

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 03.05.24



88 BARREN COWS

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Consistent numbers on a weekly basis with a blistering trade on all types of culls. Meaty grades always reaching a premium in the live ring with the TB tested grazers or improvement types hitting an excellent demand by the full ringside of buyers.

Top price of £1720 was for a 76-month-old Lim cow weighing 800kg at 215p/kg from Darman, Tirsiencyn, a 129-month-old Saler bull achieved £1590 weighing 900kg at 176.7p/kg from Richard Hammett and two 33-month-old Limmie steers from Williams, Penralltfangor reached £1590 & £1580 weighing 675kg at 235.6p/kg and 625kg at 252.8p/kg respectively.

Top dairy cow was £1640 for a 74-month-old Holstein cow weighing 850kg at 192.9p/kg from Davies, Fron, followed by £1480 for a 790kg at 187.3p/kg Holstein cow from Jones, Ffynnonlwyd. £1470 was achieved for a 59-month-old Holstein cow weighing 720kg at 204.2p/kg from Morris, Beulah Fawr.

Thankyou vendors and dealers for your support, we go again next Friday 10am please!

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

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£1720.00 800kg 76m Darman & Sons, Tirsiencyn

£1640.00 850kg 74m Davies, Fron

£1510.00 720kg 85m Powell, Dechrynewydd

NT OTM STEER £/HEAD

£1590.00 675kg 23m Williams, Penralltfangor

£1580.00 625kg 23m Williams, Penralltfangor

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£1410.00 705kg 93m Vaughan, Glasdir

£1400.00 705kg 83m Vaughan, Glasdir

£1350.00 720kg 109m Watkins, Hunts Farm

TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£950.00 530kg 38m Havard, Ty Isha Farm

TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1590.00 900kg 129m Hammett, Rhosfawr

322 STORE CATTLE

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Excellent weekly numbers to start the month with several runs of high-quality stores forward. Plenty of cattle trading over 300p/kg peaking at 344.4p/kg for a group of 4 Charolais steers averaging 360kg from Davies, Ffynnonfelen.

Forward stores comfortably over £1700 and selling to highs of £2030 for a Fleckvieh X Friesian from Davies, Trefforis Fawr who also had an Angus X Friesian at £1750. A 24-month-old Limmie steers at £1850 from Davies, Waunllannau Isaf, Charolais at £1640 for a 15-month-old steer from Howard, Dancapel with a pair of Herefords to £1580 from Powell, Maesyderi and dairy bred Blues to £1480 from Davies, Parcwilws.

Heifers sold to a top of £1635 for a 630kg Lim from Davies, Llysyanant, dairy bred Norwegian Red to £1530 from Morgan, Pentrewyn, Charolais to £1510 from Davies, Ffynnonfelen and Blues to £1370 from Cilevan LTD.

A very good days trading with purchasers to be had for all types forward. Thankyou for your continued support!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£2030.00 FLEC 34m Davies, Trefforis Fawr

£1850.00 LIMX 24m Davies Bros, Waunllanau Isaf

£1750.00 AAX 33m Davies, Trefforis Fawr

£1640.00 CHX 15m Howard, Glancapel

HEIFERS

£1635.00 LIMX 15m Davies & Son, Llysyanant

£1530.00 NOR 30m Morgan LTD, Pentrewyn

£1510.00 CHX 36m Davies, Ffynnon-felen

£1445.00 LIMX 14m Davies & Son, Llysyanant

BULLS

£1720.00 CHX 25m Jenkins & Son, Tanfforddgyo

£970.00 CHX 2m Phillips, Upper Portclew

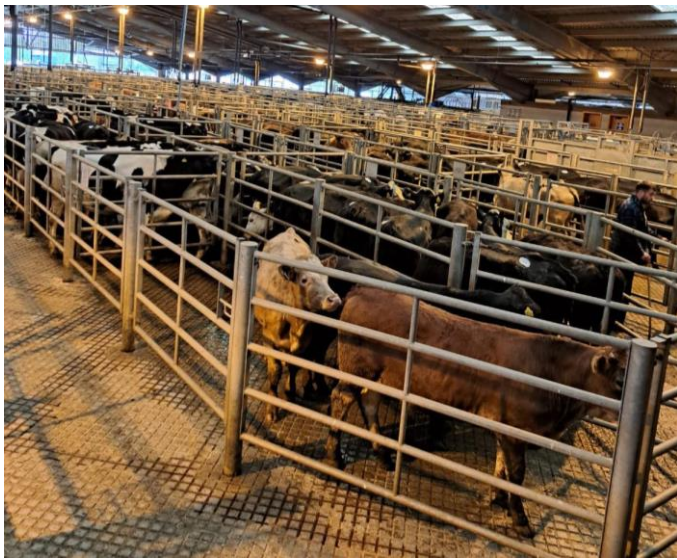
£855.00 HEX 19m Jones, Brynglas



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55 PRIME LAMBS (AVG 432.41P/KG)

Quality not quantity probably the best way to describe this week's entry with the high quality rewarded with a superb trade throughout. Fridays trade much dearer than other reported outlets beginning of the week with 39kg lambs from MT & ER Davies selling to highs of 442p/kg. 39kg from W Rees next at 437p/kg, with plenty of lambs over that 430p/kg barrier. Sara Elinor sold her first pen of lambs at Carmarthen Mart and topped the section with her Dorsets at £196 a head.

Lambs not a problem on a Friday, give Carmarthen a go!

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 32.1-39kg section

£172.50 39.00kg Davies & Sons, Brynygroes Fawr

£170.50 39.00kg Rees, Dolwen

£155.50 37.00kg Harries, Gelli'r Odyn Isaf

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£196.00 45.50kg Lloyd-Jones, Lluest Fwyn

£186.50 45.00kg Harries, Gelli'r Odyn Isaf

£181.00 41.50kg Davies & Sons, Brynygroes Fawr

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 32.1-39kg section

442p/kg 39.00kg Davies & Sons, Brynygroes Farwr

437p/kg 39.00kg Rees, Dolwen

420p/kg 37.00kg Harries, Gelli'r Odyn Isaf

In 39.1-45.5kg section

436p/kg 41.50kg Davies & Sons, Brynygroes Fawr

431p/kg 45.50kg Lloyd-Jones, Lluest Fwyn

414p/kg 45.00kg Harries, Gelli'r Odyn Isaf

328 PRIME HOGGS (AVG 328.04p/kg)

A 'tail end' show of hogs with all pens with faults and toothers included in the above overall average! In spec hogs continued a strong trade with 42kg Texels from C Deal selling to £159 and 379p/kg. A lot of business done at 340-360p/kg. AL Jones & Son sold 51kg to top the section at £179. With more prime lambs being turned out to market nationally, hogs are best sold in the upcoming weeks.

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 25.5-32kg section

307p/kg 30.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

241p/kg 29.00kg Phillips, Upper Portclew

In 32.1-39kg section

347p/kg 39.00kg Lamb, Ddolwen Farm

326p/kg 38.00kg Tucker & Sons, Kelston Hall Farm

320p/kg 35.00kg Daniels, Esgerholiw

In 39.1-45.5kg section

379p/kg 42.00kg Deal, Tegfan

360p/kg 42.00kg Humphreys, Llwynceilyn

347p/kg 44.50kg Lamb, Ddolwen Farm

In 45.6-52kg section

353p/kg 48.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

348p/kg 51.50kg Jones & Sons, Tirbanal

331p/kg 47.50kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

In 52kg+ section

323p/kg 53.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

285p/kg 61.00kg Daniels, Esgerholiw

262p/kg 54.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 25.5-32kg section

£92.00 30.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

£62.00 29.00kg Phillips, Upper Portclew

In 32.1-39kg section

£135.50 39.00kg Lamb, Ddolwen Farm

£124.00 38.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

£112.00 35.00kg Daniels, Esgerholiw

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£159.00 42.00kg Deal, Tegfan

£154.50 44.50kg Lamb, Ddolwen Farm

£151.00 42.00kg Humphreys, Llwynceilyn

In 45.6-52kg section

£179.00 51.50kg Jones & Sons, Tirbanal

£169.50 48.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

£157.00 47.50kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

In 52kg+ section

£174.00 61.00kg Daniels, Esgerholiw
£171.00 53.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm
£142.00 54.00kg Tucker & Sons, Knelston Hall Farm

STORE HOGGS

TOP PRICES

STORE LAMBS

£87.00 James, Llanddei Castle farm
£84.00 James, Llanddewi Castle Farm

284 EWE & LAMB COUPLES

The sheep shed very full once again this week and its with no surprise with an excellent buzz seen in the couple section. Plenty of units over £300 with best to £328 for two-year-old Texel ewe with her twins from ML & NE Johns & Son. Singles sold to £250 for Mule hogs with a Texel lamb.

21 different buyers getting their names on the book with similar numbers needed every week to meet the demand!

EWE & LAMB COUPLES

£328.00 Johns & Son, Morfa Melyn
£320.00 Griffiths, Heol Ddu Newydd
£315.00 Lewis, Troedrhwiw Farm
£300.00 Johns & Son, Morfa Melyn



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

247 CULL EWES & RAMS (AVG £141.24)

Trade on fire! 'Mental' was one of the words I learned while selling the ewes, with 7 different buyers eager for your ewes here every Friday at Carmarthen! Plenty firing over the £200 barrier with Texels from WJ & 1 & DTW Davies to highs of £240. Lean ewes looking very dear £140-£180, with very plain continentals trading £100-£120. More ewes eagerly needed!

TOP PRICES

EWES

£240.00 Daniels, Esgerholiw
£230.00 Thomas, Carregllys
£217.00 Jones, Penylan
£172.00 Jones & Roberts, Penparc

RAMS

£209.00 James, Ffoshelyg Villa

FILLING IN AN ENTRY FORM IS COMPULSORY AND PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU STATE HOW YOUR CATTLE ARE TO BE SOLD IN LOTS THIS WILL SPEED UP THE ENTERING PROCESS AND LEAD TO THE SALE STARTING PROMPTLY!