

# CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 24/01/24



## 154 DAIRY

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Great numbers that attracted a ringside full of buyers to Carmarthen mart. A section that had everything from baby calves up to dry and freshly calved cows.

Baby calves started the day off with 2week old well-bred heifer calves from the Richards family selling to £100. The weekly entry followed, and trade proved to be much firmer on the week especially the second quality heifers. The Jones family at Brynmaen showed 4 wonderful animals selling their best heifer to top the day at £2300. Next at £2150 was a heifer from AJ JE & JJ Powell with the general run selling £1700-£1900 today with all heifers levelling over £1800. Brynllan Spock Helen from Brynllan LTD topped the fresh cows at £2020 with a 3rd calver from RD Law selling to £1850. Plenty of Friesian type cows forward looking well sold at £1500-£1800. Cows came back at an average of over £1700.

Youngstock were a joy to sell this week with recent store cattle prices definitely put a firm bottom to dairy youngstock prices! In calf heifers from Bwlchfyfedwen topped at £1290 for a heifer calving in May with plenty of late spring calvers from the same home £1000 and over. Bulling heifers from DB & DR Jones sold to highs of £750 and others at £680.

The day ended with the dispersal on behalf of A & S Griffiths. The herd drew a lot of interest locally and online with some cows heading to the Welsh border. Freshly calved cows hit £1200-£1400 a few times with a large number of spring calving cows selling to highs of £1220. We would like to thank Andrew and family for their kind instructions and wish them all the best to the future.

Also, a big thanks to all vendors and purchasers for your loyal support and to the ND staff for a couple of hard day's work! Diolch.

We go again next Wednesday and entries are needed to our mart office please. 01267 493200.

## **SAVE THE DATE!!**

A HERD OF 210 HIGH YIELDING COWS TO DISPERSE AT CARMARTHEN MART OVER 3 WEDNESDAYS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

- 21<sup>ST</sup> OF FEBRUARY
- 28<sup>TH</sup> OF FEBRUARY
- 6<sup>TH</sup> OF MARCH

## **TOP PRICES**

### **DAIRY COW**

£2020.00 40m HOL Brynllan LTD  
£1850.00 53m HOL Law Lanfryn  
£1850.00 59m HOL Jones Brynmaen  
£1820.00 63m FR Evans Troedyraur

### **DAIRY HEIFER**

£2300.00 35m HOL Jones Brynmaen  
£2150.00 26m HOL Powell Gwarcwm  
£2020.00 30m HOL Brynllan LTD  
£1980.00 27m HOL Rees Ysgubor Newydd

### **BULLING HEIFER**

£750.00 23m FR Jones Llanfair Fach  
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### **DAIRY COW IN CALF**

£1220.00 52m NOR Griffiths Derwen Groes  
£1180.00 68m HOL Griffiths Derwen Groes

### **DAIRY HEIFER IN CALF**

£1290.00 34m HOL Bwlchfyfedwen LTD  
£1130.00 35m HOL Bwlchfyfedwen LTD  
£1100.00 34m HOL Bwlchfyfedwen LTD  
£1070.00 34m HOL Bwlchfyfedwen LTD



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## 213 CALVES

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Numbers keep above 200-mark weekly with all grades of calves selling well although not quite as much quality forward as last week but trade being very buoyant for the full ringside of buyers present.

Top at £398 was 2-month-old blue bull from Evans Croesnant followed closely at £392 for another blue bull from Jones Troedrihw Fawr. Limmies to £295 from Sisto Rhydhaearn, Angus to £250 from Evans Derimoelion, Blondes to £250 from Davies Crugiau, Herefords to £248 from Howells Pentwyn and dairy bulls to £110 again from Davies Crugiau.

Heifers to maximum of £285 for 2-month-old blue from Lougher Ty Tanglwyst, Limmies to £260 again from Sisto Rhydhaearn, Charolais to £248 from Thomas Gelligatrog who also had Herefords to £168, Angus to £170 from Rees Castell Y Geifr and Blondes to £132 from Davies Crugiau.

Very encouraging to see new vendors coming through the market entrance.

Thankyou vendors and purchasers for your continued support.

We go again next Wednesday 10.30am start!!

## TOP PRICES

### BULLS

£398.00 2m BRB Evans & Son Croesnant  
£392.00 1m BRB Jones Troedrihw Fawr  
£362.00 1m BRB Jones LTD Maesymeillion  
£342.00 1m BRB Rees Ai Meibion Castell Y Geifr  
£302.00 1m BRB Evans & Son Croesnant  
£295.00 1m LIM Sisto Rhydhaearn  
£290.00 1m BRB FFGF LTD  
£285.00 1m LIM Evans Tandderi  
£282.00 1m LIM Sisto Rhydhaearn

### HEIFERS

£285.00 2m BRB Lougher & Sons Ty Tanglwyst  
£265.00 1m BRB Rees Ai Meibion Castell Y Geifr  
£265.00 1m BRB Rees Ai Meibion Castell Y Geifr  
£260.00 1m LIM Sisto Rhydhaearn  
£252.00 1m LIM Jones Blaenhirbant  
£252.00 1m LIM Sisto Rhydhaearn  
£248.00 1m CHX Thomas Gelligatrog  
£248.00 1m LIM Morgan Waungrechydd  
£245.00 1m LIM FFGF LTD  
£245.00 1m BRB Thomas & Son Tye Eglwys



## **CARMARTHEN MART**

**TB RESTRICTED ORANGE SALE for**

**Store cattle and barren cows.**

**MONDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

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