CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 20.09.24

59 BARREN COWS

Auctioneer – Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Numbers keep rolling in to Carmarthen with tremendous trade on all types sold. Plainer cows seem to be getting dearer every week with the beef types constantly £1300 to £1780.00!!

Top of £1780 for 64-month-old blue cow weighing 842kgs at 211.4p/kg from Rees Coynant, followed at £1720 for 66-month-old Charolais cow weighing 842kgs at 204.3p/kg from James Graigtwrch Farm.

Dairy types to £1410 for 74-month-old Holstein weighing 812kgs at 173.6ppk from Trefynys Farms.

Top ppk was 225.7p/kg for 54-month-old blue cow weighing 740kg to lump of £1670 from Dolwen Fawr Farms with Taylor Garth Fach receiving 211.5ppk for 39-month-old Lim Heifer weighing 416kgs to lump of £880.00.

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

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

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£1720.00 842KG 66M chx James Graigtwrch £1670.00 740kg 54m BRB Dolwen Fawr Farms £1530.00 750kg 62m BSH Davies Blaengwenllan

NT OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1310.00 651kg 41m HEX Howell Greenway

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£1780.00 842kg 64m BRB Rees Coynant £1370.00 715kg 109m BRB Lewis & Son Trewern £1310.00 659kg 148m CHX Lewis & Son Trewern

TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1180.00 634kg 39m HOL Davies & Son Gwndwn £880.00 416kg 39m LIM Taylot Garth Fach £880.00 522kg 38m HOL Davies & Son Gwndwn

421 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Llŷr Jones 07812934964

An electric trade throughout with new vendors each week coming and enjoying the Friday trade at Carmarthen mart! A credit to all vendors for a quality turnout of cattle with a very strong entry of well fleshed cattle meeting a premium. Plenty of the best £1700-£1800 with 29-monthold quality red Lim bullock from E L Davies selling to a top of £1850. Others from the same home to £1800 with the quality end constantly up to, and over 300ppk. 8-monthold Limmie steer from D C & G Henry flew to £1140 and 350.8ppk. 11-month-old Charolais from the same home to £1150 with Hereford steer weighing 440kg from D W D & I L E Thomas selling to £1390 and 315.9ppk. A few young bulls sold to £780 and £810 from M O Jones. 29-monthold LIM heifer from T R A Waters topped the heifer section at £1720, with 530 kg Charolais heifer from A L John topped a wonderful run from Dylloced at £1545. 17month-old Lim x heifer from I M, C A & L M James topped per kilo at 327ppk with younger heifers from D C & G Henry sold to 311.8ppk. 355kg Charolais from W A Davies sold over 300ppk with plenty over 300p/kg.

LIVESTOCK MARKET

A big thankyou to all vendors for your continued support and a quick reminder of our 2nd annual cattle fair in two weeks' time, Please see poster below! Entries for next week to the mart office please!!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£1850.00 630kg 29m LIM Davies Cross Inn £1800.00 630kg 27m LIM Davies Cross Inn £1760.00 680kg 28m LIM Davies Cross Inn £1740.00 580kg 18m CHX Evans Glyn Yr Odyn

HEIFERS

£1720.00 655kg 29m LIM Waters Parclands£1545.00 530kg 22m CHX John Dyllcoed£1470.00 620kg 28m BRB Thomas & Co Hafod Wen£1450.00 530kg 18m LIM Evans Glyn Yr Odyn





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292 PRIME LAMBS

Auctioneer- Dafydd Waters 07908809381

Increased finished lamb numbers this week, highs of £155 for 53kgs lambs from Griffiths Rhydhowell whilst it was more heavies at £140 from Davies Alltycadno. Strong entry from Thomas Ffrydiau Gwynion sold to £140 and £134 twice with Jones Tirbannal topping at £138 with more at £119 and £117. Welsh type from Howell Morvil sold to £122 with Grigg Penlan selling at £120. General run of lambs trading 275p/kg-285p/kg with the best finished lambs topping at 322p/kg from Cotterell Hendy whilst leaner sorts back towards 250-260ppk. Leaner lambs better off in the store section with them being penalised in the fat despite weight! Strong buying support every Friday at Carmarthen with strong numbers wanted next Friday please!!

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 25.1-32.0kg section

£87.00 27.0kg Cotterell 121 Iscoed Rd £86.00 30.5kg Cotterell 121 Iscoed Rd £85.00 30.0kg Blair Afallon

In 32.1-39kg section

£112.50 39.0kg Harries Alltcynadda £107.00 37.5kg Jones LLwynpartridge £105.00 38.5kg Evans & Co Cwmfran

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£122.00 45.5kg Howell Morvil£120.00 45.0kg Jones & Sons Tirbannal£120.00 45.0kg Grigg Penlan

In 45.6kg-52kg section

£140.00 52.0kg Davies Alltycadno £134.00 52.0kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau £134.00 5.5kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau

In 52+kg section

£155.00 53.0kg Griffiths Rhydhowell £140.00 58.0kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau £138.00 60.0kg Jones & Sons Tirbannal

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 25.1-32.0kg section 322p/kg 27.0kg Cotterell 121 Iscoed Rd 283p/kg 30.0kg Blair Afallon 282p/kg 30.5kg Cotterell 121 Iscoed Rd

In 32.1-39kg section

290p/kg 34.5kg Jones & Roberts Penparc 288p/kg 39.0kg Harries Alltcynadda 285p/kg 37.5kg Jones LLwynpartridge

In 39.1-45.5kg section

283p/kg 40.0kg Stuart Rudge 283p/kg 42.0kg Jones & Sons Tirbannal 273p/kg 41.0kg Williams Upper Lewiston

In 45.6kg-52kg section

269p/kg 52.0kg Davies Alltycadno 265p/kg 50.5kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau 258p/kg 52.0kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau

In 52+kg section

292p/kg 53.0kg Griffiths Rhydhowell 241p/kg 58.0kg Thomas & Partners Ffrydiau 239p/kg 56.0kg Griffiths Rhydhowell

790 STORE LAMBS

Strong store lamb numbers continue at Carmarthen every Friday with once again competitive buying support on all types from start to finish!! Topping the day were Suffolk at £121 from Harries Glyncaredig whilst continentals from Jones & Roberts Penparc were close behind at £118. Cheviot lambs from Griffiths Rhydhowell sold to £117 with a good entry of Continental x lambs from Jones Tirbannal topping at £110. Evans Bwlchgwynt sold their entry to £110 with another quality entry of Texels types from Anthony Tondu trading at £109. Endless lambs around the £100 with Welsh to £108 from Howell Morvill. An overall average of close to £90 resulted in another day with all systems ready to go next week at 11am.

TOP PRICE

STORE LAMBS

£121.00 Harries Glyncaredig£118.00 Jones & Roberts Penparc£117.00 Evans Au Merched Rhydhowell

189 CULL EWES & RAMS

A choice of everything forward today at Carmarthen, with some nice headlines at £300 for a strong Texel ewe from Watkin Cwmcerrig. Texel ewes from Rudge Llangain topped at £180 with another from the same home to £143. Texel mules sold to £157 from Thomas Little Newcastle with ewes from Jones Penpal selling to £149. A cracking trade on all types from start to finish with strength and meat in demand whilst the leaner and smaller ewes looking just as well sold on the day. More ewes required each Friday in order to meet buyer demand!!

TOP PRICES

EWES

£300.00 Watkin& Co Cwmcerrig Farm £180.00 Stuart Rudge £157.00 Thomas & Son Llygad Yr Haul

RAMS

£98.00 Clemnet Talley Fan Fawr £91.00 Thomas & Son Llygad Yr Haul

569 EVENING BREEDING SHEEP SALE

Another successful evening breeding sheep sale at Carmarthen mart with many thanks to all vendors and purchasers for your support!! The rams kicked off the evening with a good show forward with highs of £700 on the night for two Texel yearlings' rams from Ffynnonbrodyr, whilst also at £700 was a Welsh yearling ram from Davies Glanyfer. More Texels from Ffynnonbrodyr, Clunderwen sold to £650, £600 and £500. Another good run of Texels from Howells Ty Cam topped at £620 with another at £550 whilst the crossbreds sold to £550 for a Texel x Beltex yearling from Evans Coedhirion. Plenty of tups over the £500 barrier on the night with continentals best sold.

On to the ewes next saw yearling Suffolk and Texels sell to £210 from Davies Maes Yr Hedydd with aged continentals' ewes to £200 from Williams Tir Ifan Ddu. More Suffolk yearlings' ewes sold to £200 from Evans Llwyndu with pure Texel yearlings ewes selling to £195 from Thomas Greynor Isaf. White faced mules from Evans Cwmsaeson sold to £185 and £175 x3 with mules from Jones Bryn Pedyll reaching £165. To finish the evening was a good entry of ewe lambs with Suffolk mules topping at £150 from Jenkins Cathal with similar sorts from Williams Tir Ifan Ddu reaching £145. More Suffolks at £144 from Jones Llwynpartridge with Texel x mules topping at £142 from Davies Cwmisaf. Plenty of ewe lambs on the £135 barrier with the Suffolk and Texel types best sold with hope for future breeding in them. Diolch yn fawr am eich cefnogaeth parhaus!!

TOP PRICES

<u>RAMS</u>

£700.00 Ffynnonbrodyr LTD £700.00 Ffynnonbrodyr LTD £700.00 Davies Glanyfer £650.00 Ffynnonbrodyr LTD

EWES

£210.00 Davies Maes Yr Hedydd £210.00 Davies Maes Yr Hedydd £200.00 Williams Tir Ifan Ddu £195.00 Thomas Greynor Isag

EWE LAMBS

£150.00 Jenkins Cathal £145.00 Williams Tir Ifan Ddu £144.00 Jones Llwynpartridge £142.00 Davies & Co Cwmisaf





