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BRECON FATSTOCK SALE REPORT

TUESDAY 10TH APRIL 2018

"An excellent trade on all classes of stock at Brecon market - hoggets, lambs and cull sheep were really on fire."

Prime Hoggets (1277)

A larger entry of hoggets this week, selling to a *serious* trade from start to finish. It really was on fire, with a major deadweight firm coming to buy out of livestock system. Pen after pen of well meat hoggets sold over 305pkg. The overall SQQ may not look much but honestly it really was a serious trade considering the meat on offer. I keep stressing that meat is key to a solid trade and this is really showing. There are still far too many hoggets on offer which are TOO LEAN, please meat SELLS. I really don't know when this trade is going to stop - these prices have never been seen before. Topping at 327pkg was EE &AD Lewis, Lower Cwmttydu, for a pen of 42kg Texel X Ewe lambs, with the next being sold 325pkg for a pen of 41kg, with the mediums averaging 303pkg (£128.03). All weights were wanted and demand was strong throughout. The lighter hoggets were well sought after, averaging 281pkg topping 305.5pkg. Top price for pph was £169.05 with the over 52kg averaging 256.8pkg (£156.68). Once again Brecon has showed 1200 plus can be sold to an excellent trade every week. Our trade in Brecon is pounds and we mean pounds a head of neighbouring sale centres near and far. We have 8 strong buying support and we need larger entries every week.

SQQ 290PKG

8 Buyers in attendance

Prices were as follows

	<u>TOP</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>	<u>VENDOR</u>

SMALL (25-32kg)	£86.40 (270p/kg)	£78.39 (252.33p/kg)	AO & J Williams, Llwyncelyn
LIGHT(32-39kg)	£119.15 (305.5p/kg)	£101.60 (281.7p/kg)	EJ&GM&KJ Prothero, Llanfigan
MEDIUM(39-45kg)	£138.16 (327p/kg)	£128.03 (303.07p/kg)	HW Williams, Taldrym
LARGE (45kg +)	£160.68 (309p/kg)	£144.80 (296.68p/kg)	JT Abberley, Hemley Hall

Top Prices:

25kg-32kg

32kg	£86.40	AO & J Williams, Llwyncelyn
31.5kg	£80.33	WR Protheroe, Cwmdulas
31kg	£77.50	TD & HJ Price, Caesiencyn
30kg	£75.60	DRP Morgan, 243 Pontardulais
31kg	£74.40	MKJ & GR Morris, Gwernalltchw

32kg-39kg

39kg	£119.15	EJ&GM&KJ Prothero, Llanfigan
39kg	£117	F Farthing, Nant-Y-Moel
39kg	£116.22	WR Protheroe, Cwmdulas
38kg	£114.57	WR Protheroe, Cwmdulas
38.5kg	£113.19	Bowen Partners, Garth Fawr

39kg-45kg

44kg	£138.16	G Davies, Lan Farm
43kg	£137.60	TJE Jones, Lower Pendre
42kg	£137.34	EE & AD Lewis, Lower Cwmttydu
44.5kg	£137.28	MKJ & GR Morris, Gwernalltchw
45kg	£1137.25	AO & J Williams, Llwyncelyn

45kg-52kg

52kg	£160.68	JT Abberley, Hemley Hall
52kg	£156	TJE Jones, Lower Pendre
50.5kg	£152.76	DJ Powell, Neuadd Farm
52kg	£147.68	G Davies, Lan Farm
48kg	£147.36	TG & HM Williams, Slwch Farm

52kg+

69kg	£169.05	TD Hyslop, Lower Cwmclun
66kg	£168.96	EJ&GM&KJ Prothero, Llanfigan
61kg	£159.82	DJ Thomas, Cwmcamlais Isaf
63.5kg	£158.75	JT Abberley, Hemley Hall
62kg	£155	TD Hyslop, Lower Cwmclun

61 SPRING LAMBS

The same comments can be made for spring lamb trade as the Hoggets 'ON FIRE' very much in demand on all weights. An excellent entry of lambs were on offer with the price to reap rewards. Topping at 329p/kg for a pen of 40kg was Paul Amphlett leaving an average for mediums at 316.5p/kg. All classes of spring lambs are required every week as all our buyers are now asking for them.

SQQ 314PKG

Top Prices:

32kg	£88.32	PG Amphlett, Tawelfa
32kg	£87.68	DG Davies, Lan Farm
37.5kg	£117.38	AHJ Jones, Glandwr
38kg	£113.24	RW Jones, Lower Argoed
40kg	£131.60	PG Amphlett, Tawelfa
40.5kg	£130.61	AHJ Jones, Glandwr

Cull Ewes (365)

A much improved entry of ewes with two buyers commenting our trade has been the dearest he has every seen. We had a lot of hill bred lean ewes on offer this morning however they were still well wanted. Topping at £126 was PJ & TA Jones Tyisaf, with several pens sold over £105. The well bred heavy ewes averaged £97 and the light ewes £58. Why travel ewes past Brecon market when you can have the trade with us. Keep your ewes coming to Brecon for the best possible trade.

Overall average £70

Top Prices:

£126 PJ & TA Jones, Tyisaf Farm
£124 DG Davies, Lan Farm
£122.50 WTL Walters, Lower Pontgwilym
£122 PJ & TA Jones, Tyisaf Farm
£120 GA Dufty, Bryn Farm

Cull Rams (29)

Topping at £107 averaging £83.71

Brecon Sale of Horses, Ponies, Tack, Tools & Poultry
Saturday 14th April 10.30am – Entries taken on the day

Brecon Sale of Store Cattle, Cull Cows, Breeding Stock and Organic
Cattle

Friday 27th April 10.30 am

Entries are now invited for this sale entries close 18th April

Last sale attracted a full capacity of buyers for all types with a record
trade

Steers topped at £1420 (300p/kg) to average £1022 (232p/kg)

Heifers topped at £1350 (314p/kg) to average £921 (222p/kg)

Cull cows up to £1690 average 159p/kg, Cows & calves to £1880

More stock desperately needed to satisfy strong demand in Brecon

57 Acres & 67 Acres of Pasture Land available as a whole or in 2 lots
at

Scalding Farm, Llanstephan, Brecon

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