2140.00 633kg 45m BRB Morgan Pantarfon  
£2080.00 704kg 32m LIM Wern Fach  
£2080.00 882kg 127m HOL Evans Dancapel

### NT OTM BULL £/HEAD

£2050.00 817kg 30m AAX Beynon & Partners Glantowy

### TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£2370.00 857kg 117m CHX Tucker Stoneaway  
£1800.00 605kg 33m HOL Jones Talfan  
£1770.00 593kg 154m LIM Davies Bryn Yr Eglwys

### TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1610.00 547kg 32m HEX Davies Bryn Yr Eglwys

### TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1940.00 890kg 33m CHX Howells Llety Willows

## 467 STORE CATTLE

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Incredible numbers for time of year with trade certainly pulling the cattle to the market. Prices on fire from start to finish with the young cattle arguably even dearer on the week. The big cattle a stand on trade and tremendously sold for all breeds forward. Top of the steers sold to £2310 from a very good home from our Gail and family. This was for a 620kg BRB with 610kg Blues from ED & AA Davies selling next at £2230. A fantastic run of Charolais cattle from JJ Howells peaked at £2200 for 520kg or 423.1p/kg. Charolais 15kg lighter from the same home to 2190 and 433p/kg with 440kg selling to £1990.00 or 452.3p/kg. Other 21month Charlie steers from DE & DM Jones sold to £2140. Dairy bred Charolais from E Thomas selling to £2100 with Limmie & Hereford steers also trading at £2100 from JD Jones & Co and Messrs Davies respectively. 12month old BRB's from N Davies to £1820 with a real trade seen for the youngsters steers this week. 260kg from MDM Farms topped per kilo smashing the 500p/kg barrier at 503.8p/kg (£1310). All steers levelled out at £1590.49 or 364.14p/kg. Feeding bulls sold to highs of £1380.00 for AA from R Condell with a couple of 9month old Limousin selling to highs of 400p/kg for 275kg at £1100 from GK Duggins.

A storming 31month old Charolais heifer weighing 710kg topped the section this week at £2480 from DEW & E Evans with other Charolais to £2290 from RJB & AM Tucker. 21month Limmie from DE & DM Jones sold next at £2090 with TG Morgan selling his wonderful run to highs of £2030 for 480kg and 422.9p/kg. 21month Charolais from JJ Howells topped per kilo with 395kg sailing to £1750 and 443p/kg. 390kg Charolais from CR & DM Griffiths next in line selling 390kg at 430p/kg and £1680.00 with plenty over 420p/kg here this Friday. All heifers levelled out at £1402.60 and 340p/kg. 24 cattle cross £2000 and 41 cattle break the 400p/kg barrier.

A big thanks to all vendors for a quality show of cattle and supporting us here at Carmarthen mart. We're ready to go again next Friday with the current trade set to hold going into the spring! Get your cattle booked in! Diolch yn fawr!



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## **TOP PRICES**

### **STEERS**

£2310.00 27m BRB Morris & Sons Brynawel  
£2230.00 26m BRB Davies Gwndwn Mawr  
£2200.00 22m CHX Howells LLety Willows  
£2190.00 20m CHX Howells LLety Willows  
£2140.00 21m CHX Jones Maesteilo

### **HEIFERS**

£2480.00 32m CHX Evans Llwyn Neuadd  
£2290.00 20m CHX Tucker Stoneaway  
£2090.00 21m LIM Jones Maesteilo  
£2030.00 19m LIM Morgan Gelli Aur  
£1950.00 27m BRB Charles Aberglwydaeth

### **BULL**

£1380.00 16m AAX Condell Pantyglien  
£1100.000 9m LIM Duggins Banc Y Glyn  
£1090.00 12m BRB Duggins Banc Y Glyn

### **825 PRIME HOGGETS (avg319.91ppk)**

A record entry of 825 prime hogs forward as we experience yet another strong trade on all weights at Carmarthen Mart! Highs of £165.50 for smart texels from Davies, Cwmffrwd or 365p/kg for a lovely run of Aberdale x hogs from Rickman & Jeffreys, Gurnos. This run topped at £160.50 with others to £152.50, £142.50, and £140.50 x 2. Heavy texels from the Morris Family of Brynawel reached £164 with others from the same home to £162.50 and £161. Another good run from Beynon, St Nicholas topped at £162 with a solid consignment of Welsh tup hogs reaching £153 from James, Gwynfe. Smart texels from Williams, Wenfro to £159 and fed hogs to £154 for 48kg from Morgan & Anthony, Whitehouse. A strong consignment from Hughes, Pantwdfn topped at £151 with Jones, Bryn Pedyll's entry also topping at £151. Whiteface fed hogs to £150 from Jones, Penpal with endless run of hogs 330p/kg and over on the day. Continued strong weekly buying support resulting in more numbers, with trade proving large numbers not to be a problem here at Carmarthen! More of the same required next week please. Any entries greatly appreciated to notify buyers prior to sale day.

### **HOGGS P/KG**

#### **In 25.1-32.0kg section**

313P/KG 30.0KG Beynon Trefelgan  
296p/kg 28.0kg Dufty Bryn  
292p/kg 30.0kg Bishop Farms Ystrad FFin

#### **In 32.1-39kg section**

365p/kg 39.0kg Rickman & Jeffreys Gurnos  
362p/kg 38.5kg Dufty Bryn  
355p/kg 37.0kg Raymond Bros Trenewydd

#### **In 39.1-45.5kg section**

343p/kg 44.0kg Jones Brynpedyll  
338p/kg 40.0kg Griffiths Blaenclettwr  
336p/kg 42.0kg Jones Penpal

#### **In 45.5-52kg section**

338p/kg 47.0kg Williams Wenfro  
338p/kg 49.0kg Davies 25 St Annes Avenue  
323p/kg 46.0kg Harding 9 Ger Y Castell

#### **In 52+kg section**

290p/kg 56.0kg Morris & Sons Brynawel  
289p/kg 56.0kg Beynon Trefelgan  
288p/kg 56.0kg Morris & Sons Brynawel

### **HOGGS £/HEAD**

#### **In 25.1-32.0kg section**

£94.00 30.0kg Beynon Trefelgan  
£92.00 32.0kg Jones Brynclydach  
£91.00 31.5kg James Pontbren

#### **In 32.1-39kg section**

£142.50 39.0kg Rickman & Jeffreys Gurnos  
£139.50 38.5kg Dufty Bryn  
£133.00 38.0kg Raymond Bros Trenewydd

#### **In 39.1-45.5kg section**

£152.50 45.0kg Rickman & Jeffreys Gurnos  
£151.00 44.0kg Jones Bryn Pedyll  
£149.00 45.0kg Thomas Clungarthen

#### **In 45.5-52kg section**

£165.50 49.0kg Davies 25 St Annes Avenue  
£160.50 50.0kg Rickman & Jeffreys Gurnos  
£159.00 47.0kg Williams Wenfro

#### **In 52+kg section**

£164.00 58.0kg Morris & Sons Brynawel  
£162.50 56.0kg Morris & Sons Brynawel  
£162.00 56.0kg Beynon Trefelgan

### **597 STORE HOGGS (avg£88.44)**

Numbers remain consistent for time of year as we see over close to 600 stores once again this week to highs of £169 for Suffolk ewe hogs from Jenkins, Cathal. Another pen of the same product sold to £139 with strong continental types reaching £141, £139 and £138.50 from Richards, Castle Morris. More strong sorts to £140 from Jones-Shiral, whilst a strong consignment of Welsh tup hogs to £139 from Williams, Aberdeunant. Endless runs of stores over £130 on the day with the lighter and longer-term sorts continuing to trade very strong to a large consignment of buyers. See you all next week at 11AM.

## TOP PRICES

### STORE LAMBS

£169.00 Jenkins Cathal

£141.00 Richards & Son Penybank

£140.00 Jones Shiral

### 98 BREEDING EWES & COUPLES

An increased entry of in-lamb ewes and ewe and lamb couples this week as we see a strong cohort of buyers present for these farming sorts. In-lamb ewes topped at £172 for 3yr Texel x carrying twins to a Texel ram at the end of the month from Evans, Llangynnog whilst an entry of yearling whiteface and Suffolk ewes carrying twins to a Texel from 10<sup>th</sup> April onwards at £168 from James, Cilhir and single bearing yearlings from the same home to £162. Welsh in-lamb hogs sold to £108 from Morgan, Pantyfallen with Welsh brokers carrying singles middle of March onwards to a Welsh tup trading at £85 x 2 from the same home. On to the couples saw a hot trade as singles topped £255 for a Dorset ewe and lamb from Evans, Penlan and Texel ewes with young twin texel lambs at foot to £285 from Cullen, Aberystwyth. In-lamb ewes and couples welcomed at Carmarthen Mart every Friday with any entries greatly appreciated prior to sale to notify potential buyers!

### BREEDING EWES

£172.00 Evans Llangynnog

£168.00 Jameson Cilhir

£162.00 Jameson Cilhir

### COUPLES

£285.00 Cullen Penywern

£255.00 Evans Penlan

£255.00 Cullen Penywern

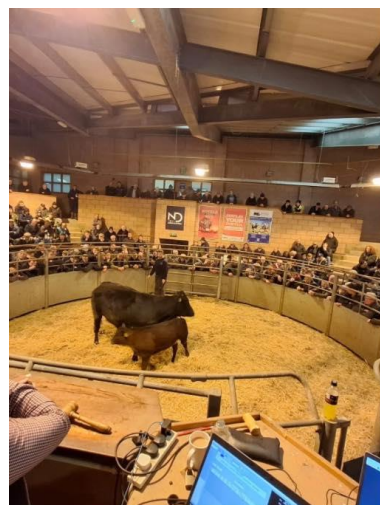
## 288 CULL EWES & RAMS

Cull ewes remain a very competitive trade as we see pleasant highs of £228 for a Dutch Spotted ewe from Fisher, Meidrim. Strong Suffolks to £185 from Gerorge, Pantiauau with Texels topping at £176 from Morris, Bryn Awel. More strong types to £173 from Lewis, Bolahaul with a good consignment of Texel mules to £169 from Chester, Rhos. Cullen, Aberystwyth topped his entry at £166 with Evans', Bwlchgywynt's entry reaching £161 for Texel types. Endless runs over £150 and plenty of the leaner and smaller sorts over £120 with all types and grades competitively bid for from start to finish. More ewes required each week to meet buyer demand.

### EWES

£228.00 Fisher 10 Lon Dewi

£185.00 George Pantiauau



### **CARMARTHEN Livestock Market *Weaned Calves & Breeding Cattle Sale***

**Monday 3rd of March  
2025 at 11AM**

**LAST MONTH HIGHS** 📈  
■ Weaned Calves to **£1630**  
■ Cows & Calves to **£3650**  
■ InCalf Heifers to **£3150**  
■ Breeding Bulls to **£2800**



**Entries to the mart office  
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