

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 15.11.24



122 BARREN COWS

Auctioneer – Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Excellent numbers with flying trade on all grades of cows with meaty type dairy or beef consistently £1400 to £1800 and dairy cows straight out of the parlour ranging from £1100 to £1350.

Top price of £1800 for 65-month-old non-tested Lim cow weighing 718kgs at 251ppk from Jones Long Oaks farm followed at £1740 for 127-month-old tested Hereford cow weighing 904kgs at 193ppk from Phillips Blaenos.

Bulls peaked at £1750 for 44-month-old tested Charolais from Griffiths Burry Newydd.

Dairy cows to max of £1590 for 76-month-old non-tested Holstein cow weighing 814kgs at 195ppk from Davies Gilfachmaen, followed at £1500 for 35-month-old non tested heifer weighing 668kg at 225ppk from Howells Gwarallt.

Top ppk at 258.4ppk was 41-month-old Charolais cow weighing 534kgs to lump of £1380 from Thomas Maesyllan followed at 251.4ppk for a similar outfit from Thomas Gellideg.

Thankyou vendors and dealers for your loyal support- We would encourage vendors please have your OTM's in by 9.30am. Diolch.

PLEASE NOTE NEW SALE TIME OF BARRENS – 9:30AM!!

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£1800.00 718kg 65m Lim Jones Long Oaks
£1630.00 677kg 55m BRB Howells Ty Cam
£1610.00 721kg 69m BRB Howells Ty Cam

NT OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1500.00 668kg 35m HOL Howells Gwarallt

NT OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1290.00 750kg 49m LIM Price Nantycar

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£1740.00 904kg 127m HEX Phillips & Son Blaenos
£1650.00 750kg 47m BRB Leyshon Pentwyn
£1490.00 762kg 121m HEX John Lacques

TST OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1750.00 951kg 44m CHX Griffiths Burry Newydd

274 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Llŷr Jones 07812934964

Back over 250 head this week which is very encouraging to see going into November. Tremendous prime values driving the store cattle to new levels with another great trade seen here this Friday. No 600kg plus bullocks this week with the highest per head reaching £1585 for a 500kg LIM steer from IHJ & BJ Thomas. 13month old 440kg LIMs sold next at £1540 from P Davies and were some of the highest ppk cattle sold on the day at 350p/kg. 510kg steers from TG Morgan sold to £1520 with the heaviest Angus of the day from BH & EMB James selling to £1485. Plenty trading around 300p/kg with 330kg LIM steers from E Davies topping at 357p/kg with others at 354p/kg. 670kg Beef Shorthorn heifers from K Thomas flew to top the heifers at £1830 with 600kg from the same home to £1700. LIM heifers from TG Morgan sold next at £1670 with the best Charolais heifer selling at £1640 from FG Phillips. 485kg Charolais heifers from RJS Davies sold at £1570 or 323.7p/kg with several runs of heifers around the 320p/kg bracket. 290kg LIM heifers from E Davies sold to a top of 358p/kg with 400kg LIMs from IHJ & BJ Thomas selling to £1310 and 324p/kg.

A few surplus Breeding Cattle saw the best cow and calf sell to £1400 for a pedigree LIM cow and her LIM calf from CD Griffiths.

A big thanks to you to all vendors for another quality show of cattle, we really do appreciate you putting faith in our Friday sales! Diolch yn fawr!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£1585.00 19m LIM Thomas Gellideg
£1540.00 13m LIM Davies Danyderi
£1520.00 20m LIM Morgan Gelli Aur
£1485.00 23m AAX James Eithinduon

HEIFERS

£1830.00 30m BSH Thomas Llechwedd
£1700.00 30m BSH Thomas Llechwedd
£1670.00 27m LIM Morgan Gelli Aur
£1640.00 21m CHX Phillips Moor Farm



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BULLS

£1100.00 19m AAX Evans Arthach

271 PRIME LAMBS (avg 294.26)

Auctioneer- Dafydd Waters 07908809381

A welcomed trade to up around that 300p/kg mark with the meat factor essential to reach the maximum premium! Anything with half meat or plainer condition no question better sold over in the buoyant store section!

As mentioned 300p/kg achieved on several occasions with the standard weights leading the way as 37kg lambs from C Porter topped at 319p/kg (£118). 36 Beltex lambs from W Evans sold to 314p/kg with others at 311p/kg. Heavy lambs to 295p/kg for 46kg and £135.50 from BM Owen with others from the same home topping the section at £139.50.

6 very active buyers on the lambs every Friday and many more prime lambs could be sold to very high competition every Friday! Give us a go!

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 32.1-39kg section

£118.00 37.0kg Porter Glebe Road
£117.00 39.0kg Harries Alltcynadda
£115.50 37.5kg Williams Gorsyfran

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£130.00 45.0kg Jenkins Moc
£130.00 44.0kg Thomas Ystlys Y Coed
£129.00 45.0kg Evans & Son Beilicadarn

In 45.6kg-52kg section

£139.50 48.0kg Owen Penywaun
£138.50 47.5kg Morgan Deep Lake
£135.50 46.0kg Owen Penywaun

In 52+kg section

£138.00 54.0kg Jennings Catellan

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In 45.6kg-52kg section

295p/kg 46.0kg Owen Penywaun
292p/kg 47.5kg Morgan Deep Lake
291p/kg 48.0kg Owen Penywaun

In 52+kg section

256p/kg 54.0kg Jennings Castellan

1219 STORE LAMBS (avg £93.17)

A remarkable trade throughout with all types very well sold which reflects in the average of £93 a life for 1200 lambs. The store lamb department thriving on all fronts with stock from near and far enjoying the Carmarthen trade week in week out! Alleys full of buyers with the short-term lambs up a pound or two selling to highs of £128.50 from TDL Jones. Others from D Lewis sold to £128.00 with WH Morse selling their pen very well at £127.50. Several runs over £115 with longer term lambs either side of £100. Small lambs looking well sold and consistently £60-£80 depending on type. With a large number of buyers lined up for next week, a big entry of lambs is needed please. Once again, thank you for your continued support. Diolch!

A few Yearling Welsh and Cheviot breeding ewes sold to highs of £138 and £130 respectively from J & B Russ.

TOP PRICES

STORE LAMBS

£128.00 Jones Faerdre Fawr
£128.00 Lewis Esgaircorn
£127.50 Morse Caerenfys
£118.00 Evans Beilicadarn

BREEDING EWES

£138.00 Russ Elwy Gardens
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292 CULL EWES & RAMS (avg £87.10)

Cull Ewes met a very firm trade throughout with the meaty continentals reaching those high cliff prices! Texels topped at £200 from D & SE & G Williams with Blue Texels from PA & E George sold close behind at £198 with others at £178.00. Plenty over £150 with best of the Blackface ewes to £142 from DJO & G Lewis. Mules to £129 with the leaner ewes anywhere from £90-£120. Plain ewes would be harder to place at times with the weather changing less grazing buyers looking this week. However, a very strong trade throughout with averages close back up to the £90 a life showing we have the buyers for all grades! A big entry is needed next week please! Diolch.

TOP PRICES

EWES

£200.00 Williams Gorsyfran
£198.00 George Rosepool
£178.00 George Rosepool
£169.00 Williams Gorsyfran

RAMS

£110.00 Page Bryngwyn
£105.00 Page Bryngwyn