

CARDIGAN MART REPORT MONDAY 21ST AUGUST 2017

PRIME LAMBS (721):

It was a pleasure to see such a good entry of lambs forward, the best meated types continue to sell over 190p to a top of 195p for 45kilos. Heavyweights dominated the top prices reaching £94 for 52 kilos. The overall average was at 179p/kg, 2p more than this time last year. Top and leading prices as follows:

TOP 10 P/KG

45k	195p	Raymond, Longhouse Farm
38.5k	195p	Raymond, Longhouse Farm
44.5k	193p	Howells, Del-Nant
43k	193p	James & Son, Tycoch
42k	192p	James & Son, Tycoch
46k	191p	Evans, Dolgian
40k	188p	John, Pensarn
44.5k	188p	Jones, Hendrephillip
39k	188p	Raymond, Longhouse Farm
39k	187p	Harries, Pentalar

TOP 10 £/HEAD

52k	£94	Sacco, Parcyneithw
57k	£90.50	Howells, Del-Nant
53.5k	£89	Evans, Dolgian
49.5k	£88	Evans, Glynrodyn Farmhouse
45k	£87.80	Raymond, Longhouse Farm
47.5k	£87.80	Sacco, Parcyneithw
46k	£87.80	Evans, Dolgian
49k	£87.80	Williams, Pengwern Uchaf
49k	£87.80	Howells, Del-Nant
48k	£87	Davies, Tafarnscawen

QUOTATIONS:

Weight Class	Top £	Top ppkg	Average £	Average ppkg
Standard (32.1 – 39k)	£75	195p	£64	181p
Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)	£87.80	195p	£76	195p
Heavy (45.6 – 52k)	£94	191p	£86	191p
Heavy (52k+)	£90.50	166p	£89	166p

STORE LAMBS (129):

With a 100% clearance, a top price of £68.50 was achieved for 40k from Evans & Co, Musland; other leading prices at £68.50 for 41k from John, Pensarn; £68.50 for 37.5k from Harries, Pentalar; £63.50 for 37k from Davies, Maesyrawel; £57 for 33k from Turner, Tyriet.

CULL SHEEP (149):

Reaching a top price of £94.50 was a Texel ram from James, Ffynnoncripil; other leading prices at £93.50 for a ewe from Davies, Maeshelygen; £89 for a ram from Davies, Blaenwaun; £89 for a ram from James, Clyngim who also sold ewes at £84 and £81.50; £84 for a ewe from Cullen, North Fawr; £79.50 for a ewe from Boak, Bronwenallt; £79 for a ram from Raymond, Longhouse Farm; £78.50 for ewes from Morgan, Cwrt Farm who also sold at £73.50; £72.50 for a ewe from Thomas, Ciliau Ganol.

CALVES (31):

A smaller entry than expected, topped at £250 for a BB heifer from Thomas, Ciliau Ganol; £235 for a Lim heifer from Richards, Llain; £200 for a BB heifer from James, Eithinduo; £142 for an AA bull from Pedran Holsteins Ltd, Tymawr Farm. The best black and white rearing bull calves peaked at £100 from Emerald Grove Farms, Gelliorlas who also sold at £98.

STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS (20):

Store cattle topped at £970 for a 26m BB steer from Morris, Tyriet who also sold another BB steer at £960 and 26m BB heifers at £850; £800 for a 12m Simmental steer from Rooberts, Tirion Isaf. An average AA steer weighing 740k sold at £1175 from Jenkins, Gwelfor.