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## MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> MARCH

### FINISHED HOGGETS

*Auctioneer: PHIL JONES*

**BOOM!!** 999 hogs forward, double the number could have been sold! SQQ an incredible 440p/kg, and an astonishing trade across all weights and breeds.

Lights to 455p/kg (£132-29kg) for Welsh hogs from L Howells & L Pritchard, Rhymney and 453p/kg (£145-32kg) from the same vendor. Numerous 30-31kg Welsh hogs over £130/head.

The Standard weights 32-39kg were off the clock, 39kg to £185/head!! (474p/kg), with C Hinksman selling 36kg to £169.50 (471p/kg). Several 37-39kg hogs 355-365p/kg and the majority over 440p/kg, with 34-35kg regularly £150-£160!

41kg Texel hogs flew to £194/head (473p/kg) and several over 460p/kg including 40kg at £186 (460p/kg) from IDJ Whitcombe, Glastonbury and 40kg to £184 (460p/kg) from Edcombe Farm Partnership. Those best 40-41kg regularly over £180/head, with the 44-45kg mostly £185-£195.

Heavies coming to tremendous money, any amount of 46-48kg hogs to 415p/kg plus and £195-£205/head, with the 50-52kg hogs £200-£210/head.

Super heavies all well over £200/head up to £228 (68kg) from JV & RJ Williams, Llanddewi Rhydderch; £221 (79kg) from T Williams & Son, Tredegar; £221(57.5kg) from IDJ Whitcombe, Glastonbury.

FINISHED HOGGETS	Number	Max	Average
17-25.4kg	34	440.00	389.72
25.5-32kg	99	455.00	433.28
32.1-39kg	268	474.00	449.73
39.1-45.5kg	306	473.00	433.18
45.6-52kg	265	435.00	411.23
52kg+	23	402.00	370.55
<b>Total</b>	<b>999</b>		<b>SQQ 440.33p/kg</b>

### CULL EWES

*Auctioneer: LYNDON TRUMPER*

A reduced entry of 242 cull sheep sold to an absolutely flying trade with top selling of £225, and an overall average of £152.22, to include all breeds, weights & finish.

Top 10 lots all over £193/head with the top 5 over £200.

Dudley Bros, Tintern topping at £225; TR & J Harris, Bonvilston at £206 and L Johnson & Son, Tonteg at £203. JR Williams, Newport at £201 and RG & MA Williams at £200. Welsh ewes an outstanding trade as were the smaller and leaner types of all breeds.

Rams topped at £210 from M & SC Perry, Pontypridd, with JB Davies, Bridgend at £186.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	219	225.00	152.08
CULL RAM	16	210.00	148.94
WETHER	3	200.00	196.67
SHEEP	4	141.00	140.00

### **STORE SHEEP**

***Auctioneer: LYNDON TRUMPER***

### **STORE HOGGETS**

**A useful entry of 243 store hoggets sold to an exceptional trade with buyers present for MANY MORE!**

**Top selling twice of £173 per head from OTW Chandler & Co, Abergavenny and M Shinton, Devauden.**

**6 pens selling in excess of £152/head, with an overall average of £135.55!! to include some very long term Welsh lambs at £100-£120.**

### **COUPLES**

**A small entry but a strong trade saw top selling of £310 for a ewe & twin lambs from F Garman, Yate.**

### **INLAMB EWES**

**A run of inlambers from G Lippiatt, Usk sold to a rapid trade with mixed Age Dorset ewes to £206, with twins to £200 and singles to £199 twice.**

### **BREEDING GOATS**

**4 Nanny goats & 4 kids sold at £134 per couple.**

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