

**FAT CATTLE: (90)**

If you have cattle to sell please contact the Auctioneer Jonathan Evans on 07971 002650 or the Market office.

**Young Bulls (37)** Overall Average 140p.

Medium Bulls (16) Average 133p (£717/head) Selling to 170p from J W Jones & Partners Pantglas Isa

Heavy Bulls (21) Average 144p (£938/head) Selling to 170p from E D & H L Morris & Sons Maes

**Steers (20)** Overall Average 145p.

Heavy Steers (20) Average 145p (£941/head) Selling to 177p from G Thomas Llwynhir

**Heifers (33)** Overall Average 158p

Heavy Heifers (33) Average 158p (£905/head) Selling to 188p from P L Harrison Neuaddllwyd

**FAT HOGGETS / SPRING LAMBS: (3584)**

An excellent entry of 3579 Hoggets and 5 Spring Lambs.

The Spring Lambs averaged 257.77p/kg peaking at £118 for 45kg Lambs from J N Butler Pentre Aaron with 37kg Lambs making £95 (257p/kg) from R H Manford & Son Brynkynallt Home Farm.

The quality on offer in the hoggets yard was of very high standard with a large percentage of heavy hoggets. The overall average of 183.5p/kg was therefore an indicator of the firm trade experienced.

The SQQ for the medium weight Hoggets 187.46p/kg with C J & L M Davies Lawns Farm selling 40.5kg Hoggets at £83.50 (206p/kg). F A Jones Sandstone sold standard hoggets of 38kg at £81 per head (213p/kg). The heavy hoggets peaked at 175p/kg from Lythwood Sheep Ltd.

Superlights to 163p, Lights to 187p average 176.5p, Standards to 213p average 176.5p, Mediums to 206p average 187.5p, Heavy's to 197p average 176.5p, Others to 175p average 164.5p. Overall average 183.5p.

The auctioneers wish to thank all vendors and purchasers for their continued weekly support and encourage stronger entries each week. For further information contact the market office 01691653547 or Glandon Lewis 07774224994

**FAT EWES: (498)**

A similar entry to last week met a good trade throughout with the smaller ewes still being in greater demand. The overall average was £54.50

Ewes to £114.50 average £54.00, Rams to £116.50, average £66.00

**Please Note :** All sheep entering the Market must be tagged.

**CALVES: (73)**

The largest entry for a month selling to another excellent trade throughout. Belgian Blue Bulls topping the sale at £302 from Messrs Jones Lyneal Hall £300 & £298 from Messrs Evans Forge Farm £262 from Messrs Francis New Barns Farm. Belgian Blue Heifers to £255 & £254 from Messrs Lloyd Pentref £238 from Messrs Whittingham Wycherley Hall. £228 from Messrs Heatley The Grange. Limousin Bulls to £262 from Messrs Wigley Drenewydd £220 from Messrs Lloyd Jones Rhydonnen Isaf & Messrs Jones Manor Farm. Limousin Heifers to £250 from Messrs Lloyd Gwastad £210 & £196 from Messrs Jones Ladyhill £198 from Messrs Davies Lower Fawnog. Aberdeen Angus Bull to £250 & £235 from Messrs Holland Ashes Farm. Hereford Heifers to £222 from Messrs Jones Lyneal Hall. Friesian Bulls to £134 from Messrs Edwards Lower Sweeney £128 from Messrs Ede Willow Farm £118 from Messrs Heatley The Grange £70 from Messrs Edwards Lower Sweeney £68 from Messrs Williams Crachdir Farm Weanling Limousin Bull 3 ½ mo to £380 from Messrs Francis New Barns Farm.

**STORE CATTLE: (139)**

A similar entry for the second catalogued sale of the month met with a similar trade with a total clearance reported. Top price of the day went to pair of Charolais x steers aged 22 & 23 months, sold by T E Done, Bowling Bank for £1000 (182 p/kg) to Mr A Williams.

78 steers were forward with notable prices including:

H E & M L Evans, Rhydcroesau run of Limousin x steers included 2 aged 11 months which sold for £640 (200 p/kg) to Mr C Blake, 2 aged 10 & 12 months sold for £660 (200 p/kg) to Mr A Blake and 3

aged 10 months sold for £695 (199 p/kg) to Mr T Jones.

£600 (200 p/kg) paid for a Limousin x steer aged 15 months sold by E M Scott, Maesbury Marsh to a local farmer.

£975 (195 p/kg) paid for a Charolais x steer aged 23 months sold by R L Edwards, Llansantffraid to Mr A Williams.

61 heifers were forward with notable prices including:

The heifers were topped by a consignment of Charolais heifers from J Hamlett, Ruyton XI Towns with a bunch of 4 aged 16 months selling for £790 (195 p/kg) to Mr D Tomley, 4 aged 16 months selling for £700 (192 p/kg) to Mr A Williams and 3 aged 22 months selling for £850 (192 p/kg) to Mr A Williams.

J E Thomas, Llanrhaeadr deserves a mention for a pair of Limousin x heifers aged 22 months which sold for £845 (174 p/kg) to Mr D Tomley and 2 aged 20 & 21 months which sold for £800 (165 p/kg) to Mr T Jones.

Entries are now being taken for the next catalogued sale, which will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> April with further sales being held on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> April.

### **U48 & O48 CULL COWS: (27)**

A seasonal entry of cattle forward met with an excellent trade. The cows were predominantly Friesians and we needed more continental cross cows to meet the demand.

#### **Cows**

Continental to 108p average 102.46p/kg

Friesian to 104p average 90.25p/kg

#### **Heifers**

Limousin to 145p average 131.88p/kg

Friesian to 105p average 87.62p/kg

Welsh Black to 130p

#### **Steers**

Charolais to 132p/kg

Limousin to 136p/kg

27 Cattle average 101.59p/kg

If any vendor has changed their Farm Assured details please could you notify the market office 01691 653547 so our data base can be updated many thanks.

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