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WEDNESDAY 8th JULY

FINISHED SHEEP (9.30am)

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

PRIME LAMBS

927 lambs to a vast improvement in the trade with all buyers far more active and hungry for sheep! SQQ 393p/kg. 24kg up on Monday and way in front of anything reported yesterday.

Lights very easily sold and the best types 410p/kg plus up to 432p/kg (£130.50-30.2kg) from Falland Farm Partnership.

Those Standard weights 32-39kg equally as sought after, to average £4/kg and the top end all 410p/kg plus, up to 420p/kg (£163.80-39kg) for Charollais lambs from Hart Farm Partnership. A big entry of 34-36kg lambs were very well received. Best 35kg to £146 (417p/kg) from Llanvair Landscapes, the same vendor selling 32.5kg to £135 (415p/kg). H Hearn sold 34kg to £135 (415p/kg), with plenty of 35-36kg lambs well into the £140's.

Export weights 390-405p/kg, up to a terrific 433p/kg (£175.20-40.5kg) from Falland Farm Partnership. Best 42kg to £170 (405p/kg) from Jenkins & Co, Oak View, and the best 40kg lambs £158-£160.

Heavies to 398p/kg (£185-46.5kg) again from Falland Farm Partnership. Those best Heavies 385-395p/kg, and a lot of business done from £180-£195/head.

Super Heavies to £215/head (59kg) from PB Evans, Beechlands; £211 (53kg) from PC Jenkins, Manor Farm and a further 5 pens from £200-£208.50 for lambs from 53-63kg.

PRIME LAMBS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
LAMB 25.5 - 32	44	432.00	404.86
LAMB 32.1 - 39	314	420.00	399.88
LAMB 39.1 - 45.5	369	433.00	388.44
LAMB 45.6 - 52	168	398.00	384.48
LAMB 52 +	32	398.00	376.88
927			SQQ 393.0p/kg

HOGGS & TOOTHERS

Just 29 forward but a very lively trade. Hoggs to 354p/kg (£170-48kg) from Mill Farm Cottage, with the better meat hoggs & tootherers 290-320p/kg. top per head £198 for 62kg tootherers from Falland Farm Partnership.

CULL SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

421 cull sheep an EXCEPTIONAL TRADE once again!

Continental ewes to £279 from Y & N Underwood, Nailsea; £276 from GC & GY Jones, Springfield and £236 from J Pritchard, Wenllan.

Suffolk X to £215 from DO & JJO Stephens, Castle Farm and £204 from JCW Williams & Son, New House. Plenty of stronger crossbred ewes £190-£200/head, with the next size down £170-£185, and a large proportion of lowland ewes selling in this bracket. Mules to £187.50 from JO Whistance, The Galchen and several Mules either side of £180/head.

Hill bred sheep a blistering trade! Cheviots to £180 & £178 from EB Hughes, Pengilfach. Nelson type Welsh to £148.50 from SE & SJ Bigley, Quakers and plenty over £130/head. Smaller or leaner Hill ewes £100-£120, nearly everything with a pulse over £100!

Tups to £235 (Suffolk) from PD & IW Pritchard, Wenllan and £220 (Texel) from DO & JJO Stephens, Castle Farm. Small, young Goats to £78.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	411	279.00	145.54
CULL RAM	4	235.00	164.25
WETHER	1	95.00	95.00
GOAT	2	78.00	78.00

STORE & BREEDING SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

STORE LAMBS

77 Store lambs very well bid for, to average £128/head.

The strongest to £155 for Texel X lambs from TJ Nicholas & Partners, Dukes Farm. Texel & Suffolk X lambs to £139.50 from GD Jones, Llwyn Partridge & £137.50 from D Jeremiah, Westwood Farm. A bunch of NC Cheviots to £136.50 from JA Wyatt, Ty Gwyn. Several medium keep lambs £125-£130. Store hogs to £106 & £93 from O Ford, Cwrt Y Mwnws.

REARING CALVES (10am)

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

A small entry to meet a tremendous trade.

Bull calves sold to £800 for a BRBX (1m,11d) from AR Edwards & Son, St Brides Wentloog, with a heifer calf (1m,4d) from the same home at £780. Overall 17 calves to average £671.18.

IMPORTANT

To vendors advantage we ask you to please book in by Midday on Tuesday with the Market Office.

BREEDING CATTLE (11am)

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

2 Breeding outfits forward with top selling of £2500 for a AA cow (129m) & her AA steer calf (28d), with another similar outfit from the same home at £2300. A 19 month Hereford bull from Dudley Bros, Tintern made £2100.

FEEDING/BREEDING BULLS

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

6 forward to a top of £1680 for a smart pair of Lim crosses (7m) from RC Davies, Brecon.

STIRKS/YOUNG STORES

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

A very small July entry of 38 young stores saw steers sell to £1680 & 469.8p/kg to average £1545.38 & 417.46p/kg with Heifers selling to £1590 & 400p/kg to average £1315 & 384.4p/kg.

Top selling steers to £1680 (twice) from RJ Morgan, Caerphilly selling 8-10 month Charolais crosses (400-420kg). L & LA Jones, Treorchy sold Charolais cross steers 12-14 months at £1600, with RJ Morgan again at £1580 & £1480 for 7-8 month Charolais crosses (315kg & 350kg), also topping per kilo at 469.8 pence (315kg-£1480). S Stone, Cwmbran sold Blue steers (10m) at £1480 or 450.8p/kg.

Heifers topped at £1590 from L & LA Jones, Treorchy, with RJ Morgan selling to £1550 (425kg-10m), with others to £1300 (400p/kg-325kg), to top the p/kg table.

STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer: Stephen Williams

A very small entry of just 22 store cattle with entries being hampered by the hot weather and the BVD testing requirements for Welsh producers.

No real superstars today, with commercial Aberdeen Angus cross steers selling to £1960 (550kg) from DM & CJ Farmer, Painscastle, with Limousin crosses to £1780 (510kg) from the same home.

Younger grazing types to £1540 (420kg) for Stabiliser steers from Thomas Partnership, Garthbrenny, and sold to a top price of 378p/kg (370kg) from the same home.

A super pair of pure Welsh Black heifers sold to £1990 (505kg) from JCO Powell, Llanigon with similar heifers to £1910 from the same home.

A nice consignment of Aberdeen Angus crosses from EJ Jones & Son, Bridgend sold to £1780 (535kg).

Overall Averages £'s Head

8 steers – ave. £1703.75 or 355.41p/kg

14 heifers – ave. £1675.71 or 355.45p/kg

CULL CATTLE

Auctioneer: Stephen Williams

A good entry of 17 cull cattle mainly TB tested today met a fantastic trade and strong competition on all sorts. The well fleshed cows and the lean grazing types all very serious demand and easily sold.

Top price per head of £2460 (906kg) for a British Friesian from EJ Jones & Sons, Bridgend, with a well fleshed Limousin cross to £2130 (778kg) from the same home.

Younger feeding types to £1970 & 286p/kg for a Beef Shorthorn cross from JA & LR James, Trecastle. Top price per kilo of 300p/kg was achieved for a Welsh Black cow at £1640 (546kg), also from JA & LR James,. Lean feeding type cows £1100-£1300.

17 cull cows averaged £1321.76 & 243.13p/kg.

NOTICE

CATTLE VENDORS

A BLUE ENTRY FORM MUST ACCOMPANY PASSPORTS & CATTLE TO MARKET

IF YOU REQUIRE AN ENTRY FORM PLEASE FOLLOW THE LINK

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