

## CARDIGAN MART REPORT MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2017

### SPRING LAMBS (124):

An increased entry of new season lambs saw the handy weight types reach 228p/kg from Davies, Alltgoch and 42.5k lambs from the same place topped the day's trading at £95/head. The overall average was at 213p/kg. We have buyers for all types of lambs, today's top and leading prices as follows:

#### TOP 10 P/KG

39.5k	228p	Davies, Alltgoch
42.5k	224p	Davies, Alltgoch
40.5k	221p	Davies, Blaenwaun
42k	215p	Davies, Blaeniago
37k	215p	Phillips, Trefwrdan Uchaf
42.5k	212p	Hopkins, Llaingrog
43k	209p	Davies, Blaeniago
42.5k	209p	Phillips, Trefwrdan Uchaf
35.5k	207p	Salmon, Trepant
37k	203p	Phillips, Trefwrdan Uchaf

#### TOP 10 £/HEAD

42.5k	£95	Davies, Alltgoch
48k	£94	Drage, Penfai Farm
49.5k	£92.20	Davies, Alltgoch
50k	£92	Wilson, Fagwrlas
55k	£92	Wilson, Fagwrlas
55k	£91.50	Thomas, Hendre Fach
42k	£90.50	Davies, Blaeniago
39.5k	£90.20	Davies, Alltgoch
42.5k	£90	Hopkins, Llaingrog
43k	£90	Davies, Blaeniago

### QUOTATIONS:

Weight Class	Top £	Top p/kg	Average £	Average p/kg
Standard (32.1 – 39k)	£79.50	215p	£75	205p
Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)	£95	228p	£90	218p
Heavy (45.6 – 52k)	£94	196p	£89	185p
Heavy (52k+)	£92	167p	£91	166p

### FAT HOGGET'S (105):

The best types topped at 200p/kg for 44.5kilos from Davies, Pennant, whilst the heavy types reached £91/head from Hopkins, Llaingrog. Top and leading prices as follows:

#### TOP 5 P/KG

44.5k	200p	Davies, Pennant
44.5k	196p	Davies, Pennant
46k	193p	Phillips & Sons, Tredafydd Isaf
47k	193p	Webster Farms, Nantyrefail
42k	190p	Davies, Pennant

#### TOP 5 £/HEAD

57k	£91	Hopkins, Llaingrog
52k	£90.50	Davies, 30 Heol-Y-Felin
47k	£90.50	Webster Farms, Nantyrefail
56.5k	£90	Phillips & Sons, Tredafydd Isaf
44.5k	£89	Davies, Pennant

### STORE HOGGET'S (9):

A small entry sold to £62 for 41.5k from Thomas, Ffynnonau Gleision; £60 for 45k from Hopkins, Llaingrog.

### CULL SHEEP (80):

Reaching £95 was a ewe from Davies & Son, Lanfryn; other leading prices at £94 for a ewe from Thomas, Hendre Fach; £91.50 for a ewe from Tygwyn Farm Ltd, Tygwyn who also sold other ewes at £84 and £79 and rams at £87.50 and £62; £89 for ewes from Davies, Penlanwynt who also sold at £83; £83.50 for ewes from Thomas, Hendy; £82.50 for ewes from Thomas, Gilwen who also sold at £80.50; £80 for a ewe from Davies, Alltgoch; £78.50 for ewes from Phillips & Sons, Tredafydd Isaf.

**EWE AND LAMB COUPLES (43):**

Another good entry saw a yearling ewe with twins top at £178 from Hopkins, Llaingrog who also sold other yearlings with twins at £172 and £165; other leading prices at £165 for a 2 year old with twins from Cullen, North Fawr who also sold a 3 yr old with twins at £155; £140 for a 4 yr old with twins from Finucane, Pencoed Farm.

**STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS (52):**

An improved entry of store cattle sold to £930 for an 18m AA steer from Thomas, Glandwr Ceibwr who also sold a Charolais heifer at £850 and 26m AA steers at £720; £725 for a 22m Simmental heifer from Kerr, Blaenawen who also sold 17m Simmental steers at £700. Weaned Hereford heifers from Davies & Sons, Rhydymaen sold from £405 to £415

In the grazing section, the best meated types sold to £920 for a 740k Charolais from Williams, Llys-Y-Frenni who also sold a 660k Limousin at £870; £885 for a 600k Friesian from Jones & Co, Trewenfron who also sold a 690k H/Friesian at £865; £870 for a 680k Simmental from Kerr, Blaenawen.

**CALVES (29):**

Topping at £318 was a BB bull from Griffiths, Aberbrwynen Farm who also sold other BB bulls at £295, £288, £268 and a BB heifer at £282; other leading prices at £240 for a BB bull from Davies, Brynhafryd. Holstein Friesian weaned bulls topped at £220 from Evans Bros, Parke; other leading prices at £130 for a young bull calf from Pensarnddu Fach Ltd, Pensarnddu; £96 for a H/Fr from Evans, Parke.