

## CARDIGAN MART REPORT MONDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

### FAT LAMBS (261):

A respectable entry considering it was the main NSA rams sale in Builth, heavy weight lambs were in good demand topping at £83.20/head for 47.5k lambs from Evans, Awelfryn. Whilst 45k lambs from Howells, Del-Nant topped at 176p/kg. The overall average was at 164p/kg, top and leading prices as follows:

#### TOP 10 P/KG

45k	176p	Howells, Del-Nant
46k	176p	Thomas, Hendre Fach
47.5k	175p	Evans, Awelfryn
46k	175p	Thomas, Hendre Fach
37.5k	173p	Turner, Tyriet
47k	172p	Ellis, Tyrhos
37k	172p	Forster, Bryncoed
45k	171p	Davies, Pencnwc
41k	170p	Toddingtons Ltd, Castle Cenlas
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#### TOP 10 £/HEAD

47.5k	£83.20	Evans, Awelfryn
55k	£81.80	Davies, Troedrhiw Fach
50.5k	£81.50	Howells, Del-Nant
50k	£81	Robb, Parctwad
47k	£81	Ellis, Tyrhos
46k	£80.80	Thomas, Hendre Fach
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48k	£80	Lewis, Llwynderi
53k	£79.50	Griffiths, Perthi Aur
45k	£79	Howells, Del-Nant

### QUOTATIONS:

Weight Class	Top £	Top p/kg	Average £	Average p/kg
Light (25.5 – 32k)	£50	161p	£50	161p
Standard (32.1 – 39k)	£64.80	173p	£56	159p
Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)	£79	176p	£68	165p
Heavy (45.6 – 52k)	£83.20	176p	£79	167p
Heavy (52k+)	£81.80	150p	£80	149p

### STORE LAMBS (45):

37k lambs from Evans, Y Cwm topped at £59.50; £51 for 33.5k from Forster, Bryncoed; £45.50 for 35.5k from Turner, Tyriet.

### CULL SHEEP (42):

The best meated ewes reached £82.50 from Williams, Gotrel Farm who also sold at £73; £75 for a ewe from Hopkins, Llaingrog who also sold at £55.

### STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS (42):

In the store cattle section the majority forward were dairy bred steers, topping at £850 was a 28m Charolais heifer from George & Son, Goitre Farm; £755 for a 17m Hereford heifer from Vaughan & Sons, Fagwrgoch; £650 for 22-24m H/Fr steers from Sollis, Ffynnonddofn who also sold 21m AA heifers at £640 and further H/Fr steers at £600. Cows peaked at £970 for a 660k Simmental from Vaughan & Sons, Fagwrgoch; £905 for a 790k Simmental from Adams, Awelon.

**CALVES (82):**

The best beef calves reached £255 for a BB bull from Emerald Grove Farms Ltd, Gelliorlas who also sold a BB heifer at £215; £230 for a Lim bull from Thomas, Maencoch who also sold a Lim heifer at £195; £200 for Charolais heifers from Parry, Croesgwyn; £175 for an AA bull from Jones, Gorlan; £172 for a Hereford heifer from Evans, Troedraur; £162 for a Simmental bull from Evans, Gorwel. The best Friesian bulls peaked at £95 from Evans, Gorwel; £92 for a Friesian from Davies, Maesgwyn.