

## CARDIGAN MART REPORT MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2018

### FAT LAMBS (229):

Once again the heavy weight lambs dominated the top prices at £92/head for 56k lambs from Davies, Blaenllechclawdd. A top price of 179p was seen for 45k lambs from Sacco, Parcyneithw, the overall average was at 158p/kg. Looking back to this time last year the average was 160p/kg, top and leading prices as follows:

#### TOP 10 P/KG

45k	179p	Sacco, Parcyneithw
46k	176p	Selby, Maescynon
35k	171p	Davies, Troedrihw Fach
47k	171p	Selby, Maescynon
40k	169p	Davies, Blaenllechclawdd
43.5k	167p	Ellis, Tyrhos
37k	166p	James, Newton East
48.5k	165p	Williams, Pengwern Uchaf
34k	165p	Turner, Tyriet
56k	164p	Davies, Blaenllechclawdd

#### TOP 10 £/HEAD

56k	£92	Davies, Blaenllechclawdd
55k	£85	Phillips, Sychpant
58.5k	£84.50	Salmon, Trepant
52k	£83.80	James, Newton East
56.5k	£83	Williams, Pengwern Uchaf
46k	£80.80	Selby, Maescynon
47k	£80.50	Selby, Maescynon
45k	£80.50	Sacco, Parcyneithw
48.5k	£79.80	Williams, Pengwern Uchaf
46k	£75.20	Salmon, Trepant

### QUOTATIONS:

<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Top £</b>	<b>Top p/kg</b>	<b>Average £</b>	<b>Average p/kg</b>
<b>Standard (32.1 – 39k)</b>	£61.50	171p	£57	157p
<b>Medium (39.1 – 45.5k)</b>	£80.50	179p	£69	159p
<b>Heavy (45.6 – 52k)</b>	£83.80	176p	£78	163p
<b>Heavy (52k+)</b>	£92	164p	£84	149p

### STORE LAMBS (18):

39 kilo lambs from Davies, Blaenllechclawdd topped at £65; £54 for 37.5k from Robson, 146 Maesglas; £53 for 34k from Evans, Brynhenllan Farm.

### CULL SHEEP (29):

A small entry reached £85 for a ewe from Selby, Maescynon who also sold another at £70.50; £83.50 for a ewe from Evans, Y Cwm; £73.50 for a ewe from Phillips, Sychpant; £65 for a ewe from Robson, 146 Maesglas; £64 for a ewe from Howells, Del-Nant; £62 for a ewe from Russell, Vicars Mill.

### CALVES (86):

A very good entry peaked at £395 for a Charolais bull from Parry, Croesgwyn; £260 for a Simmental bull from Evans, Gorwel; £250 for an AA bull from Evans & Sons, Berry Hill who also sold a Welsh Black bull at the same money and an AA at £175; £178 for a BB heifer from Jones, Pantyrhendy. The best of the black and white bull calves topped at £80 for a Friesian from George, Mount Farm; £78 for a Friesian from Williams, Treale; £78 for a Friesian from Evans, Troedyraur.

### STORE CATTLE & GRAZING COWS (24):

A 27m Hereford steer from Morris, Tyriet sold at £990 the same vendor also sold a 27m H/Fr steer at £930 and £900 for a pair of 27m Hereford heifers; other leading prices: £900 for a pair of 27m Hereford heifers and a 26m Simmental heifer from Morris, Nantyrhelygen; £730 for a 25m Friesian steer from George & Son, Goitre Farm. More cows could have been easily sold to advantage, an 800k Friesian cow from Williams, Ffrwdwenith topped at £1000, the same vendor also sold a 910k Friesian at £905.