# CARMARTHEN LIVESTOCK MART WEEKLY REPORT – 04/11/24

#### **110 BREEDING CATTLE**

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A strong section for November which included the dispersal sale of the ELKINGTON herd of Beef Shorthorn cattle. A tremendous herd and was a credit to MS & EAE Davies for such a wonderful entry that was well supported ringside and online. Trade was topped twice for two cows and calves at £2700 with another outfit at £2400. Incalf heifers due February to the popular stock bull topped at £2200 with the best maiden heifers to £2250. The dispersal finished off with the 6 year old stock bull selling to £1920.00. Thanks to the Davies family for their kind instructions and wish them all the best for the future.

The commercial cows and calves topped at £2080 for a BRB 2nd calver with a smart Lim X calf at foot from Davies Bros. Angus cows and calves sold next at £2020 with a few from that £1500 and over for what was a mixed show of sucklers this month. 19month old Pedigree Limousin bull topped the breeding bulls at £2950 from I & M James with Charolais selling to £2500 from L Bessent. Plenty of interest seen in the bull department with plenty trading £1800-£2200. Incalf cows sold to highs of £1220 for a 2nd calver due in a couple of months to a BRB X LIM bull from KJ Marshall. Pedigree Beef Shorthorn maiden heifers from JWA & ELM Davies selling to £1420 with best of the incalf heifers selling to £1190 from AL & MJAJ Lewis. A big thanks to everyone for their support this month with Carmarthen proving to be a centre that can provide competition for both your pedigree and commercial breeding cattle! Please get in touch with one of the team for any assistance. Diolch!

## **TOP PRICES**

**BULLS** 

£2950.00 20m LIM James FFynnoncripil £2500.00 25m CHX Bessent Tirbach £2000.00 22m CHX Bessent Tir Bach

### COWS & CALVES

£2700.00 69m BSH Davies Troedrhiw £2700.00 41m BSH Davies Troedrhiw £2500.00 68m BSH Davies Troedrhiw

## COW IN CALF

£1220.00 35m SMX Marshall Ystradcorrwg £1180.00 39m BRB Jones Plasnewydd £1120.00 58m CON Jones Carregcynffyrdd

## HEIFER IN CALF

£2200.00 32m BSH Davies Troedrhiw £1190.00 19m CHX Lewis Neuadd £1030.00 18m LIM Lewis Neuadd

## 442 WEANED CALVES

A large entry of weaned calves once again at Carmarthen mart on first Monday of the month!! Along with over 400 weaned calves was a large crowd of buyers present showing great interest in all types and sizes on the day!! Topping the day were a run of 10 – 11-month-old pedigree Charolais heifers at £1260 form Butchers Vernal Isaf farm whilst steers topped at £1100 for suckler bred Lim from Havard Hengoed. Also at £1100 was a Lim steer, with 7month-old blue steers selling at £1080 from Williams Waunwen. Next in line was a bunch of 11-month-old Lim steers selling to £1050 from Tanner Craig Cefn Parc with a cracking entry of black lim x weaned calves from Rees Pembroke selling steers to £1050 and heifers to £850 for 5–7-month-old types. It was just as good with the dairy types, with 11-month Herefords to £1015 from Harries Parcyrhos whilst dairy bred blues from the same home sold to £1010. Dairy bred lims topped at £1020 from Phillpin, whilst dairy bred Charolais steers reached £1010 from the same home. Heifers also in very good demand on the day with suckler bred types with shape to £950 from Lewis Cefn Coed and two of the same types at 6 - 8 months to £940 from Daves Caio.

Once again, a very successful days trading at Carmarthen with entries already taken for next months sale on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> of December!!

Many thanks for your continued support with the mart available to accommodate cattle in overnight prior to sale. Diolch.



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### TOP PRICES STEERS

£1100.00 11m LIM Lewis Cefncoed£1100.00 8m LIM Havard Hengoed£1080.00 7m BRB Williams Waunwen£1050.00 8m LIM Rees Grovemount£1050.00 11m LIM Turner Ty LLwydyn

## **HEIFERS**

£1260.00 11m CHX Butchers Vernal Isaf £1140.00 9m CHX Butchers Vernal Isaf £980.00 15m CHX Harries LLwynfron £950.00 11m LIM Lewis Cefncoed £940.00 8m LIM Davies & Co Nantiwrch

