CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 14.03.25



78 BARREN COWS

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Another week of excellent numbers through the barren ring, with a flyer of a trade on all grades of barrens.

Top price of £2590 for 122m old non tested limmie cow weighing 817kgs at 317ppk from Jones Long Oaks who also had a 655kg at 327ppk to a lump of £2140!!

Jones Blaencwmerwydd sold a tested limmie cow, 101-month-old weighing 709kgs at 317ppk to total of £2250.

Top dairy barren at £2150 for 67-month-old tested Holstein cow weighing 837kgs at 257ppk from CGMT LTD followed at £2080 for 93-month-old Holstein cow weighing 826kg at 252ppk from Jones Hafod who also had £1950 for 778kg at 251ppk Holstein again.

OTM's peaked at £2290 for 66-month-old tested limmie steer weighing 755kgs at 303ppk from Mainwaring Penplas.

Top ppk was 327ppk for above mentioned limmie cow, with others as above to 317ppk and 303ppk.

Thank you, vendors and dealers, for your continued support.

We go again next Friday 9.30am please!!

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£2590.00 817kg 122m LIM Jones Long Oaks £2140.00 655kg 109m LIM Jones Long Oaks £2080.00 826kg 93m HOL Jones Hafod £1950.00 778kg 77m HOL Jones Hafod

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£2250.00 709kg 101m LIM Jones Blaencwmerwydd £2150.00 837kg 67m HOL CGMT LTD £1890.00 700kg 78m HEX Davies Coedlannau £1890.00 858kg 53m HOL CGMT LTD

TST OTM STEER £/HEAD

£2290.00 755kg 66m LIM Mainwaring Penplas £1700.00 648kg 54m LIM Mainwaring Penplas

384 STORE CATTLE

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58 cattle sell over £2000 for what was an outstanding trade for all types forward. Big or small, no matter at all with the small rough cattle meeting a trade never seen before!! 26-month-old dairy bred BRB steers at 680 and 665ppk flew to high of £2650 and £2480 respectively from T C & E G G Evans & Son. Suckler bred limmie steer weighing 605kg from D E & D M Jones selling at £2490. Herefords steers to £2450 from E W & C W Evans with a run of two-year-old lim steers from W M & M E G Evans also selling to highs of £2450. 18-month-old Charolais steer from E T Jenkins sold to £2420 for 535kg which was one of the highlights per kilo at 452.3ppk. Longhorn steer also crossing the 400ppk barrier at £2400 from T Organ with several runs of steers £2400 and over. Out wintered dairy bred blues from D L & M Jones found highs f £2160 (525kg) with 12-month sold limmie bullock from T M J & G A Evans selling to £2150 or 425.7ppk. 11-month-old Hereford steers peaked at 500ppk (240kg) at £1200 from J D & S C Edwards with other 11month-old Lim steers from, P J Hawkins selling at £1420 for 330kg and 430.3ppk. Less bulls forward this week with a Hereford from E Davies & son selling to a top of £1460 with 10-month-old Lims from W I S Jones & Co selling next at £1400 and bang on 400ppk. 10-month Lims weighing 265kg from S J Honebun topped per kilo at 411.3ppk selling at £1090 per head!!

640kg Angus heifers from Davies bros topped the heifer section at £2480 with 580 kg Lim from B W Evans close behind at £2420 and 417.2ppk. Another Angus again from the Davies brothers sold at £2350 with lims from W M & M E G Evans selling at £2290. 565kg Charolais from B W Evans over the 400ppk barrier at £2270 with dairy bred blues from E W & C W Evans selling to £2210. 330kg Lim x heifer from D P & J Griffiths flew to £1480 and high of 448.5ppk with 450kg pure Lim heifer from P Davies selling next at £1930 and 428.9ppk. G Poulton sold two heifers at 423ppk with runs and runs of heifers over the 400ppk barrier.

A massive thankyou to all vendors for a terrific show of cattle and for your continued support.

Diolch yn fawr am eich cefnogaeth!!





TOP PRICES

STEERS

£2650.00 26m BRB Evans & Son Pannau £2490.00 20m LIM Jones Maesteilo £2480.00 26m BRB Evans & Son Pannau £2450.00 24m HEX Evans Triol Mawr £2450.00 24m LIM Evans Blaenpant

HEIFERS

£2480.00 29m AAX Davies Bros Waunllanau £2420.00 21m LIM Evans Glyn Yr Odyn

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£2290.00 22m LIM Evans Blaenpant

£2270.00 21m CHZX Evans Glyn Yr Odyn

BULL

£1460.0012m FR Davies Pantyffynnon £1400.00 10m LIM Jones Birds Hill

315 PRIME HOGGETS

Strong trading in the prime hoggs section this week again at Carmarthen! Topping the day was a Texel at £163 from Richards, Hengoed with strong Welsh to £159.50 from Howells, Morvil. Well meated Texels to £159 from Williams, Wenfro whilst Davies, Cwmffrwd's hoggs sold to £158 or 385p/kg. More strong types sold to £153 from Davies, Lanfryn with good types from Raymond Bros to £150. All weights competitively bid for with strong buying support present each week here at Carmarthen! Hoggs required each week to meet buyer demand!

HOGGS P/KG

In 32.1-39kg section

356p/kg 39.0kg Morgan Pencefen 347p/kg 39.0kg James Pontbren

347p/kg 38.0kg Raymond Bros Trenewydd

In 39.1-45.5kg section

385p/kg 41.0kg Davies 25 St Annes Avenue 348p/kg 41.0kg Thomas LLygad Yr Haul 344p/kg 44.5kg Davies & Son Lanfryn

In 45.5-52kg section

331p/kg 46.5kg Howell Morvil 324p/kg 49.0kg Williams Wenfro 306p/kg 50.0kg Waters Parclands

In 52+kg section

302p/kg 54.0kg Richards Hengoed 293p/kg 54.5kg Howell Morvil

HOGGS £/HEAD

In 32.1-39kg section

£139.00 39.0kg Morgan Pencefn £135.50 39.0kg James Pontbren

£132.00 38.0kg Raymond Bros Trenewydd

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£158.00 41.0kg Davies 25 St Annes Avenue £153.00 44.5kg Davies & Son Lanfryn £150.00 44.0kg Raymond Bros Trenewydd

In 45.5-52kg section

£159.00 49.0kg Williams Wenfro £154.00 46.5kg Howell Morvil £153.00 50.0kg Waters Parclands

In 52+kg section

£163.00 54.0kg Richards Hengoed £159.50 54.5kg Howell Morvil

216 STORE HOGGS

Numbers remain strong for March as we see demand remain very competitive on the strongest sorts whilst even the smaller and leaner end looking well sold!

Topping the day were strong continentals from Rees, Cwmllethryd at £144 with Williams, Pwllcalch sellling their entry up to £139.50. Texels from Davies, Maesygelli to £135 with a solid entry from Rees, Penclawdd trading up to £127 with plenty of pens from the same home over £120.

TOP PRICES

STORE LAMBS

£144.00 Rees Cwmllethryd £139.50 Williams Pwllcalch £135.00 Davies Maesygelli



BREEDING EWES

£142.00 Davies Penlanwynt £128.00 Davies Penlanwynt

100 COUPLES

A very good entry as we see 100 couples forward with plenty of strength about! Suffolk ewes with strong twin continental lambs at foot saw Phillips, Upper Portclew trade to £355 or £118/life with more from the same home to £345. Evans, Parcypwll's entry topped at £338 x 2 whilst a good run from Jones, Shiral sold to £330 or £110/life. Best singles over £120/life with the smaller and younger sorts looking well sold to a full alley of buyers! Couples required each Friday with any entries greatly appreciated to Mart office please!

COUPLES

£355.00 Phillips Upper Portclew £345.00 Phillips Upper Portclew £338.00 Evans Parcypwll

312 CULL EWES & RAMS

Culls remain a strong trade at Carmarthen with all types competitively bid for from start to finish! Texels topped the day at £204 and £190 from Jenkins, Pentrehardd with more of the same type to £190 and £176 from Richards, Hengoed. Strong ewes from Davies, Penlanwynt sold to £185 with Thomas, Clear View's entry reaching £170. Endless pens over £150 on the day with a large consignment of Welsh forward, seeing many consignments averaging £110 and over for the stronger end. Heavy Dorset Rams sold to £193, £169 and £158 from Davies, Henbant. We go again next week with good number required please.

EWES

£204.00 Jenkins Pentre Hardd £190.00 Jenkins Pentre Hardd £190.00 Richards Hengoed

RAMS

£193.00 Davies Henbant £169.00 Davies Henbant