

WHITLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET.

TUESDAY 8TH JUNE 2010

PRIME LAMBS (676) A good entry of lambs was seen with the best continental types topping at 200p/kg with trade a little steadier than last week but similar to other livestock outlets on this day. The standard weight lambs being those between 39 and 45 kilos sold to an average of 186.21p/kg and £75.94/head with the overall market average at 183.26p/kg. All leading and top prices as follows:

PRINCIPAL PRICES:	TOP 10 P/KG	TOP 10 £/HEAD			
40.5k	Morgan, Myrtle Hill Farm	200p	48.5k	Johns, Carne Farm	£85.50
40k	Morgan, Syke Farm	200p	47k	Evans & Son, Clog-Y-Fran	£84.50
40k	Anthony & Fairclough, Ffynnon Goll	196p	47k	Howells, Cilrhedyn Bridge	£82.20
39k	James, Rose Park	195p	48k	Taylor, Upper Hill Moor	£82
38k	Rogers, Gilfachwen	195p	40.5k	Morgan, Myrtle Hill Farm	£81
39.5k	Thomas, Fferm Bryngwyn	194p	46k	Owen, Lan	£80.80
41k	Davies, Maesyrehydd	193p	43k	Johns, Carne Farm	£80.50
39k	Evans & Son, Clog-Y-Fran	192p	42k	Thomas, Fferm Bryngwyn	£80.50
39.5k	Davies, Maesyrehydd	192p	40k	Thomas, Syke Farm	£80
41.5k	Johns, Carne Farm	192p	44.5k	Williams, Blaenlliwe	£80

QUOTATIONS:

	Max. p/kg	Avg. /kg	Max. £/head	Avg. £/head	Overall market avg.
Light lambs (25.5-32k)	180.00	180.00	54.00	54.00	183.26p/kg
Medium lambs (32.1-39k)	195.00	178.78	76.20	65.41	
Standard lambs (39.1-45.5k)	200.00	186.21	81.00	75.94	
Heavy lambs (45.6-52k)	180.00	176.26	85.50	83.91	
Heavy lambs (52kg+)	155.00	155.14	83.00	83.00	

PRIME HOGGETS: A small selection of hoggets was seen with the best types topping at 131p/kg for 35 kilos from Davis, Lleinau; 129p for 36.50 kilos from Williams, Llwynonnill Fawr; 120p for 44 kilos from Bartlett, Wallace Farm; 118p for 46 kilos from Miles, Gwili Vale; 115p for 47 kilos from Jones, Blaengwyn Farm. Topping at £54.50 were 48 kilo hoggets from Evans & Son, Rhoslan Farm; £54.50 for 46 kilos from Miles, Gwili Vale; £54.50 for 50 kilos from Williams, Llwynonnill Fawr; £54.50 for 50 kilos from Whittal-Williams, Cwm Farm.

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	Max. p/kg	Avg. p/kg	Max. £/head	Avg. £/head	Overall market avg.
Medium hogs (32.1-39k)	131.00	130.79	47.00	46.23	129.89p/kg
Standard hogs (39.1-45.5k)	120.00	120.45	53.00	53.00	
Heavy hogs (45.6-52k)	118.00	112.86	54.50	54.50	

CULL EWES & RAMS (310): A fair entry of ewes and rams was seen with trade remaining at a steady level with the best types peaking at £88 from Nicholas, Dynaston, with other leading prices at £86 from Williams, Llwynonnill Fawr who also sold at £70; £83 from Jones, Llwynpiod who also sold at £79, £75 and £70; £79 from Bowen, Marsh Farm who also sold at £76; £79 from Cornock, Cefnydre Farm who also sold at £65; £77 from Davies, Rhydyfodrwydd who also sold at £73 and £64; £76 from Morgan, Upper Bletherston; £72 from Taylor, Upper Hill Moor; £71 from Jerman, Manor Farm who also sold at £67; £70 from Evans, Delfryn who also sold at £69; £70 from Phillips, Windsor Farm who also sold at £68; £70 from Parc-Y-Morfa Farms Ltd, Parc-Y-Morfa who also sold at £69. Rams peaked at £80 from Whittal-Williams, Cwm Farm; with others selling at £68 from Cornock, Cefnydre Farm; £50 from Phillips, Telpyn Farm; £40 from Thomas, Ffynnonau Gleision. Hoggets sold at £50 from Gilfach Farms Ltd, Gilfach Farm; £45 from Phillips, Telpyn Farm; £45 from Thomas, Ffynnonau Gleision.

CULL COWS: The best meated types were in good demand with the best types reaching a top of 110p/kg for a 585 kilo Limousin cow and £900 for a 920 kilo Limousin bull. The overall market average was at 92p/kg, top and leading prices as follows:

<u>PRINCIPAL PRICES:</u>	<u>TOP P/KG</u>
LIM 585k @ 110p	Vaughan, Dol-Y-Wawr
CH 705k @ 104p	Vaughan, Home Farm
BB 620k @ 100p	Hall, Brynbank
LIM (B) 920k @ 98p	Hall, Brynbank
FR 580k @ 97p	Vaughan, Home Farm
H/FR 620k @ 94p	Rees, Rhos

<u>TOP £/HEAD</u>
LIM (B) 920k @ £900 Hall, Brynbank
CH 705k @ £730 Vaughan, Home Farm
H/FR 730k @ £680 Rees, Rhos
LIM 585k @ £645 Vaughan, Dol-Y-Wawr
BB 620k @ £620 Hall, Brynbank
WB (B) 650k @ £595 Williams, Talybont

CALVES: The best beef calves topped at £235 for a BB heifer calf from Roberts, Brynaeron who also sold BB bull calves at £218 and a heifer at £185; £230 for a Limousin bull from Evans, Waterholmes Farm; £230 for a Limousin bull from Howells, Nantygof who also sold a Limousin heifer calf at £225. Dairy bred bull calves topped at £55 for a Friesian from Haycocks, Allt-Y-Bailey who also sold Friesian and Holstein Friesians at £50, £48 and £45.