



## **BUILTH MARKET REPORT -FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2024**

**NO SALE FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST – SALE WEDS 21<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST**

### **PRIME LAMBS**

**Auctioneer – Greg Christopher**

**1,459 Spring Lambs** – A smaller entry with trade stronger and finished the week off on an excellent note. Heavy well fed lambs very good to sell with the 45-52kg averaging 310p/kg and £148.94. Lighter hill lambs just easing back to 270-280p/kg with more numbers starting to come forward. Heavy lambs to £162.50 (52kg) from JS & MS Kinsey, Box Farm, others to £161.80 (54kg) from H Davies and £160. Several pens 49kg plus trading £150-£160 with fed weight coming to excellent returns for August.

43-47kg lambs also good to sell, many trading £135-£145 with the smarter pens 310-320p/kg. Lambs topped at 327p/kg (48.5kg £158.50) from TW Price, Ty-rosser. 39-42kg lambs trading either side of 300p/kg, better bred and meat 305-315p/kg.

Just over 550 lighter weight lambs with more hill lambs on offer, cross-bred types 290-300p/kg, the better sorts 300-315p/kg. Hill lambs trading 265-280p/kg depending on meat, leaner sorts around 250p/kg.

Overall average of £122.13/head for all lambs sold.

**PRIME LAMBS AVERAGE 300.1p/kg**      **Top price £162.50 for lambs grading 52kg**

|                        | TOTAL<br>NO.s | LIGHT<br>25.5 – 32.0 |       | STANDARD<br>32.1 - 39.0 |       | MEDIUM<br>39.1 - 45.5 |       | HEAVY<br>45.6 - 52.0 |       | + HEAVY<br>52.1 - > |       |
|------------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
|                        |               | PREMIUM              | PRIME | PREMIUM                 | PRIME | PREMIUM               | PRIME | PREMIUM              | PRIME | PREMIUM             | PRIME |
| <b>PRIME<br/>LAMBS</b> | 1,459         | 310.0                | 272.8 | 317.0                   | 290.4 | 321.0                 | 306.1 | 327.0                | 309.6 | 305.0               | 293.1 |

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| <b>Vendor</b>   | <b>Kg</b> | <b>£</b> | <b>p/kg</b> | <b>Vendor</b>          | <b>Kg</b> | <b>£</b> |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|-------------|------------------------|-----------|----------|
| T W Price       | 48.5      | 158.50   | 327.0       | JS & MS Kinsey         | 52.0      | 162.50   |
| T W Price       | 48.5      | 158.00   | 326.0       | H Davies               | 54.5      | 161.80   |
| TI & SD Jones   | 40.0      | 128.20   | 321.0       | A J Abberley           | 52.5      | 160.00   |
| DB & EM Davies  | 43.5      | 139.00   | 320.0       | M E Thomas & Son       | 51.0      | 159.20   |
| TR & HM Goodwin | 42.0      | 134.00   | 319.0       | K A Hughson & Partners | 52.5      | 159.00   |
| RM George       | 40.0      | 127.50   | 319.0       | TW Price               | 48.5      | 158.50   |
| TI & SD Jones   | 37.5      | 119.00   | 317.0       | T W Price              | 48.5      | 158.00   |
| F M James       | 43.5      | 137.80   | 317.0       | M Drew & Son           | 51.5      | 157.80   |
| J Evans & Son   | 41.5      | 131.50   | 317.0       | S & GL Jones           | 50.0      | 156.80   |
| JCA Jones & Son | 43.0      | 136.50   | 317.0       | J Drew                 | 50.5      | 156.80   |

## **797 EWES/RAMS**

**Auctioneer – Rory Matthews**

A reduced entry of 797 cull sheep with trade much stronger than last Friday, albeit not the heights of a fortnight ago.

Strongest and heaviest ewes becoming less plentiful week on week which is typical for the time of year however still plenty of cross bred ewes trading £140 to £160 and up to £164 from J Evans & Son, Cefngast. Mules to £140 with several trading £110 to £130.

Leaner Mules and crossbreds £80 to £108 depending on frame and meat.

Hill ewes far easier sold on last week and up to £129 for a penful of Cheviots from KA Hughson & Partners, Welsh to £126 from JK & REM Davies.

Several stronger hill ewes £100 to £115, next step down £80 to £95. Smaller & plainer types more plentiful and the majority trading £50 to £75.

Very smallest £35 to £45 and not looking disadvantaged.

◆ **Average £81.54**

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**NO SALE – FRIDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST**

**(DUE TO BANK HOLIDAY)**

**NEXT SALE WEDNESDAY 21<sup>st</sup> AUGUST**

Weighing from 12 Noon

Selling at 4 p.m.

## **HEREFORD MARKET AUCTIONEERS**

### **CATTLE SALES :**

**THURSDAY 5<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER** - At 10.30am (Note new time) CATALOGUED  
SALE OF STORE CATTLE STOCK & FEEDING BULLS COWS & CALVES BARREN COWS  
cattle entries to the office by Wednesday of previous week at 12 noon Cattle catalogues will be  
available from the Thursday afternoon prior to the sale date.

**THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER** - At 10.30am (Note new time)  
CATALOGUED SALE OF STORE CATTLE STOCK & FEEDING BULLS COWS & CALVES  
BARREN COWS cattle entries to the office by Wednesday of previous week at 12 noon Cattle  
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## **BUILTH MARKET AUCTIONEERS – AUTUMN SALES FIXTURES 2024**

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| <b>FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> Aug)       | <b>1<sup>st</sup> Sale of Good under &amp; Breeding Ewes</b><br><b>Builth Wells Market – Sale to follow Primestock</b>                                                                           |
| <b>FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> July)     | <b>1<sup>ST</sup> Welsh Mule Ewes &amp; Ewe Lambs –</b><br><b>8,500 Head Sale at 10.30 am</b><br><b>(Society Sale) Hereford Market</b>                                                           |
| <b>THURSDAY 19<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> Aug)    | <b>1<sup>st</sup> Beulah Ewe Sale – 11 am</b><br><b>(Society Sale) Builth Wells Market</b>                                                                                                       |
| <b>FRIDAY 20<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> Aug)      | <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sale of Good under &amp; Breeding Ewes</b><br><b>Builth Wells Market – Sale to follow Primestock</b>                                                                           |
| <b>MONDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>                                                  | <b>N S A Ram Sale – Royal Welsh Showground</b>                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>TUESDAY 24<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> Aug)     | <b>Beulah Ram Sale – 11 am</b><br><b>(Society Sale) Builth Wells Market</b>                                                                                                                      |
| <b>THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER</b><br>(Entries close Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept) | <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sale of Speckles, Welsh &amp; Hardy Speckle</b><br><b>Ewes. – 11 am Builth Wells Market</b><br><b>Followed by speckle &amp; Welsh Ewe Lambs</b>                                |
| <b>TUESDAY 1<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> Aug)        | <b>Blue Faced Leicester Sale – 1 pm</b><br><b>(Crossing Club Sale) Builth Wells Market</b><br><b>Followed by Multi-Bred Ram Sale at 4p.m.</b><br><b>To include Show &amp; Sale of Welsh Rams</b> |
| <b>FRIDAY 4<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER</b><br>(Entries close Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct)         | <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sale of Good under &amp; Breeding Ewes</b><br><b>Builth Wells Market – sale to follow primestock</b>                                                                           |