

CARDIGAN MART MONDAY 3RD APRIL 2017

FAT HOGGETS (259):

Trade continues to improve with the best bred lambs easily selling over 190p/kg and topping at 196p for quality Texel's from Davies Cyf, Canllefaes Uchaf which sold to the day's top price of £89.20. Meated lambs were in demand and the overall average was at 180p/kg well above the national average, top and leading prices as follows:

TOP 10 P/KG

45.5k	196p	Davies Cyf, Canllefaes Uchaf
45k	194p	Davies, Cwmporthman
42k	194p	Reynolds & Lawrence, Garndwyrain
46k	190p	Reynolds & Lawrence, Garndwyrain
42k	189p	Davies, Pennant
45k	188p	Davies, Pennant
46k	187p	Thomas, Hendy
45k	186p	Williams, Henfeddau
46.5k	185p	Davies, Pennant
39k	185p	Lewis, Morfa

TOP 10 £/HEAD

45.5k	£89.20	Davies Cyf, Canllefaes Uchaf
50k	£89.20	Reynolds & Lawrence, Garndwyrain
45k	£87.50	Davies, Cwmporthman
46k	£87.20	Reynolds & Lawrence, Garndwyrain
46k	£86.20	Thomas, Hendy
61k	£86	Ellis, Tyrhos
46.5k	£85.80	Davies, Pennant
54k	£85.50	Davies, Pennant
64k	£85.50	Davies, Pennant
50.5k	£85.20	Davies, Pennant

QUOTATIONS:

Weight Class	Top £	Top ppkg	Average £	Average ppkg
Light (25.5 – 32k)	£54.50	173p	£54.50	173p
Standard (32.1 – 39k)	£72	185p	£63	169p
Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)	£89.20	196p	£78	183p
Heavy (45.6 – 52k)	£89.20	190p	£83	171p
Heavy (52k+)	£86	158p	£84	146p

SPRING LAMBS (11):

A small entry sold to 230p/kg for 35k from Thomas, Clungarthen who also sold 38k at 226p; 208p for 44.5k from Hughes, Bronwydd. Topping at £92.50 were the 44.5 kilo Charollais lambs; other leading prices at £86 for the 38k and £80.50 for the 35k lambs.

STORE HOGGETS (39):

Topping at £66 were 40k from Evans, Delfryn; other leading prices at £65.50 for 35k from Davies & Son, Lanfryn; £64 for 39k from Thomas, Rhoswen; £61.50 for 38k from Williams & Sons, Glanafon; £52 for 36k from Davies & Co, Tygwyn.

CULL SHEEP (89):

Topping at £115.50 was a ewe from Jones, Rhydygofaint; £102.50 for a ewe from Evans, Maes-Y-Grug; £97.50 for a ewe from Harris, Cornmount Farm; £95.50 for ewes from Notley, Weirglodd who also sold at £93.50; £89.50 for a ewe from Thomas, Hendy; £89 for a ewe from Williams, Cartref Derwen.

EWE & LAMB COUPLES (15):

An entry of quality couples topped at £215 for a 4 year old with twins from Jones, Frongelyn who also sold others at £200 for a 3 year old with twins; £185 for a 4 year old with twins; James, Bryngolau sold a yearling ewe with twins at £172 and a 2 year old ewe with twins at £164.

STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS (20):

More store cattle could have been easily sold to advantage, Adams, Awelon sold a 21m Limousin steer at £1130 and another Limousin steer (23m) at £1090; £870 for a pair of Hereford steers (21m) at £870 from Morris,

Nantyrhelygen Fach. Grazing cows topped at £830 for an 800k H/Fr from Thomas, Glandwr Ceibwr; £820 for a 740 kilo Brown Swiss from Davies, Brynsiriol.

CALVES (86):

Another good entry of calves peaked at £335 for a Hereford bull from Thomas, Glandwr Ceibwr who also sold another Hereford bull at £300 and Hereford heifers at £298, £292 and £285; other leading prices at £295 for a BB bull from Davies, Wallaston Farm who also sold another BB bull at £260; £292 for a BB bull from Davies, Pantswllt; £240 for a BB bull from Williams & Sons, Cilcert Farm. Dairy bred bulls topped at £88 for a Friesian from James, Trefach; £88 for a Friesian from Davies, Maesgwyn.