# CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 31.01.25



#### **81 BARREN COWS**

#### Auctioneer - Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Excellent numbers again forward with absolute flyer of a trade on all grades of barrens!! Top end consistently £1500 to £2300!! Being from 220ppk to 283ppk with the dairy cows straight from the milking parlour from £900 to £1350.Top price of £2330 for 70-month-old non tested Charolais cow weighing 845kg at 276ppk from Rees Coynant followed at £2090 for 177-month-old Limmie cow weighing 746kg at 280ppk from Last Wernddu. Dairy types to max of £1770 for 50-month-old Holstein cow weighing 806kgs at 220ppk from Davies Fron followed at £1680 for 111-month-old Holstein weighing 751kgs at 224ppk from CGMT LTD. Top bull at £2300 for 58-monthold lim bull from George Pantiauau with another Lim of 125-month-old selling to £1640. Top p/kg at 283ppk was 62-month-old Lim cow weighing 657kg to lump of £1860 from Jones & George Tirlan followed at 280ppk from the above-mentioned Lim cow from Mr Last Wernddu.

Thank you, vendors and dealers, for your loyal support!!

## **TOP PRICES**

## NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£2330.00 845kg 70m CHX Rees Coynant £2090.00 746kg 177m LIM Last Wernddu £2060.00 742kg 122m BRB Leyshon Cefnfaes

# NT OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1640.00 125m LIM Evans Cilymaenllwyd

## TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£2050.00 791kg 91m LIM James Ty Gwyn £1850.00 740kg 70m HEX Phillips Blaenos £1740.00 68m LIM James Ty Gwyn

#### TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£2300.00 1200kg 58m LIM George Pantiauau

## **279 STORE CATTLE**

# Auctioneer – Llŷr Jones 07812934964 Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Another fantastic weekly entry with another "tap on the back" to our vendors for the quality show of cattle forward. -

Trade bonkers from start to finish with the big cattle notching up a gear with 755kg steer from E E & W M Rees topped the section for the second week running selling to record highs of £2580. 730kg dairy bred blue from Davies Bros sold next at £2400 with lim bullocks from the same home to £2300. Stabiliser bullocks found highs of £2280 for 650kg from B M Owen, with plenty of steers £2000 an over. 9 month old 180kg Hereford steers topped the per kilo flying to £790 and highs of 439ppk from R Griffiths who also sold 8 month old Charolais weighing 230kg to £1000 or 434.8ppk. Best of the young cattle topped at £1650 for a couple of Lim Bullocks from E T S D & K R Davies. Plenty of young bullocks 400ppk today with all steers levelling out at £1678.08.

Heifers topped at £2200 for 26-month-old Angus with blues from B M Owen with a great run of fleshy heifers from D Jones selling to highs of £2120. 22-month-old feeding Charolais heifer looked well sold at £2060 with plenty of strength over £2000. 21-month-old Charolais heifer weighing 405kg (£1650) flew to top per kilo at 407.4ppk with best of the young heifers sold to £1620 for 10-month-old limmies from G Poulton. All heifers levelled out at over £1600. A few more feeding bulls this week with 14 month old lim bull from E Davies & Son selling to £1520 and 337.8ppk with 10 month old suckler bred Sims from M O Jones selling to £1080 for 330kg. Diolch yn fawr am eich cefnogaeth parhaus! A big thanks for your continued support!!

If you have cattle to sell, there is no better place than your local market where competition for stock is unrivalled.

#### **TOP PRICES**

## **STEERS**

£2580.00 25m LIM Rees Coynant £2400.00 27m BRB Davies Bros Waunllanau £2300.00 27m LIM Davies Bros Waunllanau £2280.00 20m CON Owen Penywaun

#### **HEIFERS**

£2200.00 26m AAX Grant Berrach £2180.00 20m BRB Owen Penywaun £2120.00 20m AAX Davies & Jones Penralldafan £2090.00 25m LIM Davies & Jones Penralltdafan

#### <u>BULL</u>

£1520.00 14m LIM Davies Pantffynnon £1390.00 10m SMX Jones Pantyrefail





# **1402 SHEEP**

### PRIME HOGGETS (avg 318p/kg)

Two full rows and a very competitive trade seen throughout. Meat key and would maintain the premium of previous weeks anywhere from 325-340ppk. A few "tail ends" in the entry which is to be expected this time of year would affect the overall average. As mentioned, handy weight, meated lambs in high demand selling to highs of 344ppk for 39kg from D E & R M Roberts. 38kg from D Gundy sold next at 342ppk with best of the lights selling to 325ppk for 32kg at £104 from A D Peregrine. 44-46kg hoggs consistently £145-£149 with heavier lambs £150+. 60kg topped the whole section at £164 from B M Owen with 55's from T J, E E Davies & son selling at £162. Plenty of buyers for all grades in the alleys every Friday. More prime hoggs can easily be handled.

#### **HOGGS P/KG**

## In 32.1-39kg section

344p/kg 39.0kg Roberts Cilwr Uchaf 342p/kg 38.0kg Gundy Spite House 338p/kg 37.0kg Williams Twmpath

## In 39.1-45.5kg section

342p/kg 43.0kg Jones Penylan 339p/kg 41.0kg Hughes Pantdwfn 339p/kg 41.0kg Rees Nantherwydd

## In 45.5-52kg section

318p/kg 50.0kg Williams Wenfro 317p/kg 48.0kg Owen Penywaun 316p/kg 50.0kg Powell Gwernfelen

#### In 52+kg section

295p/kg 55.0kg Davies & Son LLysynant 283p/kg 54.5kg Davies Cwmbychan 279p/kg 57.0kg Williams Twmpath

# **HOGGS £/HEAD**

## In 32.1-39kg section

£134.00 39.0kg Roberts Cilwr Uchaf £130.00 38.0kg Gundy Spite House £127.00 38.5kg Evans Spitre

#### In 39.1-45.5kg section

£149.00 44.5kg Davies & Son LLysynant £147.00 43.0kg Jones Penylan £147.00 44.5kg Dufty Bros Cefngilfach

## In 45.5-52kg section

£159.00 50.0kg Williams Wenfro £158.00 50.0kg Powell Gwernfelen £156.00 50.00 Williams Twmpath

#### In 52+kg section

£164.00 60.0kg Owen Penywaun £162.00 55.0kg Davies & Son LLysynant £159.00 57.0kg Williams Twmpath

#### **STORE LAMBS & BREEDING SHEEP**

A very good entry of store hoggs with over 500 head this time of year showing how strong trade is at Carmarthen mart every Friday!! The entry of stores was very mixed with several pens of small and faulted hoggs in the entry! Prices very strong from start to finish with the alleys full of buyers. Top of the day went to W H Morse at £141 who also sold other at £136. Plenty trading over £125 today with overall average looking very strong at £90 all in!! C R Pritchard sold blue face Leicester ewes in lamb to triplets to top the breeders at £150. A run of Welsh in-lamb ewes all carrying singles sold to £130 from W J C Lewis & Son who sold several pen fulls at £125. Diolch am eich cefnogaeth!!

# **TOP PRICES**

## **STORE LAMBS**

£141.00 Morse Caerenfys £136.00 Morse Caerenfys £134.00 Jones Fardre

## **BREEDING EWES**

£150.00 Pritchard Bentley Villas £142.00 Morse Caerenfys £130.00 Lewis & Son Cilgwyn

### CULL EWES & RAMS (avg £142.61)

An incredible week selling cull ewes and rams with record breaking averages for Carmarthen with several consignments also making their own history selling box fulls of ewes to over £180-£200 averages.

Best continentals sold to £240 from E & A Rees with R E Beynon & Partners selling their best run to £224. Plenty other pen fulls over £220 with strong meated ewes Easily over £200. Leaner ewes £170-£199 with plain Welsh

ewes an unbelievable trade selling anywhere from £70-£90. Seeing is believing, get your ewes to Carmarthen mart next Friday!!

Best tups sold to £185 from J A Lewis with others from D Gundy at £175.

## **TOP PRICES**

#### **EWES**

£240.00 Rees Nantherwydd £224.00 Beynon & Partners Glantowy £224.00 Beynon & Partners Glantowy

## **RAMS**

£185.00 Lewis Nantyrast £175.00 Gundy Spite £168.00 Anthony Cwm Risca