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## WEDNESDAY 13<sup>th</sup> MAY

### PRIME LAMBS (9.30am)

*Auctioneer: Phil Jones*

464 lambs a superb show of quality. Top selling 495p/kg (£165-33.3kg) from BR Powell, Llangenny, with other 34.2kg lambs to £164 (480kg). NJ & JO Tamplin, Abertridwr sold 34kg to £161.50 (475kg), with plenty of those 34-37kg from 455p-470p/kg and £165-£175/head.

The 40-45kg Mediums topped at 476p/kg (£200-42kg) for more cracking lambs from SE Gamble, Crick, with a lovely show from PH Teague & Partner, Raglan selling to 467p/kg (£199-42.6kg) & 464p/kg (£191-41.2kg). All of those smarter 40-42kg lambs £182-£192, with the 44-45kg lambs £195-£205/head.

Best Heavies again from SE Gamble with 46kg to £206.50 (449p/kg). A tremendous run of lambs from D Parry, The Elms saw 51.2kg to £217.50, 46.9kg to £210 & 44kg to £203. JCD & KA Richardson & Son, Itton produced another great show of lambs with 45.2kg to £205.50. The Heavy lambs an incredible £210/head.

Several pens of lighter lambs meeting plenty of enquiry, with 30kg £136 (453p/kg) from P Edwards & Co, Tredomen and 32kg to £145 (453p/kg) from RO Chandler, Crucorney. SQQ 453p/kg.

PRIME LAMBS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
25.5 - 32	39	453.00	451.62
32.1 - 39	133	495.00	458.88
39.1 - 45.5	250	476.00	450.97
45.6 - 52	42	449.00	437.69
	464		SQQ 453p/kg

### FINISHED HOGGETS

1155 hogs a real trade with all major Firms busy pre-Festival and hogs of all weights, breeds, shapes & sizes selling to a premium and an SQQ of 422p/kg.

Standard weights 33-39kg continue to lead the way in term of p/kg. a 39kg Blue Texel hogg from Parry, Williams & Bodily leading the charge at a whopping 487p/kg & £190/head! E Eynon, Crucorney sold 36.2kg to £163.80 (452p/kg) & 35.2kg to £157.50 (447p/kg). 38g to £169 (445p/kg) from WR Evans, Pontypool, with a big entry of Welsh & Welsh X hogs 36-39kg regularly 430-440p/kg, and any amount over 420p/kg. Lighter Welsh hogs to 425p/kg (£127.50-30kg) from JR Silverthorne, with those 27-31kg Welsh hogs mostly 395-415p/kg.

The 40-42kg hogs extremely sought after, 40.3kg to £182 (452p/kg) from KM & FJ Jones, Bettws Newydd and 41kg to £180.50 (440p/kg) from DM & PW Maddocks, Wolvesnewton. A pen of 4116kg Badger hogs from J Griffiths, Rhiwderin sold exceptionally well to £178 (428p/kg) and a huge amount of business done over 415p/kg, with a big proportion of these being Hill bred and horned hogs.

Heavies finding plenty of favour, 46.2kg to 3195 (422p/kg) from GR & KF Parry, Llansoy, with any amount of 46-48kg hogs £188-£195.

The Super Heavies 52kg+ averaged £206/head, topping at £221 (67kg) from AJ Hale, Kemeys Inferior, with the top 11 prices all over £210/head for hogs 62kg upwards, and the top 23 prices £200/head plus.

Toothers well competed for throughout. The strongest £185/head + (55kg plus), up to £207.50 (85kg) for a NC Cheviot from LK Levinge, Vowchurch. Toothers 45-50kg generally £170-£180, 40-43kg toothers mostly £150-£165, up to £176.50 (43kg).

FINISHED HOGGETS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
25.5 - 32	44	425.00	399.29
32.1 - 39	326	487.00	429.04
39.1 - 45.5	448	452.00	416.90
45.6 - 52	146	422.00	401.49
52 +	191	387.00	338.88
	1155		SQQ 422p/kg

### CULL SHEEP

*Auctioneer: Phil Jones*

825 cull sheep maintained their terrific trade of late, with ewes to average £152/head and the top 14 prices £200 plus. Top selling ewes an outstanding £337, for a pair of Texels from PC Jenkins, Abergavenny. TJ & E Vaughan, Devauden sold Texel ewes to £270 & £249, and numerous pens £215-£245, with those very strong Suffolk Mules £215-£225. Strong Mules £185-£195. Smaller and harder bred lowland ewes generally £160-£175.

The strongest Hill bred ewes into the £170's, with Cheviots to £179.50 from LK Levinge, Vowchurch; £178 from I Holland, Llanthony and also DTC & GB Evans, Cathedine; £177 from J Tamplin & Son, Machen. A big proportion of Hill ewes £140-£160, with small Hill ewes £110-£125, just a handful of very small or plain under £100.

Rams an incredible trade, top selling a record breaking £390/head!!, for a monster of a Texel tup from PC Jenkins, Abergavenny. Beltex tups to £264 from DG Davies, Llangadog. NC Cheviots to £261 from SB Whistance, Crucorney, 11 tups sold over £260/head. Welsh to £197 from PM Price, Merthyr.

Nanny Goats to £221, £216 & £190 from JW Lodge, Eldersfield.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	740	337.00	152.26
CULL RAM	76	390.00	162.97
WETHER	1	70.00	70.00
GOAT	8	221.00	171.00

### STORE SHEEP

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

106 store tegs continue to sell exceptionally well, a bunch of Texel X hoggs from Davies & Millichap, Tonyrefail sold to £155.50. several medium keep types £135-£145, the strongest Welsh to £135.50 and plenty of Welsh £115-£130. Very small Welsh £90-£100.

### COUPLES

74 Couples met plenty of enquiry. Top selling £365 for Continental X twins (£122/life) from I Clatworthy, Coedkernew, and £300 (£100/life) from DM Andrews, Llanllowell. Another good run from Willobank Produce, Barry saw twins to £295 (£98/life) & singles to £265 (£132.50/life).

### REARING CALVES (10am)

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

A simply 'electric trade' for an outstanding quality entry of well bred and well presented calves, probably the best entry and trade seen to date.

1 month old Blue X bulls to £980, with others at £950, £940 & £880 x 2, £780 x 2 & £750, all from AR Edwards & Son, St Brides Wentloog.

Heifers no less a trade with top selling of £800 from the same outstanding consignment. Friesians to £300 from Free To Choose, Abergavenny.

#### BULL CALVES

BRBX	1m	980	AR EDWARDS & SON
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BRBX	1m	940	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	880	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	880	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	780	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	780	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	750	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	680	KE & LRC EDWARDS
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#### HEIFER CALVES

BRBX	1m	800	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	670	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	650	AR EDWARDS & SON
BRBX	1m	580	KE & LRC EDWARDS
BRBX	1m	560	KE & LRC EDWARDS
BRBX	1m	560	KE & LRC EDWARDS
BRBX	1m	560	KE & LRC EDWARDS
BRBX	1m	550	KE & LRC EDWARDS

#### WEANED CALVES

Weaned calves to £700 for BRBX heifers from EH Leyshon, Neath.

#### **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*

7 outfits today to a much livelier trade than last week. Top selling of £4400 for a BRB X heifer (31m) & her Limousin X bull calf (24d) from Charlotte Edwards, Tredomen, with another from the same home at £3500.

Messrs Williams & Wigley, Merthyr Tydfil sold 3 good Hereford X outfits, topping at £4200 for a 29 month heifer & her BSH heifer calf (25d), with others at £3900 & £3500. L West, Grosmont sold 2 outfits at £3600 apiece.

#### FEEDING/BREEDING BULLS

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

Only 2 forward, with a 5 month Limousin (320kg) selling to £1260 from D Connor, Newport.

#### STIRKS/YOUNG STORES

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

114 young stores to meet a sharper trade on the week with more buyers present.

Top selling steers £1990 & 483.1p/kg to average £1432.32 & 401.10p/kg, with Heifers topping at £1720 & 516.9p/kg, to average (£1256.38 & 393.89p/kg).

Top selling at £1990 from HP Griffiths, Bridgend selling a 13 month Lim X (525kg). Hale Bros, Newport sold to £1840 (LimX-13m), with WG Davies & Son, Hirwaun topping at £1820 with 12 month Lim crosses (390kg-466.7p/kg).

Best of a large entry of Natives from WJP Jenkins, Manmoel selling a 12 month Angus steers at £1820 (470kg). RP Goatman, Chepstow sold 12-13 month Lim steers (405kg) also at £1820.

Heifers topped at £1720 for 2 Lim crosses (12m-397kg) from WDG Jones & Son, Erwood.

WG Davies & Son, Hirwaun sold a Lim X heifer (12m-445kg) also at £1720, with CS & NE Smith, Llanwenarth topping at £1580. Angus heifers from WJP Jenkins sold to £1530 (12/13m-425kg), with others to £1470.

#### Top Prices per Head (Steers)

	Breed	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>	LIM X	13m	525.0	1990	HP GRIFFITHS
	LIM X	13m	490.0	1840	HALE BROS
	LIM X	12m	390.0	1820	WG DAVIES & SON
	AA	12m	470.0	1820	WJP JENKINS
	LIM X	13m	405.0	1820	RP GOATMAN
	LIM X	13m	420.0	1770	MT DIFFORD
	CHX	10m	430.0	1710	DW PERROTT
	AA	20m	425.0	1700	HALE BROS
	AA	12m	395.0	1680	WJP JENKINS

#### Top Prices per Kilo (Steers)

	Breed	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>	LIM X	11m	325.0	483.1	WG DAVIES & SON
	LIM X	13m	315.0	469.8	CS & NE SMITH
	LIM X	12m	390.0	466.7	WG DAVIES & SON
	LIM X	13m	405.0	449.4	RP GOATMAN
	LIM X	12m	362.5	446.9	RP GOATMAN
	CHX	8m	337.5	438.5	HALE BROS
	SMX	10m	280.0	432.1	DJ & TE WILLIAMS
	CHX	8m	317.5	428.3	HALE BROS
	LIM X	13m	380.0	423.7	KT & VJ LEWIS

#### Top Prices per Head (Heifers)

	Breed	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
<b>HEIFERS</b>	LIM X	12m	397.5	1720	WDG JONES & SON
	LIM X	12m	445.0	1720	WG DAVIES & SON
	LIM X	13m	390.0	1580	CS & NE SMITH
	AA	13m	425.0	1530	WJP JENKINS
	LIM X	13m	380.0	1530	MT DIFFORD
	LIM X	13m	400.0	1510	KT & VJ LEWIS
	LIM X	12m	337.0	1480	WG DAVIES & SON
	AA	12m	405.0	1470	WJP JENKINS
	AA	12m	425.0	1470	PM JAMES

**Top Prices per Kilo (Heifers)**

	Breed	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
HEIFERS	CHX	11m	228.3	516.9	DJ COONICK
	LIM X	13m	316.3	442.6	CS & NE SMITH
	LIM X	12m	337.0	439.2	WG DAVIES & SON
	LIM X	12m	397.5	432.7	WDG JONES & SON
	CHX	9m	277.5	432.4	CP PHILLIPS & CO
	LIM X	10m	305.0	426.2	MT DIFFORD

**STORE CATTLE**

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

A short entry of 90 stores sold to an improved trade on the week.

Steers sold to £2330 & 436.1p/kg to average £1834.19 & 371.68p/kg, with Heifers selling to £2260 & 417.5p/kg to average £1499.33 & 355.28p/kg.

Forward Steers sold to a strong trade with top selling from MT & DR Watkins, Abergavenny with a 23 month Charolais steer (655kg-353.7p/kg). HP Griffiths, Bridgend sold a forward 25 month BRBX steer at £2210 (585kg), with a Limousin steer also from MT & DR Watkins at £2200 (22m-570kg).

Best of a strong run from RG & MA Williams, Nash selling at £2010 for 28 month Lim X steers (560kg). A 31 month MRI steer from R Keyte, Newport sold to £1990 (725kg).

Younger cattle topped at £1980 for a 16 month Angus from CA Powell & Partners, Penpergw, selling others at £1920 (CHX-16m), and 468kg, with 16m Angus steers (522kg) from DM & CJ Farmer, Painscastle at the same money.

Heifers topped at £2260 for a 28 month Charolais (605kg) from A Preece, Bargoed, with HP Griffiths, Bridgend selling to £2200 (BRBX-25m).

DM & CJ Farmer, Painscastle sold a 17 month Charolais heifer (625kg) at £2150, with a Hereford X heifer from HP Griffiths AG £1940, and the same money for a 21 month Blue X heifer (600kg) from HT & J Lewis & Son, Pontyclun.

Topping per kilo at 417.5p/kg from Howells Partners, Bridgend selling a 25 month Limousin at £1670.

STORE CATTLE TABLES (£/HEAD)						STORE CATTLE TABLES (P/KG)					
STEERS						STEERS					
Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor	Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor
AA	1811	1560	1980	565.0	CA POWELL & PTNS	AA	364.5	350.4	371.4	420.0	R BUNFORD
			1920	522.5	DM & CJ FARMER				367.5	522.5	DM & CJ FARMER
			1910	525.0	MD ROBERTS				364.0	500.0	CA POWELL & PTNS
			1820	500.0	CA POWELL & PTNS	BRBX	382.6	357.6	395.5	442.5	RG & MA WILLIAMS
			1560	420.0	R BUNFORD				387.6	482.5	CA POWELL & PTNS
MRI	1990	1990	1990	725.0	R KEYTE				384.3	510.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS
BRBX	1888	1750	2210	585.0	HP GRIFFITHS				377.8	585.0	HP GRIFFITHS
			1960	510.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS				375.0	466.7	RG & MA WILLIAMS
			1870	482.5	CA POWELL & PTNS	CHX	400.5	355.7	436.1	387.5	HG VIMPANY
			1800	503.3	RG & MA WILLIAMS				410.3	468.0	CA POWELL & PTNS
			1750	466.7	RG & MA WILLIAMS				395.8	477.5	DJ WILLIAMS
			1750	442.5	RG & MA WILLIAMS				382.3	452.5	DJ WILLIAMS
AAX	1330	1330	1330	530.0	R KEYTE	LIM X	369.8	357.6	400.0	430.0	NICHOLAS PTNS

HEX	1355	800	1910	560.0	JN TURNER & SONS					386.0	570.0	MT & DR WATKINS
CHX	1879	1690	2330	655.0	MT & DR WATKINS					375.0	466.7	RG & MA WILLIAMS
			1920	468.0	CA POWELL & PTNS					365.0	515.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS
			1890	477.5	DJ WILLIAMS					358.9	560.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS
			1730	452.5	DJ WILLIAMS							
			1690	387.5	HG VIMPANY							
LIMX	1880	1720	2200	570.0	MT & DR WATKINS							
			2010	560.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS							
			1880	515.0	RG & MA WILLIAMS							
			1800	503.3	RG & MA WILLIAMS							
			1750	466.7	RG & MA WILLIAMS							
			1720	430.0	NICHOLAS PTNS							
HEIFERS						HEIFERS						
BRB	1660	1660	1660	447.5	NICHOLAS PTNS	BRB	370.9	370.9	370.9	447.5		NICHOLAS PTNS
AA	1640	1640	1640	496.3	CA POWELL & PTNS	BRBX	363.5	323.3	396.4	560.0		HP GRIFFITHS
BRBX	1804	1570	2220	560.0	HP GRIFFITHS				377.3	440.0		CA POWELL & PTNS
			1940	600.0	HT & J LEWIS & SON				365.1	430.0		HALOMARK LTD
			1870	520.0	HT & J LEWIS & SON				359.6	520.0		HT & J LEWIS & SON
			1710	485.0	A PREECE	HEX	318.2	264.2	359.8	411.3		JN TURNER & SONS
			1660	440.0	CA POWELL & PTNS				349.5	555.0		HP GRIFFITHS
HEX	1096	700	1940	555.0	HP GRIFFITHS	CHX	369.6	344.0	392.9	422.5		HG VIMPANY
			1480	411.3	JN TURNER & SONS				387.6	485.0		A PREECE
CHX	1666	1290	2260	605.0	A PREECE				381.9	442.5		JN TURNER & SONS
			2150	625.0	DM & CJ FARMER				379.7	345.0		CP PHILLIPS & CO
			1880	485.0	A PREECE				373.6	605.0		A PREECE
			1710	485.0	JN TURNER & SONS				372.1	430.0		JO & P JONES & SON
			1690	442.5	JN TURNER & SONS				358.3	360.0		JO & P JONES & SON
			1660	422.5	HG VIMPANY				356.7	392.5		JO & P JONES & SON
			1620	460.0	DJ WILLIAMS	SMX	372.0	369.8	375.0	320.0		DJ & TE WILLIAMS
			1600	430.0	JO & P JONES & SON				369.8	430.0		JN TURNER & SONS
SMX	1395	1200	1590	430.0	JN TURNER & SONS	LIM X	380.3	369.6	417.5	400.0		HOWELLS PTNS
LIMX	1358	1280	1670	400.0	HOWELLS PTNS				369.6	346.3		G & E DAVIES

## CULL CATTLE

**Auctioneer: Mike Davies**

11 culls maintaining a very strong trade despite the falling beef price. Top price on the day £2125 (720kg) for a Shorthorn X from BH & N Janes, Penrhos. Limousins to £2100 (665kg) from Parry, Williams & Bodily, Llandewi Skirrid. Herefords to £2070 from Hale Bros, Goldcliffe, with Simmentals to £1965 from the same home.

		Number	Max	Average
Beef	Grade One	5	2125	2036
	Grade Two	4	1765	1647
	Grade Three	1	1065	1065
Bulls		1	1410	1410

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