

WEDNESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

FINISHED LAMBS (9.30am)

Auctioneer: PHIL JONES

1621 lambs a very similar trade to Monday to average 313p/kg, with well finished lambs selling tremendously well across all weight ranges.

Lights to 352p/kg (£109-31kg) from PC Dando, Cardiff; 30kg to £98.50 (328p/kg) from BR Powell, Llangenny and 31kg to £100 (323p/kg) from PJ Hope, Longtown. Plenty of Lights 310p/kg plus, including Welsh, but most over 300p/kg. Those under 28kg slightly harder to place.

Standard weights (32-39kg) were exceptional with the top 10 of these over 330p/kg plus, topping at 386p/kg (£135-35kg) for a Beltex from Aled Groucott, Swffryd. NR & SH Wellington, Llanvair Green sold 35kg to £119.20 (341p/kg), with 33.4kg to £114 (341p/kg) from KK & VM Powell, Cwmdru. Plenty of those 34-35kg lambs £114-£119/head, with 38-39kg also selling very well at £124-£128/head.

Mediums sold to 327p/kg (£147-45kg) from PC Dando, Cardiff, and again 44.2kg at £144.50 (327p/kg) from AG Priest, Llangwm. All those better types 315-325p/kg, and most 310p plus, with 40kg lambs trading from £124-£128/head.

Most Heavies trading from 305-315p/kg, up to 324p/kg (£155.50-48kg) from TD Llewellyn & Son, St Hilary. Super Heavies (52kg+) very well bid for and a flying trade once again, nearly all of these over 300p/kg and 132 lambs 52kg plus averaging 313p/kg and £176/head! Top prices as follows:

£213.50	-	67.5kg	-	SE GAMBLE, CRICK
£192.00	-	60.0kg	-	BG GREENOW & PARTNER, FOREST COALPIT
£185.00	-	61.0kg	-	AG PRIEST, LLANGWM
£183.00	-	58.0kg	-	SE GAMBLE, CRICK
£183.00	-	58.5kg	-	SE GAMBLE, CRICK
£180.50	-	60.0kg	-	DV RALPH, LLANBEDR
£179.50	-	67.5kg	-	MONKHILL PARTNERS
£179.00	-	58.0kg	-	JJ GREENOW & SONS, LLANTHONY

FINISHED LAMBS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
17-25.4kg	2	206.00	205.76
25.5-32kg	286	352.00	309.15
32.1-39kg	600	386.00	316.66
39.1-45.5kg	430	327.00	310.57
45.6-52kg	171	324.00	308.45
52+kg	132	338.00	313.15
1621			SQQ 313p/kg

CULL SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

658 culls a flying trade with ewes to average £104, very pleasing considering the real lack of strength in the entry. Those best sorts sold to a real premium. Texel ewes to £299, £276 & £235 from R & A Howells, Bridgend; £245 & £242 from PC Jenkins, Abergavenny. S Gait, Llantrissant sold to £227, with SE Gamble to £219 and TD Llewellyn at £212.

Medium sized meated ewes £150-£170, plain lowland ewes generally £120-£130.

The stronger Hill bred ewes to £141 (NC Cheviot) from LK Levinge, Vowchurch; Welsh to £121 from MD Pritchard, Mynyddislwyn and £120 from E & H Powell, Llanvapley. Plenty £100+, smaller meat ewes £85-£100, very small/lean generally £55-£75.

Very few Tups forward, NC Cheviots to £150 from S Pritchard, Mitchel Troy. Nanny Goats to £195 from Wallis Farms Ltd, Llangrove.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	626	299.00	104.07
CULL RAM	9	150.00	111.33
WETHER	1	109.00	109.00
GOAT	8	195.00	169.25
SHEEP	14	125.00	87.86

STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

STORE LAMBS

When you think the store lambs can't get any dearer, they move up another gear!

569 lambs forward but double the number could easily have been sold without detriment to the trade. Fresh buyers in attendance again – all very keen to source sheep.

Texel X lambs to £139 from NJ Squire, Little Mill; £129 from K Brown, Skenfrith and £124.50 from RT Evans, Blackwood.

Best Suffolk X lambs to £127 from JN Turner & Sons, Machen. Several bunches of Cheviot tup lambs selling well to £124.50 from WJG Evans & Son, Cardiff, and others £116.50 from JRS Williams, Pontfaen.

Plenty of business done over £110 for the best long term lambs, most long term £90-£105 for the next size down or harder bred, with the bunches of small Welsh or Welsh X £75-£85, just a few £65-£70.

BREEDING SHEEP

A small entry of breeding ewes to £98 for mixed age Welsh from RN Jones, Portskewett. Rams sold to £300 for full mouth Aberfield from Davies & Millichap, Porth. Texels to £260 from FJ Lane, Llangrove.

REARING CALVES (10am)

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

A grand entry of 39 rearing calves met another full ring of purchasers and an equally strong trade. Blue bulls sold to £890 from BE Baker & Son, Kemeys Commander, with others from the same home to £830, with Blue heifers also to £660 & £540.

AR Edwards & Son, St Brides Wentloog sold Blue bulls to £710, with heifers to £650. Pencraig Partners, Llanhennock sold a Lim bull calf at £690, with another at £590, and Angus bulls to £560 and Lim heifers to £510.

IMPORTANT

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BREEDING CATTLE

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

Just 1 forward today, an incalf heifer from EJ Jackson, Pontypool, an Angus X (40m) and Pd'd incalf, selling at £2200.

FEEDING/BREEDING BULLS

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

Just 4 forward, all Hereford X, with a 4 month Hereford from WEJ England, Lisvane at £820.

STIRKS/YOUNG STORES

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

An improved entry of 126 young stores met another 'electric trade', with steers to £2080 & 507.5p/kg to average £1490.98 & 442.53p/kg, with Heifers to £1800 & 517.3p/kg to average £1247.73 & 405.72p/kg.

Steers sold to £2080 for a 9 month Blue X (465kg) from MT & CI Griffiths, Builth Wells. Miss SM Price, Pontyclun sold to £2030 with a 7 month Charolais (400kgs-507.5p/kg), to top the Section.

C & N Tranter, Rhiwlas topped at £2000 with 12-13 month Lims (432kg-462.4p/kg).

A grand Consignment from I & S Davies, New Tredegar topped at £2000 for a 12 month Lim (440kg-454p/kg). SJ, SP & EA Roderick, Brecon topped at £1920 for a 11 month Charolais (435kg).

Heifers sold to £1800 from C & N Tranter selling 12-13 month Lim crosses (417kg-431.1p/kg).

Younger Limousins from Werfa Farm, Rhigos sold to £1710 & £1700 (7 & 9mths), with C & N Tranter again selling at £1620. DW Wilde & Partners, St Mellons sold 12 month BRBX heifers at £1600 (392kg).

Smart young heifers from I & S Davies topped at £1440 (7m-308kg) and 467p/kg, with others at 7 months (266kg) to £1340 (503p/kg), but topping per kilo from M Lippiatt, New Tredegar at 517.30p/kg for 6 month Charolais (£1000-193kg), with ES & JS Huntley reaching 486 pence (£1300-267kg).

Top Prices per Head (Steers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
STEERS	9m	465.0	2080	MT & CI GRIFFITHS
	7m	400.0	2030	SM PRICE
	13m	432.5	2000	C & N TRANTER
	12m	440.0	2000	I & S DAVIES
	11m	435.0	1920	SJ, SP & EA RODERICK
	12m	400.0	1840	C & N TRANTER
	7m	440.0	1760	HALE BROS
	12m	392.5	1760	C & N TRANTER

Top Prices per Kilo (Steers)

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
STEERS	7m	400.0	507.5	SM PRICE
	10m	255.0	482.4	M LIPPIATT
	7m	302.5	479.3	I & S DAVIES
	9m	360.0	466.7	I & S DAVIES
	7m	295.0	464.4	I & S DAVIES
	15m	280.0	464.3	ES & JS HUNTLEY
	13m	432.5	462.4	C & N TRANTER
	12m	400.0	460.0	C & N TRANTER

Top Prices per Head (Heifers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
HEIFERS	13m	417.5	1800	C & N TRANTER
	7m	390.0	1710	WERFA FARM
	9m	415.0	1700	WERFA FARM
	13m	380.0	1620	C & N TRANTER
	12m	392.5	1600	DL WILDE & PARTNERS
	13m	380.0	1560	MT & CI GRIFFITHS
	8m	330.0	1480	SM PRICE
	7m	308.3	1440	I & S DAVIES
	8m	342.5	1400	I & S DAVIES
	7m	293.3	1390	I & S DAVIES

Top Prices per Kilo (Heifers)

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
HEIFERS	6m	193.3	517.3	M LIPPIATT
	7m	266.3	503.2	I & S DAVIES
	12m	267.5	486.0	ES & JS HUNTLEY
	7m	293.3	473.9	I & S DAVIES

	7m	308.3	467.1	I & S DAVIES
	8m	330.0	448.5	SM PRICE
	7m	390.0	438.5	WERFA FARM
	9m	300.0	433.3	SM PRICE
	13m	417.5	431.1	C & N TRANTER
	13m	380.0	426.3	C & N TRANTER

STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer: Stephen Williams

A larger show of 255 store cattle selling to a stand on trade on the week. More Diary bred and weathered types amongst the entry today which would pull the sale averages back on the week. Well fleshed types and those which have been inside on feed were the easiest to place and maintained recent high rates.

Short keep steers to £2560 (740kg) for a Stabiliser cross from DW Thomas & Sons, Llanmaes, with a similar steer to £2460 (687kg) from the same home. A powerful South Devon cross from TS Rees Ltd, Cefn Cribbwr sold to £2460 (705kg). A Layton, Vowchurch sold his best steers to £2450 (645kg) for a Limousin cross. Aberdeen Angus crosses from DR & JM Pugh, Llangorse reached £2420 (620kg).

Wintering types peaked at 470p/kg (£1810-385kg) for Limousin crosses from PE & SE Morris, Bedlinog, with smart Limousin crosses to 458p/kg (£2060-450kg) from A Layton, Vowchurch. Charolais crosses to 440p/kg (£2000-455kg) from SJ, SP & EA Roderick, Llanvihangel Nant Bran.

Feeding heifers sold to £2300 (620kg & 625kg) for Stabilisers from DW Thomas & Sons, Llanmaes. British Blue crosses to £2180 (587kg) from CA Jenkins & Partners, Howick. TS Bowen, Govilon sold his best to £2100 (515kg) for Limousin crosses. Two super big pens of Charolais crosses to £2100 (568kg) & £2080 (540kg) also from CA Jenkins & Partners.

Wintering heifers topped at 435p/kg (£1610-370kg) from RE & NL Davies, Garthbreny. Limousin crosses to 430p/kg (£2020-470kg) from DR & JM Pugh & Son.

Charolais cross heifers from MT & DR Watkins, Llantilio Pertholey sold to 417p/kg (£1960-470kg). All the well bred types in excess of 400p/kg.

Overall Averages £'s Head

133 steers – ave. £1791.43 or 368.48p/kg

122 heifers – ave. £1544.18 or 352.96p/kg

STORE CATTLE TABLES (£/HEAD)

Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor
STEERS					
FRIE	1266	1200	1310	453.3	VFJ & TR MEEK
AA	1857	600	2420	620.0	DR & JM PUGH
			2380	665.0	DR & JM PUGH
			2220	624.2	TS REES LTD
			2170	520.0	DR & JM PUGH
			1970	575.0	DM & CJ FARMER
			1960	535.0	HALE BROS
			1910	520.0	H, JW & MH EVANS
			1750	580.0	TS REES LTD
			1700	448.3	HALE BROS
DEV	1620	1620	1620	475.0	AJ JONES
BRBX	1889	1470	2320	650.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2200	571.3	DW THOMAS
			2160	590.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2160	535.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2140	545.0	DM & CJ FARMER
			2120	550.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2080	540.0	TM THOMAS
			1950	550.0	DM & CJ FARMER

STORE CATTLE TABLES (P/KG)

Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor
STEERS					
FRIE	290.4	289.0	292.7	410.0	TG & JG DAVIES
			289.0	453.3	VFJ & TR MEEK
AA	355.7	214.3	417.3	520.0	DR & JM PUGH
			390.3	620.0	DR & JM PUGH
			379.2	448.3	HALE BROS
			376.1	335.0	ER MORRIS
			367.3	520.0	H, JW & MH EVANS
			366.4	535.0	HALE BROS
			357.9	665.0	TS REES LTD
BRBX	386.3	354.5	431.9	386.7	NL & GH LAND
			403.7	535.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			393.4	452.5	NL & GH LAND
			392.7	545.0	DM & CJ FARMER
			385.5	550.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			385.2	540.0	TM THOMAS
			385.1	571.3	DW THOMAS
			380.1	386.7	NL & GH LAND
LH	343.1	339.6	346.9	490.0	BE BAKER
ST	370.4	345.9	385.1	571.3	DW THOMAS
			381.4	466.7	DW THOMAS
			366.0	617.5	DW THOMAS

			1800	505.0	MT & CI GRIFFITHS
CH	1990	1990	1990	575.0	DM & CJ FARMER
LH	1750	1700	1800	530.0	BE BAKER
SD	2460	2460	2460	705.0	TS REES LTD
ST	2176	1780	2560	740.0	DW THOMAS
			2460	687.5	DW THOMAS
			2260	617.5	DW THOMAS
			2200	571.3	DW THOMAS
			1780	466.7	DW THOMAS
HE	1533	980	2010	550.0	TM THOMAS
			1610	420.0	TM THOMAS
BSH	1670	1670	1670	465.0	TM THOMAS
HEX	1812	1060	2180	565.0	SC TOMLIN
			2010	565.0	SC TOMLIN
			1950	705.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			1920	580.0	M SUSSEX
			1850	505.0	A & ME JONES
			1830	490.0	M SUSSEX
DEVX	2070	2070	2070	550.0	AJ JONES
CHX	2103	2000	2270	565.0	TM THOMAS
			2070	500.0	TM THOMAS
			2000	455.0	SJ, SP&EA RODERICK
SMX	2100	2100	2100	591.7	TS REES LTD
LIM X	1669	1250	2450	645.0	A LAYTON
			2440	685.0	A LAYTON
			2340	572.5	A LAYTON
			2320	535.0	A LAYTON
			2190	500.0	A LAYTON
			2060	450.0	A LAYTON
			1810	385.0	PE & SE MORRIS
			1780	550.0	HALE BROS
			1720	430.0	A MORGAN
HEIFERS					
BRB	1360	1360	1360	415.0	M SUSSEX
AA	1265	630	1700	500.0	M SUSSEX
			1700	465.0	DM & CJ FARMER
			1520	448.3	T EMERY & SON
			1390	434.3	CD & MG BLANDFORD
BRBX	1614	1320	2180	587.5	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			1810	503.3	M SUSSEX
			1790	530.0	DW THOAMS
			1780	495.0	M SUSSEX
			1670	453.3	NL & GH LAND
			1630	463.3	M SUSSEX
CH	1600	1600	1600	485.0	RG STANLEY
ST	2045	1790	2300	625.0	DW THOMAS
			2300	620.0	DW THOMAS
			1790	530.0	DW THOMAS
CHX	1920	1360	2100	568.3	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2080	540.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			2060	535.0	MT & DR WATKINS

			357.8	687.5	DW THOMAS
BSHX	382.9	370.7	389.5	380.0	R & J MORRIS
			370.7	205.0	R & J MORRIS
HE	337.0	248.1	383.3	420.0	TM THOMAS
			365.5	550.0	TM THOMAS
BSH	359.1	359.1	359.1	465.0	TM THOMAS
HEX	354.0	276.6	385.8	565.0	SC TOMLIN
			373.5	490.0	M SUSSEX
			366.3	505.0	A & ME JONES
			355.8	565.0	SC TOMLIN
DEVX	376.4	376.4	376.4	550.0	AJ JONES
CHX	416.3	401.8	439.6	455.0	SJ, SP & EA RODERICK
			414.0	500.0	TM THOMAS
			401.8	565.0	TM THOMAS
SMX	354.9	354.9	354.9	591.7	TS REES LTD
LIM X	392.7	323.6	470.1	385.0	PE & SE MORRIS
			457.8	450.0	A LAYTON
			438.0	500.0	A LAYTON
			433.6	535.0	A LAYTON
			429.4	340.0	PE & SE MORRIS
			420.5	390.0	M SUSSEX
			410.1	356.0	PJ WATKINS
			408.7	572.5	A LAYTON
			400.0	430.0	A MORGAN
HEIFERS					
BAX	352.9	352.9	352.9	340.0	JR SILVERTHORNE
AA	311.9	194.4	365.6	465.0	DM & CJ FARMER
			340.0	500.0	M SUSSEX
			339.1	448.3	T EMERY & SON
			320.1	434.3	CD & MG BLANDFORD
BRBX	355.5	313.6	371.1	587.5	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			368.4	453.3	NL & GH LAND
			359.6	503.3	M SUSSEX
			359.6	495.0	M SUSSEX
			357.0	372.5	EDH THOMAS
			351.8	463.3	M SUSSEX
			349.2	378.0	NL & GH LAND
			337.7	530.0	DW THOMAS
CH	329.9	329.9	329.9	485.0	RG STANLEY
ST	354.9	337.7	371.0	620.0	DW THOMAS
			368.0	625.0	DW THOMAS
			337.7	530.0	DW THOMAS
AAX	320.1	320.1	320.1	434.3	CD & MG BLANDFORD
CHX	374.4	319.1	417.0	470.0	MT & DR WATKINS
			409.2	432.5	H, JW & MH EVANS
			398.1	515.0	MT & DR WATKINS
			387.9	495.0	RG STANLEY
			385.2	540.0	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			385.0	535.0	MT & DR WATKINS
			369.5	568.3	CA JENKINS & PTNS
			358.0	500.0	A & ME JONES
			357.7	520.0	TS BOWEN
SMX	362.0	362.0	362.0	500.0	TS BOWEN
LIM X	363.7	277.3	435.1	370.0	RE & NL DAVIES
			429.8	470.0	DR & JM PUGH

			2050	515.0	MT & DR WATKINS
			1960	470.0	MT & DR WATKINS
			1920	495.0	RG STANLEY
			1860	520.0	TS BOWEN
			1790	500.0	A & ME JONES
			1770	432.5	H, JW & MH EVANS
SMX	1810	1810	1810	500.0	TS BOWEN
LIM X	1439	900	2100	515.0	TS BOWEN
			2070	486.7	DR & JM PUGH
			2060	550.0	TS BOWEN
			2050	525.0	TS BOWEN
			2020	470.0	DR & JM PUGH
			1680	450.0	A & ME JONES
			1610	370.0	RE & NL DAVIES

			425.3	486.7	DR & JM PUGH
			407.8	515.0	TS BOWEN
			396.2	343.3	PE & SE MORRIS
			390.5	525.0	TS BOWEN
			382.3	395.0	RE & NL DAVIES
			374.5	550.0	TS BOWEN
			374.2	310.0	RE & NL DAVIES
			373.3	450.0	A & ME JONES

CULL CATTLE

Auctioneer: Mike Davies

27 culls to another very strong demand for meat and plainer sorts. Top selling at £2370 (720kg-329p/kg), a Blue from GT Phillips, Upper Chapel, with another Blue from Messrs Williams & Robertson, Blackwood at £2300 (740kg-311p/kg). Charolais cows to £2290 (745kg-308p/kg) from H, JW & MH Evans, Pontypool. A strong run of 9 Charolais cows from CJ Francis, Cardiff to £2260 and averaging over £3. PB & FB St Wulstans, Welsh Newton selling another Charolais to £2260 (730kg-309p/kg).

Friesians to £1870 (785kg-239p/kg) from AR Edwards & Son, St Brides Wentloog.

		Number	Max	Average
Beef	Grade One	16	2370	2040
	Grade Two	7	1780	1578
	Grade Three	3	1050	980
Dairy	Grade One	1	1870	1870

NOTICE

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