

Whitland Livestock Market Report - Tuesday 02/01/2018

Calves (44) 10.15am

A decent first day back for the calf section with a handy entry and a strong trade. Bull calves sold to £380 and heifer calves to £310. Both British Blues and both from Thomas, Plaspaun, Meidrim. More calves are needed at Whitland to satisfy the growing demand and the increasing number of buyers in attendance. Our service is second to none and our trade is the best in the west. Phone to let us know what you have or send photos by email, text or facebook and we'll let everyone know that your calves will be at Whitland Mart when they come.

Contact Huw with your entries: Mobile: 07976 328177 email: huw@jjmorris.com
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Breed Report

Bull calves

| Breed | Ave | Top | Vendor |
|----------------|-----|-----|----------------------|
| Friesian | 20 | 70 | Tremellen Farms Ltd |
| Welsh Black | 265 | 365 | Jones, Y Wern |
| British Blue | 278 | 380 | Thomas, Plaspaun |
| Hereford | 182 | 225 | Roberts, Brynaeron |
| Aberdeen Angus | 118 | 118 | Jones, Shipping Farm |
| Simmental | 260 | 260 | Roberts, Brynaeron |

Heifer calves

| Breed | Ave | Top | Vendor |
|--------------|-----|-----|------------------------|
| British Blue | 230 | 310 | Thomas, Plaspaun |
| Hereford | 103 | 118 | Langdon Mill Farms Ltd |
| Limousin | 250 | 250 | Thomas, Plaspaun |

Fat Lambs (269)

A regular entry of lambs and maybe the top trade of the week at 180ppk average topping at 194ppk and £88/head.

Quotations

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| Light Lambs (32.1-39.0) | max. 194ppk (£75.50) | ave. 181.25ppk |
| Standard Lambs (39.1-45.5) | max. 191ppk (£82.80) | ave. 180.76ppk |
| Heavy Lambs (45.6-52.0) | max. 183ppk (£86.00) | ave. 175.31ppk |

Cull Ewes (94)

The strong Whitland trade continues with top price ewes at £94 and average of £66 throughout.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Calf and Weaned Calf Sales – Now **WEEKLY**, every Tuesday, 10.15am. 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 6th January, 10.15am. The best trade in the west without a doubt.

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