CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 17/04/24



107 DAIRY

Auctioneer - Llyr Jones 07812934964

A big entry for this month's show and sale with the quality very high as always. Judge Mr Elgan Thomas, Gellifawr had a tough task selecting his champion with the standard forward so high!

Champion was awarded to 'Fronun Stardust Zoe' an Outlay daughter on behalf of HR Lewis giving over 34kg a day, she sold to a top of £2450. Reserve champion went to Lot 2 'Iscoed Fitz Alltje' from Glyniscoed CYF and sold to £2400 with a 'Larcrest Calumet' daughter from the same home selling to £2420. Plenty of heifers sailing over the £2000 barrier and levelling out at £1691.24. For the volume forward a respectable trade was seen from start to finish with a positive number of prospective buyers ringside.

A 4th calver from E T James & Co topped the cows at £1820, with a run of milky cows from Drefach Farms selling next at £1780.

In calf heifers sold to £1300 from TW Lewis & Son, with baby heifer calves to £155 from Wheeler.

A big Thanks to the judge Mr Elgan Thomas, sponsor Alta and the HSW Club members for another successful show and sale. Thanks to all vendors for producing some tremendous milkers for sale, and of course to our buyers for turning up week in week out to Carmarthen mart. Diolch yn fawr!

TOP PRICES

DAIRY COW

£1820.00 HOL 77m James & Co, Coedmawr £1780.00 HOL 65m Drefach Farms LTD £1750.00 HOL 52m Drefach Farms LTD £1650.00 HOL 36m Morgan, Mead Lodge

DAIRY HEIFER

£2450.00 HOL 29m Lewis, Fronun £2420.00 HOL 32m Owen CYF, Glyniscoed £2400.00 HOL 31m Owen CYF, Glyniscoed £2380.00 HOL 29m Lewis, Fronun

DAIRY HEIFER IN CALF

£1300.00 HOL 30m Lewis & Son, Hendre Owen Farm £1120.00 FR 31m Griffiths, Derwen Groes £1050.00 HOL 42m Griffiths, Derwen Groes

SHOW RESULTS

COWS:

1ST – LOT 31 DREFACH FARMS LTD 2ND – LOT 33 DREFACH FARMS LTD 3RD – LOT 66 PENHILL FARM LTD

SENIOR HEIFER:

 $\mathbf{1}^{\text{ST}}$ & RES CHAMPION – LOT 2 OWEN, GLYNISCOED $\mathbf{2}^{\text{ND}}$ – LOT 40 THOMAS, PENLLWYNGWYN $\mathbf{3}^{\text{RD}}$ – LOT 13 THOMAS & SON, TYREGLWYS

JUNIOR HEIFER:

1ST & CHAMPION – LOT 52 LEWIS, FRONUN 2ND – LOT 50 WILLIAMS, PENYGENHILL 3RD – LOT 8 LOUGHOR & SONS, TY TANGLWYST



210 CALVES

Auctioneer – Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Similar numbers on the week with a very consistent trade on all grades of calves. Plenty over £400 and second quality calves looking dearer on the week, with less numbers of 3rd grade calves. Native calves also a flyer here with the best trading at £350-£425, and heifers enjoying a trade of £250 and upwards.

Top of £470 for a 1 month old Blue bull from Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg, Limmie's to £435 from Morgan, Cilau Fach, Angus to £425 from Griffiths, Llwyngwcw, Herefords to £238 for Griffiths, Penrhiwgoch, Simmie's to £318 from Thomas, Login Farm and dairy bulls to £125 from Davies, Glanrwyth.





Heifers to maximum of £380 again from an excellent group of calves from Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg, Angus to £285 from Griffiths, Llwyngwcw, Limmie's to £250 from Morgan, Cilau Fach, Charolais to £235 from Evans, Danycapel, Herefords to £150 from Lawrenny Farms aswell as the Simmie's from Robins, Aberelwyn.

We go again next Wednesday 10:30am, Thankyou vendors and purchasers for your continued support!

TOP PRICES

BULLS

£470.00 BRB 1m Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg £435.00 LIMX 1m Morgan & Co, Cilau Fach £425.00 AAX 3m Griffiths LTD, Llwyngwcw £420.00 LIMX 1m Rees & Son, Neuadd Domas Farm £410.00 AAX 3m Griffiths LTD, Llwyngwcw

HEIFERS

£380.00 BRB 2m Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg £375.00 BRB 3m Griffiths LTD, Llwyngwcw £368.00 BRB 2m Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg £285.00 BRB 1m Jones & Sons, Brynbannal Farm £285.00 AAX 3m Griffiths LTD, Llwyngwcw



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ARE FULLY COMPLETED WHEN BRINGING IN
STOCK, THIS WILL ENSURE ANIMAL DETAILS ARE
CORRECT AND PAYMENTS ARE MADE
CORRECTLY!