

CARDIGAN MART REPORT MONDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2017

FAT HOGGET'S (199):

As prices start to take a turn in the right direction a disappointing entry was seen, nevertheless the hogget's forward sold to an improved trade topping at 180p for 42k and the heavyweights topped at £83.50/head. The overall average was at 174p/kg; let's hope that the trade continues to strengthen. Top and leading prices as follows:

TOP 10 P/KG

42k	180p	Fferm Landdu, Landdu
41.5k	178p	Pantgwyn Cyf, Pantgwyn Farm
34.5k	177p	Price, Bill Farm
44.5k	176p	Davies, Pennant
40k	176p	Funnell, Penbanc
46.5k	175p	Davies, Pennant
43.5k	172p	Boak, Bronwenallt
45.5k	172p	Pantgwyn Cyf, Pantgwyn Farm
45.5k	171p	Davies, Pennant
47.5k	171p	Davies, Pennant

TOP 10 £/HEAD

57.5k	£83.50	Fferm Landdu, Landdu
50k	£82.20	Davies, Pennant
48.5k	£82.20	Drage, Penfai Farm
52k	£81.50	Drage, Penfai Farm
47.5k	£81.20	Davies, Pennant
51k	£81.20	Fferm Landdu, Landdu
46.5k	£81.20	Davies, Pennant
52.5k	£81	Davies, Pennant
58k	£81	Boak, Bronwenallt
49k	£80.80	Howells, Delnant

QUOTATIONS:

Weight Class	Top £	Top ppkg	Average £	Average ppkg
Standard (32.1 – 39k)	£61	177p	£59	174p
Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)	£78.50	180p	£75	173p
Heavy (45.6 – 52k)	£82.20	175p	£80	167p
Heavy (52k+)	£83.50	154p	£81	149p

STORE HOGGET'S (51):

Topping at £74 were 53k from Davies, Maes-Y-Wennol; other leading prices at £69 for 41.5k from Howells & Son, Penbeili Mawr; £68.20 for 38.5k from Thomas, Rhoswen who also sold 33k at £62; £66.50 for 34.5k from Price, Bill Farm.

CULL SHEEP (54):

A better entry sold to a top of £113 for quality Suffolk ewes from Morgan, Pencefn who also sold other ewes at £85.50; £83.50 for ewes from Pantgwyn Cyf, Pantgwyn Farm; £79 for a ewe from Phillips, Penwern; £78 for a ewe from Davies, Cwmporthman; £73 for ewes from Davies, Penlanwynt; £72 for ewes from Lewis & Son, Cilgwyn Mawr.

STORE CATTLE (31):

An improved entry sold to a solid trade throughout. The best 24mth old Simmental steers topped at £1060 from Fisher & Son, Gernos who also sold other Simmental steers from 20-24m at £985, £970, £955, £925, £910, £820. Their 18-19mth Simmental heifers realised £880; 25mth Friesian steers from the same holding sold to £765; £700 for 23m Friesian steers from Jones, Pensarnddu Fawr.

CALVES (60):

Topping at £395 was a Lim bull from Davies, Brynsiriol who also sold another Lim bull at £320; other leading prices at £215 for an AA bull from Lewis & Son, Cilgwyn Mawr; £190 for a Lim bull from Thomas, Maencoch; £186 for a BB heifer from Pensarnddu Fach Ltd, Pensarnddu Fach who also sold another BB heifer at £175. The best black and white rearing calves sold to 86 for a H/Fr from Richards, Llain; £82 for an Ayrshire from Williams, Black Oak; £80 for a Fr from K.D.P. Enterprises Ltd, Tyddyn-Yr-Eglwys; £78 for a H/Fr from Wilson, Tregibby.