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FINISHED HOGGETS (9.30am)

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

1099 hogs to another very solid trade. Trade generally at slightly lower levels than recent weeks, but still very pleasing and the 'right things' were a terrific price. Not quite the show of hogs as compared to recent weeks also, which has just pulled the average slightly.

Lights to 418p/kg (£129.50-31kg) from PW, JA & MW Bevan, Penpergwm, and 413p/kg (£120.50-29.2kg) from DP Kitchen, Llanfoist.

Standards (32-39kg) continue to be very easily sold and a huge proportion well over 420p/kg and any amount 410p/kg plus. 38kg to £169 (445p/kg) from Rhadyr Farms Ltd, Llanbadoc, with numerous 38-39kg hogs well over £160.

The best 35kg to £150 (429p/kg) from PJ & RJP Rees, St Mary Hill.

A real shortage of those smart export hogs, with fierce competition on those smart 40-43kg hogs. A 43.5kg Beltex from G Jones, Dingestow soared to £205/head (471p/kg). 45.5kg Dutch Spotted hogs to £195 (429p/kg) from HG Edwards & BA Edwards, Rockfield. Well finished and well bred 40-42kg hogs mostly 415-425p/kg.

The best of the Heavies top side of 400p/kg with 46kg to £187 (407p/kg) for Dorsets from EJ Jones & Sons, Bridgend. The majority of those 47-50kg hogs 375-395p/kg and £185-£195/head.

Super Heavies not as wild as we have seen in recent weeks, but still very decent money per head, top prices as follows:

£230.50	-	68.3kg	-	TREGARE FARMS LTD
£220.20	-	60.5kg	-	TREGARE FARMS LTD
£215.20	-	63.0kg	-	RL PRICE & ME MORGAN, NEATH
£214.20	-	60.0kg	-	JR DAVIES & PARTNERS, SULLY
£212.50	-	61.3kg	-	C DIFFORD, NELSON
£211.80	-	62.0kg	-	J WILLIAMS-ROBERTS, LITTLE MILL
£210.00	-	68.5kg	-	E EYNON, LLAN CRUCORNEY
£206.20	-	56.7kg	-	TREGARE FARMS LTD
£206.00	-	66.0kg	-	RT WATKINS FARMING
£203.20	-	55.6kg	-	P MEEK, NEWCASTLE

FINISHED HOGGETS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
LAMB 25.5 - 32	62	418.00	404.10
LAMB 32.1 - 39	352	445.00	405.69
LAMB 39.1 - 45.5	304	471.00	400.92
LAMB 45.6 - 52	268	407.00	383.24
LAMB 52 +	96	365.00	354.32
	1082		SQQ 403.3p/kg

CULL SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

443 cull sheep forward to a red hot trade which got dearer as the sale progressed! Ewes to average an incredible £162/head.

The strongest ewes regularly over £200/head to include the top 18 ewe prices!! Top selling as follows:

£306.00	-	CHAR	-	GC & GY JONES, EARLSWOOD
£263.00	-	TEXEL	-	HG & BA EDWARDS, ROCKFIELD
£259.00	-	SUFFOLK X	-	RD, DR & RS HEATH, LLANTILIO CROSSENNY
£250.00	-	TEXEL X	-	E EYNON LLAN CRUCORNEY
£247.50	-	SUFFOLK X	-	EF MORGAN, LLANGATTOCK LINGOED
£238.00	-	TEXEL X	-	JW COLE, ST MAUGHANS
£234.00	-	TEXEL X	-	RHADYR FARMS LTD, LLANBADOC

The leaner lowland ewes were an incredible trade, several bunches of strong lean ewes £180-£198, and a huge amount of ewes over £160.

The best Welsh ewes regularly over £150 and several strong Welsh £160-£170. A huge proportion of Welsh over £130 for smaller medium meated ewes, very small/lean £90-£110.

Rams to £290 (Char) from DE Thomson, Cardiff; £275 (Dorset) G Lippiatt, Monkwood; £270 (NCC) PH Teague & Partner, Raglan and £250 (Texel) EB Hughes, Llangenny.

Nanny Goats to £169 & £168.50 from CA & AJ Goodwin, Titley.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	397	306.00	162.15
CULL RAM	23	290.00	184.65
LAMB/TEG	6	200.00	170.67
SHEEP	10	189.50	156.10
GOAT	7	169.00	168.64

STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer: Phil Jones

342 store hogs to another flyer of a trade, to average £135/head. The strongest £160/head plus up to £176.50 from DW & GL Charles, Trellech Grange and also PB & FB St.Wulstons, Welsh Newton. GJ & PA Robins & Sons, Cowbridge sold to £164, with EA Jones, Llanover at £163.50.

Medium keep hogs regularly £140-£160, small longer term hogs including the Welsh & Welsh X types mostly £110-£125.

COUPLES

33 ewes with lambs at foot were simply off the clock! A super run of Texel X ewes with strong Continental X lambs saw twins to £430 (£143/life) and singles an incredible £400 (£200/life).

I Clatworthy sold ewes with Texel X twin lambs to £415 (£138/life) and again at £380 (£127/life).

Suffolk X Welsh ewes with singles to £250 (£125/life) from RL Price & ME Morgan, Neath. A few very long term/harder bred sorts from £50-£70/life for singles.

REARING CALVES (10am)

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

A reduced entry today but another terrific trade. Bull calves to £735 & Heifers to £610.

BULL CALVES

LIM X	1m	735	DJ & R BENNETT
BRBX	4m	730	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	2m	700	AR EDWARDS & SON
HEX	1m	500	DJ & R BENNETT

HEIFER CALVES

BRBX	2m	610	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	2m	580	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	2m	580	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	2m	560	AR EDWARDS & SON
AA	1m	470	DR & KJ WILLIAMS

WEANED CALVES

Top selling of £930 for 5 month Charolais with Herefords to £760.

HEIFERS

CHX	5m	930	J TAMPLIN & SON
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SMX	5m	900	J TAMPLIN & SON
SMX	5m	900	J TAMPLIN & SON
CHX	5m	930	J TAMPLIN & SON

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

The Section today included the major part Dispersal of the Pantyrhuad Herd on behalf of Martyn Thomas & Co, Llandow.

This long established Herd of Welsh Black Cattle were sold incalf to Charolais & Welsh Black bulls, and created huge interest from prospective purchasers from across Wales & beyond and resulted in a total clearance and prices exceeding expectations.

Top selling at 3,500gns was Pantyrhuad Greta 9th, a 2021 cow, incalf to a Charolais bull and purchased by The National History Museum, St Fagans. Next best at 3,350gns was Pantyrhuad Carn Ddu 7th, a 2022 born cow, incalf to a Welsh Black bull. Pantyrhuad Eva 7th, 2021 born and incalf to a Charolais sold at 3,000gns.

The trade held throughout to create an overall average of £2449.03 for 54 sold (all incalf).

FEEDING/BREEDING BULLS

Auctioneer: Stephen Williams

Small entry of feeding bulls sold to £1980 (515kg) for an Aberdeen Angus cross from T Phillips, Pandy. Simmental crosses to £1780 (420kg) from J Drew, Marshfield.

STIRKS/YOUNG STORES

Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper

An excellent entry of 162 young stores.

Steers sold to £2370 and 488.9p/kg to average

Heifers sold to £1850 & 503p/kg to average

Top selling steers from L West, Grosmont, selling 12-13 month Limousins to £2370 (530kg) also hitting £2210 & £1840.

HW White & Son, Monmouth topped at £2040 for 12 month Blondes (492kg – 414p/kg), with others from the same home at £1960, £1790 & £1540, to lead the per kilo at 489 pence.

JV & RJ Williams, Llandewi Rhydderch topped at £1900 with Angus steers (12m-470kg) and £1860 from Llwynorath Farm, Bridgend.

KG & SL Morris, Malvern Wells sold 12 month Hereford crosses to £1800 (405kg), with H Davies, Swansea selling 11 month Lims to £1790. Plenty of Light weight steers in excess of 440p/kg.

Heifers topped at £1850 & 503p/kg from HC Powell & Co, Brecon selling 9 Charolais (12m-367kg), topping both charts.

L West, Grosmont sold a bunch of five 12 month old Lim cross heifers at £1690 (473kg). 12 month Angus heifers from Llwynorath Farm, Bridgend sold at £1560 (400kg). ML Strange, Pontypool sold 7 month Charolais crosses at £920 (190kg-484p/kg), with I Powell, Bacton selling 12 month Lims at 442p/kg (£1320-300kg).

Top Prices per Head (Steers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
STEERS	13m	353.3	2370	L WEST
	13m	600.0	2210	L WEST
	12m	492.5	2040	HW WHITE & SON
	11m	450.0	1960	HW WHITE & SON
	14m	428.3	1900	JV & RJ WILLIAMS
	12m	470.0	1860	LLWYNORATH FARM
	12m	485.0	1840	L WEST
	12m	405.0	1800	KG & SL MORRIS
	11m	415.0	1790	HW WHITE & SON
	11m	397.5	1790	H DAVIES

Top Prices per Kilo (Steers)

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
STEERS	10m	315.0	488.9	HW WHITE & SON
	14m	366.7	474.5	JV & RJ WILLIAMS
	14m	377.5	466.2	JV & RJ WILLIAMS
	12m	320.0	465.6	LM HEATH
	11m	300.0	456.7	TW ROBERTS & SON
	11m	397.5	450.3	H DAVIES
	8m	300.0	446.7	J COWEN
	12m	405.0	444.4	KG & SL MORRIS
	14m	428.3	443.6	JV & RJ WILLIAMS

Top Prices per Head (Heifers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
HEIFERS	12m	367.8	1850	HE POWELL & CO
	13m	473.0	1690	L WEST
	12m	400.0	1560	LLWYNORATH FARM
	15m	455.0	1540	SWFFRYD GANOL FARM
	13m	380.0	1460	H DAVIES
	12m	410.0	1460	LAND TO RANGE AGRI PTNS
	12m	412.5	1450	LAND TO RANGE AGRI PTNS
	10m	398.3	1440	LT WILLIAMS & SON
	15m	360.0	1420	LM HEATH
	13m	365.0	1410	HL MORGAN & SONS

Top Prices per Kilo (Heifers)

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
HEIFERS	12m	367.8	503.0	HE POWELL & CO
	7m	190.0	484.2	LM STRANGE
	12m	298.3	442.5	IP POWELL
	11m	270.0	429.6	T & D THOMAS & MRS A WALKER
	10m	300.0	426.7	TW ROBERTS & SON
	15m	295.0	423.7	RM EDWARDS
	12m	302.5	416.5	LM HEATH
	9m	315.0	409.5	J COWEN
	10m	346.3	398.5	LT WILLIAMS & SONS
	10m	305.0	396.7	T PHILLIPS

STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer: Stephen Williams

A good entry of 176 store cattle sold to another strong trade and easily maintained recent high rates. Well fleshed feeding types were in short supply with more meaner grazing sorts amongst the entry.

Limousin steers to £2400 (500kg) from LLO Jones & Sons, Llanbadoc. Limousin crosses from IP Powell, Bacton to £2340 (512kg). Limousin cross Friesian steers to £2340 (680kg) from MN & NG Evans, Swansea. A superb Lincoln Red cross steer to £2300 (630kg) from HMP Prescoed, Usk.

Grazing types sold to 438p/kg (£1940-442kg) for Charolais crosses from CA Walford, Marshfield, all the grazing sorts in excess of 400p/kg.

The marvellous show of well fleshed heifers sold to £2340 (515kg) from JG & JLM Watkins, Pengefnord. Aberdeen Angus crosses to £2300 (592kg) from DR & JM Pugh, Llangorse with Limousin crosses to £2250 (555kg) from the same home. Simmental heifers to £2130 (520kg) & £2120 (555kg) from RT Watkins Farming, Llantilio Pertholey. Grazing types topped at £1810 & 503p/kg for Limousin crosses from JV & RJ Williams, Llandewi Rhydderch. A & ME Jones, Cwmcarnvan sold Limousins to £1660 (356kg-465p/kg). EA Jones, Llanover sold Limousin crosses to 450p/kg (£1270-282kg), good grazing types all in excess of 430p/kg.

MORE CATTLE NEEDED EACH WEEK TO SATISFY DEMAND

Overall Averages £'s Head

65 steers –ave. £1839.20 or 390.80p/kg

111 heifers – ave. £1650.60 or 391.52p/kg

STORE CATTLE TABLES (£/HEAD)						STORE CATTLE TABLES (P/KG)					
STEERS						STEERS					
Breed	Av	Mn	Max	Wt	Vendor	Breed	Av	Mn	Max	Wt	Vendor
AA	1634	1510	1700	465.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE	AA	373.9	363.9	395.3	425.0	CA WALFORD
			1680	425.0	CA WALFORD				380.7	415.0	T PHILLIPS
			1580	415.0	T PHILLIPS				365.6	465.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE
			1510	415.0	RF PRICE	W B	381.6	381.6	381.6	380.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE
W B	1450	1450	1450	380.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE	BRBX	390.9	352.9	410.4	385.0	RF PRICE
BRBX	1886	1450	2320	650.0	MN & NG EVANS				406.5	465.0	BR POWELL
			2160	542.5	RF FRANCIS				406.3	475.0	RH & AM BENNETT
			2040	522.5	RF FRANCIS				402.4	410.0	BR POWELL

			2040	530.0	WK & CA MARTYN					398.2	542.5	RF FRANCIS
			1940	490.0	RF FRANCIS					395.9	490.0	RF FRANCIS
			1930	475.0	RH & AM BENNETT					395.3	430.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE
			1890	465.0	BR POWELL					390.4	522.5	RF FRANCIS
			1820	487.5	RF FRANCIS					384.9	530.0	WK & CA MARTYN
			1700	430.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE					373.3	487.5	RF FRANCIS
			1650	410.0	BR POWELL		CH	371.1	371.1	371.1	415.0	BR POWELL
CH	1540	1540	1540	415.0	BR POWELL		HEX	388.4	365.6	402.6	390.0	RF PRICE
HEX	1674	1570	1960	520.0	A & ME JONES					376.9	520.0	A & ME JONES
			1700	465.0	A & ME JONES		CHX	410.5	397.8	438.4	442.5	CA WALFORD
			1570	390.0	RF PRICE					414.7	340.0	CA WALFORD
CHX	1822	1410	2220	555.0	IP POWELL					407.0	430.0	A MORGAN
			1940	442.5	CA WALFORD					402.6	385.0	A MORGAN
			1880	470.0	BR POWELL					400.0	470.0	BR POWELL
			1830	460.0	CA WALFORD					400.0	555.0	IP POWELL
			1750	430.0	A MORGAN					397.8	460.0	CA WALFORD
			1550	385.0	A MORGAN		SMX	382.4	382.4	382.4	340.0	EA JONES
SMX	1300	1300	1300	340.0	EA JONES		LRX	364.8	360.4	373.6	567.5	HMP PRESCOED USK
LRX	1934	1730	2300	630.0	HMP PRESCOED USK		LIM X	408.9	344.1	480.0	500.0	LLO JONES & SONS
			2120	567.5	HMP PRESCOED USK					456.6	512.5	IP POWELL
			1800	499.0	HMP PRESCOED USK					419.7	355.0	EA JONES
LIM X	1971	1490	2400	500.0	LLO JONES & SONS					387.8	410.0	A MORGAN
			2340	512.5	IP POWELL					386.4	440.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE
			2340	680.0	MN & NG EVANS					375.6	410.0	BR POWELL
			1700	440.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE							
			1590	410.0	A MORGAN							
			1540	410.0	BR POWELL							
			1490	355.0	EA JONES							
HEIFERS						HEIFERS						
AA	1564	1200	2300	592.5	DR & JM PUGH		AA	370.7	333.3	400.0	350.0	CA WALFORD
			2000	565.0	JN TURNER & SONS					388.2	592.5	DR & JM PUGH
			1870	520.0	JN TURNER & SONS					381.0	315.0	LEWIS, LEWIS & SON
			1820	481.7	AJ & LA DUTHIE					379.8	445.0	CA WALFORD
			1690	445.0	CA WALFORD					379.8	416.0	GL ROPER
			1670	490.0	HMP PRESCOED USK					377.8	481.7	AJ & LA DUTHIE & SON
			1580	416.0	GL ROPER					373.5	415.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE & SON
BRBX	1712	1550	1770	442.5	A MORGAN					371.1	415.0	RF PRICE
			1770	440.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE		BRBX			402.3	440.0	AJ & LA DUTHIE & SON
			1730	452.5	A MORGAN					400.0	442.5	A MORGAN
			1720	455.0	A MORGAN					382.3	452.5	A MORGAN
			1680		EA JONES					378.0	455.0	A MORGAN
			1660	440.0	BR POWELL					377.3	440.0	BR POWELL

			1550	422.5	BR POWELL				366.9	422.5	BR POWELL	
HEX	1890	1890	1890	521.7	LLO JONES & SONS		HEX	362.3	362.3	362.3	521.7	LLO JONES & SONS
CHX	1657	1360	1880	470.0	A MORGAN		CHX	453.3	372.6	441.2	412.5	EA JONES
			1820	412.5	EA JONES					441.2		EA JONES
			1770	436.7	JN TURNER & SONS					440.9	342.5	EA JONES
			1600	415.0	CA WALFORD					425.0	320.0	EA JONES
			1580	415.0	CA WALFORD					405.3	436.7	JN TURNER & SONS
			1510	342.5	EA JONES					400.0	470.0	A MORGAN
SMX	1950	1600	2130	520.0	RT WATKINS					385.5	415.0	CA WALFORD
			1600	430.0	BR POWELL					380.7	415.0	CA WALFORD
LRX	1580	1370	1650	460.0	HMP PRESCOED USK					372.6	365.0	EA JONES
LIM X	1651	1000	2340	515.0	JG & JLM WATKINS		SMX	388.7	372.1	409.6	520.0	RT WATKINS FARMING
			2250	555.0	DR & JM PUGH					372.1	430.0	BR POWELL
			2010	450.0	JG & JLM WATKINS		LRX	357.1	351.3	358.7	460.0	HMP PRESCOED USK
			1980	495.0	JG & JLM WATKINS		LIM X	431.7	333.3	502.8	360.0	JV & RJ WILLIAMS
			1910	425.0	RT WATKINS					465.4	356.7	A & ME JONES
			1820	470.0	BR POWELL					454.4	515.0	JG & JLM WATKINS
			1810	360.0	JV & RJ WILLIAMS					449.6	282.5	EA JONES
			1740	450.0	BR POWELL					449.4	425.0	RT WATKINS FARMING
			1730	448.3	AJ & LA DUTHIE					446.7	450.0	JG & JLM WATKINS
										441.2	-	EA JONES
										436.8	380.0	EA JONES
										434.8	345.0	EA JONES
										427.0	370.0	EA JONES

CULL CATTLE

Auctioneer: Mike Davies

16 culls with 9 Grade 1 Beef to level at £2021, although untested cows more difficult to sell. Top price cow at £2245 (640kg-350p/kg) for a Limousin from JV & RJ Williams, Llandewi Rhydderch. Herefords to £2140 (630kg-341p/kg) from MH & BM Janes, Penrhos. RP Goatman, Chepstow sold Limousins £2120 & £2050. Charolais cows to £1935 from IP Powell, Bacton.

		Number	Max	Average
Beef	Grade One	9	2245	2021
	Grade Two	4	1770	1694
	Grade Three	1	1190	1190
Dairy	Grade Two	2	1770	1730

NOTICE

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