

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 03/02/25



44 BREEDING CATTLE

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A very strong entry for February with the entry consisting of a bit of everything for everyone!! Cows & Calves started the day selling to a blistering trade throughout. Lim x 2nd calver with her smart heifer calf stole the headlines at £3650 from Wern Fach Farm. Other 2nd calvers from G H Havard sold to £2450. A run of lim x Hereford cows with lim x Charolais calves from J R Phillips sold to highs of £1920 for his run of 8, with a Wagyu heifer with a Lim x calf from FFGF LTD sold to £1850. Saler cows and calves to £1780 with plenty over £1700. All cows and calves average over £1800. In calf heifers sold to £3150 for a very “showy” BRBx from M Evans & family with best of the breeding bulls selling to £2800 for a 18 month old pedigree AA from K Watkins. Charolais bulls to £2600 from C M & A R Griffiths with a 5-year-old Welsh Black bull to £2300 from C J H Thomas. A very well supported section with Carmarthen proving that they have the buyers for all types. Give us a go in March, Diolch.

TOP PRICES

BULLS

£2800.00 18m AAX Miss K Watkins Plas Parcau
£2600.00 18m CHX Griffiths LLwynffynnon
£2300.00 68m WBX Thomas Heathfield

COWS & CALVES

£3650.00 45m LIM Wern Fach
£2450.00 49m LIM Havard Hengoed
£1920.00 58m LIM Phillips Upper Portclew

HEIFER IN CALF

£3150.00 35m BRB Evans & Son Veindre Farm
£1370.00 29m HEX Watkins Tresaeson

434 WEANED CALVES

Another very strong entry of over 400 weaned calves this month as we see trade up another notch again this month!! Lim steers fly to £1590 from Jones Lan as we see a quality entry of black lims steers from this home attracted many buyers with others to £1480 twice and £1400.

Charolais steers topped at £1580 from Davies Tafarnscawen with another quality consignment of shapey lim x types to £1550, £1440, £1410 and £1400 in the steer section. More suckler bred Lim steers from Davies Tafarnscawen sold to £1430 with others to £1390 and £1360 from Jones Garreg Goch Ganol. Yet again more strong weaned steers to £1370 and £1300 from Poulson Llangadog whilst a strong consignment of suckler bred sorts from Clarke Llwynhendy reached £1320. Steers certainly in demand today with the dairy bred sorts also looking very well sold with endless lots over £1000 on the day. It was just as hot in the heifer section as we saw highs of £1630 for strong Lim heifers from Hopkins Rhiwfawr whilst another heifer with shape sold to £1530, £1520 and £1500.

A strong entry of lim heifers from Beynon reached £1330 with endless runs of heifers over £1200 on the day. As mentioned, all types sizes and ages are wanted with very strong buying support each month on all types. Entries required already for next month's sale on Monday 3rd of March.

Please note all cattle are lotted up upon arrival with facilities available to carry cattle the night before for vendor convenience. Many thanks for your continued support!!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£1590.00 11m LIM Jones Lan
£1580.00 13m CHX Davies Tafarnscawen
£1550.00 15m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1480.00 11m LIM Jones Lan
£1480.00 11m LIM Jones Lan
£1440.00 11m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn

HEIFERS

£1630.00 15m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1620.00 15m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1530.00 15m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1500.00 14m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1360.00 15m LIM Hopkin Crachllwyn
£1330.00 11m LIM Beynon Eastern Slade



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WEANED CALF BREED TOP PRICES

	STEERS	HEIFERS	BULLS
HEREFORD	£1290	£930	£1060
CHAROLAIS	£1580	£970	£1110
BLUE	£1280	£1310	£875
HOLSTEIN	£670	£900	£450
SALERS	£1290	£1010	-----
FRIESIAN	£980	£1230	£450
MONTBELIARDE	£760	-----	-----
BAZADAISE	£1150	-----	-----
ANGUS	£1260	£1200	£1050
LIM	£1590	£1630	£1420
WELSH BLACK	-----	£790	-----
SHORTHORN	-----	£580	£430