

CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 05.07.24



67 BARREN COWS

Auctioneer – Elwyn Thomas 07989850307

Excellent numbers on the week with plenty of demand on all grades of cows. Best continentals £1700-£1800 with the meaty Holsteins on a real hot trade £1400-£1500.

Top price of £1810 for a 130-month-old Limmie cow weighing 700kg at 258.6p/kg from Jenkins, Hafan Y Cwm who also had a similar 148-month-old Lim cow at £1700. Bulls peaked at £1770 for 960kg at 184.4p/kg Hereford bull from Trefynys Farms.

Dairy types peaked at £1590 for a 39-month-old Holstein heifer weighing 773kg at 205.7p/kg from Rees, Cilddewi Fawr who also had 702kg heifer at 216.5p/kg to a lump of £1520. Cows topped at £1490 twice from Maeslan Farm LTD and James, Coed Mawr respectively.

Numbers not a problem with weekly attendance of 10-13 local buyers on the ringside. Pre-movement TB tested cows/heifers in prime demand!

Thankyou vendors and purchasers for your continued support, we go again next Friday at 10am!

PLEASE NOTE NEW SALE TIME OF BARRENS - 10AM!!

TOP PRICES

NT OTM COW £/HEAD

£1810.00 700kg 130m Jenkins, Hafan Y Cwm
£1700.00 148m Jenkins, Hafan Y Cwm
£1590.00 831kg 136m Walters, Alltygaer

NT OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1770.00 960kg 49m Trefynys Farms LTD
£1530.00 807kg 27m Walters, Alltygaer
£1430.00 675kg 25m Thomas & Co, Hafodwen

TST OTM COW £/HEAD

£1480.00 804kg 71m Gibbon, Fferm Y Garreg
£1470.00 771kg 144m Jones & Roberts, Penparc
£1340.00 729kg 66m Thomas, Gelligatrog

TST OTM HEIFER £/HEAD

£1590.00 773kg 39m Rees, Cilddewi Fawr
£1520.00 702kg 32m Rees, Cilddewi Fawr
£1440.00 672kg 35m Thomas, Gelligatrog



219 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Llŷr Jones 07812934964

Tremendous weekly numbers and what a day! Quite simply a phenomenal trade throughout with floods of buyers ringside looking to purchase all sorts! Strong cattle a real trade with whispers of prime values increasing in the near future! Best heifer flew to £2190 and £2000 for a 870kg & 685kg respectively from CM Currell. Dairy bred Limmie X from RE & S Thompson sold to £1670, with 560kg Limmie's from Mark Dennard sold to £1625. Plenty over £1600, with dairy bred Angus from Twose Farms LTD selling to £1450.

Steers sold to highs of £1840 for 690kg Herefords from RO Williams with a run of fleshy Angus cattle from E Davies & Son selling to £1670. Herefords from Morgan & Co to same levels with best Friesian bullocks of the day, again from E Davies & Son selling to £1550. Plenty of steers meeting the 300p/kg barrier with 325kg Limmie's from DRW Jones selling at 336.9p/kg, A run of 10 month old bullocks from WO Thomas sold to £1340 and 322.9p/kg with the feeding bulls looking as dear as ever with 240kg Lim bulls from SH & DH Thomas selling at £1040 or 433.3p/kg!!

Diolch am eich cefnogaeth parhaus//Thankyou for all continued support!

TOP PRICES

STEERS

£1840.00 HEX 25m Williams, Trelewyd Farm
£1670.00 AAX 17m Davies & Son, Pantyffynnon
£1670.00 HEX 28m Morgan & Co, Lan Farm
£1630.00 AAX 26m Boucher, Panthowell



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HEIFERS

£2190.00 CHX 40m Currell, Brynawelon
£2000.00 CHX 24m Currell, Brynawelon
£1670.00 SMX 41m Thompson, Pendderw
£1625.00 LIMX 28m Dennard, Sunnybank

BULLS

£1260.00 LIMX 15m Davies & Son, Fferm Pantyffynnon
£1210.00 LIMX 15m Davies & Son, Fferm Pantyffynnon
£1180.00 FR 14m Davies & Son, Fferm Pantyffynnon
£1150.00 FR 14m Davies & Son, Fferm Pantyffynnon

BREEDING BULLS

£1520.00 AA 27m Rodway, Brynmelin
£1400.00 AA 27m Rodway, Brynmelin

COWS & CALVES

£1400.00 HEX 80m Randle, Iros Farm



32 PRIME LAMBS

Numbers very short this week possibly due to the dip in lamb price and therefore vendors continuing to gain weight until the trade forecast brightens up again! Despite this, best lambs on the day traded up to 290p/kg for 39kg, which resulted in £113 from Evans, Cwmcyneifion. Topping the day was Evans, Llangynog at £122 whilst it was Evans, Cwmcyneifion again at £118.50 for Texel bred lambs. More lambs desperately needed each week despite dip in trade, with 38-42kg lambs best trade whilst all grades and weights are sold at Carmarthen every Friday.

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 25.5-32kg section

£46.00 27.00kg Lewis, Bolahaul

In 32.1-39kg section

£113.00 39.00kg Evans, Cwmcyneifion
£107.00 37.50kg Griffiths, Heol Ddu Newydd
£93.00 34.00kg Evans, Llangynnog Farm

In 39.1-45.5kg section

£122.50 42.50kg Evans, Llangynnog Farm
£118.50 42.00kg Evans, Cwmcyneifion

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 25.5-32kg section

170p/kg 27.00kg Lewis, Bolahaul

In 32.1-39kg section

290p/kg 39.00kg Evans, Cwmcyneifion
285p/kg 37.50kg Griffiths, Heol Ddu Newydd
274p/kg 34.00kg Evans, Llangynnog Farm

In 39.1-45.5kg section

288p/kg 42.50kg Evans, Llangynnog Farm
282p/kg 42.00kg Evans, Cwmcyneifion

1 PRIME HOGGS

TOP PRICES P/KG

In 52kg+ section

175p/kg 68.00kg John, Lacques Fawr

TOP PRICES £/HEAD

In 52kg+ section

£119.00 68.00kg John, Lacques Fawr

70 STORE LAMBS & BREEDING SHEEP

Another similar entry in the store section as the season is yet to get going! Topping the day was, Abernant at £93, with a pen of smart whitefaced lambs very close behind at £90 from Griffiths, Rhydyfro whilst another pen of blackfaced lambs from the same home sold to £87. General run saw lambs trade in excess of £75 for lambs that wouldn't be heavier than 32kg at best. More pens required each week with very strong buyer support guaranteed. Diolch!

TOP PRICE

STORE LAMBS

£93.00 Davies, Castell Dwyrain
£90.00 Griffiths, Heol Ddu Newydd
£87.00 Griffiths, Heol Ddu Newydd

ewe & lamb couples

£138.00 Allen, Llwyn y Barcud
£125.00 Allen, Llwyn y Barcud
£118.00 Allen, Llwyn y Barcud



472 CULL EWES & RAMS

Another pleasing day in the cull section with weekly numbers proving to suit buyer demand! Topping the day were continental ewes at £179 from Davies, Brynygroes Fawr whilst Miles, Gwili Vale sold to £161 for their entry. An excellent run of Texels from Jones, Llwynhuan topped at £154 with others from Davies, Brynygroes Fawr at £154. Endless number of pens in excess of £140 with a run of Cheviot ewes topping at £127 with strong demand on all sorts every Friday. More of the same required next week please. Diolch!

TOP PRICES

EWES

£179.00 Davies & Sons , Brynygroes Fawr

£161.00 Miles, Gwili Vale

£154.00 Jones, Llwynhuan

£154.00 Davies & Sons, Brynygroes Fawr

UPCOMING EVENING BREEDING SHEEP SALES AT CARMARTHEN

MART:

- FRIDAY 12TH JULY 5:30PM
- FRIDAY 9TH AUGUST 5:30PM
- FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST 5:30PM
- FRIDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 5:30PM
- FRIDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER 5:30PM
- FRIDAY 4TH OCTOBER 5:30PM

**ALL STOCK SOLD THROUGH THE
LIVESTOCK MARKET FOR
SLAUGHTER MUST NOW EITHER BE
FARM ASSURED OR HAVE A VET
ATTESTATION NUMBER!**