

**MARKET REPORT FOR WHITLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET FOR**  
**SATURDAY 19<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2017**

Another strong entry over 400 cattle at Whitland and the quality of entry forward ensured another super trade. Barren cows at the start sold to a top of £1150 (157ppk) and averaged 133ppk throughout. Heifers topped at £1165 from regular vendors Roberts, Parke and averaged just short of £800/head. The steers included 90 Continental X steers from Russell Farms Partnership and 35 Lim and Blue X steers from Morgan & Co, Bletherston saw both consignments average over £1000/head while top price of the day of £1385 went to Thomas & Daughters, Graig Farm.

**OUT OF 438 CATTLE, 142 SOLD OVER £1000 AND**  
**ANOTHER 75 CATTLE OVER £900.**  
**50% OF THE ENTRY OVER £900**

**Store Cattle (438)**

**Breed Report**

<b><u>Heifers</u></b>	<b><u>Ave.</u></b>	<b><u>Top</u></b>	<b><u>Vendor</u></b>
Friesian	898	965	Dent, Maencoch
British White	765	765	Thomas, Brynderwen
Welsh Black	538	640	Young, Delfryn
British Blue	859	1165	Roberts, Parke
Hereford	602	1130	Llewellyn, Wernhyfryd
Aberdeen Angus	503	710	Vaughan, Tynewydd
Charolais	911	1100	Jones, Nantyrharn
Simmental	840	900	Davies, Summit Cottage
Limousin	820	1100	Jenkins, Trefach

**Steers**

Friesian	542	805	Llewellyn, Wernhyfryd
Shorthorn	641	670	Brown, Ashbrook
British Blue	959	1125	Russell Partnership, Yerberston
Hereford	710	1205	Llewellyn, Wernhyfryd
Aberdeen Angus	725	1385	Thomas & Daughters, Graig Farm
Charolais	1035	1345	Russell Partnership, Yerberston
Simmental	1063	1180	Davies, Summit Cottage
Limousin	971	1310	Phillips, Lleine

**Averages**

	<b><u>Ave.</u></b>	<b><u>Top</u></b>		<b><u>Ave.</u></b>	<b><u>Top</u></b>
Heifer 0-15m	634	900	Steer 0-15m	773	1095
Heifer 15-24m	804	1165	Steer 15-24m	965	1345
Heifer 24-30m	935	1130	Steer 24-30m	823	1385

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Calf Sales** – Now **WEEKLY**, every Tuesday, 10.15am.

**Next sale Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August to include 50 weaned calves, April/May born, mainly Anguses and Herefords.**

The trade we have been seeing at Whitland for both calves and weaned calves has been very competitive and more numbers is definitely needed to satisfy the buyers in attendance and to draw even more buyers. To enter or for any information call Huw now on 07976 328177.

**Next Store Sale** - Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 10.15am.

Barren Cows and Store Cattle.

**Mid Month Sucklers Sale** - Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 12.00midday.

The fourth dedicated sale for Suckler Cows and Breeding Stock at Whitland Mart.

To include a dispersal of 60 cows and calves comprising of Hereford, Limousin and Blue Cows with Angus and Lim X Calves at foot. Catalogue will be provided nearer sale time.

**All Entries for catalogue closes on midday Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August.**

Further entries taken on the day.

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