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THE BRECON & RADNOR SUCKLED CALF REARERS LTD SOCIETY SALE
SHOW & SALE OF WEANED CALVES & YOUNG STORE CATTLE

McCartneys report an entry of 379 weaned calves at Knighton Market Sale of weaned calves and young store cattle for the Brecon & Radnor Suckled Calf Rearers Society Prize Show and Sale on Wednesday 1st November 2017.

The prize classes were kindly judged by Mr Mike Guilding of Upton on Severn and results were as follows:-

<u>Class 1</u>	<u>Champion Animal</u>
Lot 32	Limousin X Steer from A Rowlands & Sons, Noyadd Fach 270 kg £940
<u>Class 2</u>	
<u>Best Steer</u>	Lot 32 Limousin X Steer from A Rowlands & Sons, Noyadd Fach 270 kg £940
<u>Best Heifer</u>	Lot 54 Limousin X Heifer from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner 320 kg £740
<u>Class 3</u>	<u>Vendor of Best Group of 4 or more Steers sold for the highest pence per kilo</u>
Lot 45	6 x Charolais X Steers from T L Harris, The Hendre 225 kg £760 (337 ppk)
	<u>Vendor of Best Group of 4 or more Heifers sold for the highest pence per kilo</u>
Lot 30	9 x Salers X Heifers from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog 250 kg £700 (280 ppk)
<u>Class 4</u>	<u>Best Pair of Steers OR Heifers</u>
Lot 55	2 x Limousin X Heifers from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner 295 kg £855 (290 ppk)
<u>Class 5</u>	<u>Best Group of 4 or more Cattle Sired by a Limousin Bull</u>
Lot 34	4 x Limousin X Heifers from A Rowlands & Sons, Noyadd Fach 305 kg £860 (282 ppk)
<u>Class 6</u>	<u>Best Group of 4 or more Cattle Sired by a Charolais Bull</u>
Lot 21	10 x Charolais x Steers from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog 320 kg £855 (267 ppk)

A yard of quality cattle met a strong trade. Weaned steer calves averaged 261.44 pence per kilo and £791.23 per head, selling to 348 pence per kilo for the Champion steer, 270 kilo Limousin X Steer calf to £940 from A Rowlands & Son, Noyadd Fach. Also to 338 pence per kilo for six 225 kilo Charolais X Steer calves to £760 per head from T L Harris, Hendre. 318 pence per kilo for a 285 kilo Limousin X Steer calf to £905 from A Rowlands & Son, Noyadd Fach. 313 pence per kilo for two 235 kilo Limousin Steer calves to £735 per head from A Rowlands & Son, Noyadd Fach. 308 pence per kilo for eleven 260 kilo Charolais X Steer calves to £800 per head from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog. 306 pence per kilo for a 310 kilo Charolais X Steer calf to £950, also being top prize per head, from DWR Reynolds & Son, Rhydycwm. 303 pence per kilo for both a 300 kilo Charolais X Steer calf from H N Hodnett & Son, Brookhouse, and a 300 kilo Limousin X Steer calf from AA & MG Wozencraft, Glanalders, both to £910. 289 pence per kilo for ten 280 kilo Charolais C Steer calves to £810 per head from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog. 288 pence per kilo for two 260 kilo Charolais X Steers to £750 per head from J Bright & Son, Upper House.

Other top prices per head included £946 per head for three 460 kilo Charolais X Steers from J L Jones & Partners, Llanrhys. £905 per head for both a 345 kilo Charolais X Steer calf from W J Barnett & Son, Rhuvid and a 395 kilo Limousin X Steer calf from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner.

Weaned heifer calves averaged 241.07 pence per kilo and £675.34 per head, selling to 336 pence per kilo for a 220 kilo Limousin X Heifer calf to £740 from A A & M G Wozencraft, Glanalders. Also to 324 pence per kilo for a 250 kilo Charolais X Heifer calf to £810 from T L Harris, Hendre. 308 pence per kilo for a 300 kilo Limousin X Heifer calf to £925, also being top prize per head, from A A & M G Wozencraft, Glanalders. 290 pence per kilo for both a 310 kilo Limousin X Heifer calf to £900 from E R Harris, Pantycaragle and two 295 kilo Limousin X Heifer calves to £855 per head from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner. 280 pence per kilo for nine 250 kilo Saler X Heifer calves to £700 per head from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog. 272 pence per kilo for a 290 kilo Limousin X Heifer calf to £790 from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner. 266 pence per kilo for twelve 280 kilo Charolais X Heifer calves to £745 per head from C R Thoma, Bryndraenog. 263 pence per kilo for two 270 kilo Limousin X Heifer calves to £710 per head from A A & M G Wozencraft, Glanalders.

Top price per head also of £925 for a 320 kilo Limousin X Heifer calf (289ppk) from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner. £810 per head for ten 315 kilo Charolais X Heifer calves from C R Thomas, Bryndraenog. £800 per head for three 325 kilo Limousin X Heifer calves from J T & J E Lloyd, The Corner.

Knighton Market next Special Sale of Weaned Calves, Young Store Cattle and Young Bulls is Tuesday 14th November 2017. Catalogue entries close Monday 6th November 2017 at 5pm.

Top prices for Steers, Heifers and Bulls of various weights as follows:

STEERS

220kg Lim £620 (317.00), 225kg Char £760 (338.00), 235kg Lim £735 (313.00), 255kg Char £730 (286.00), 260kg Char £800 (308.00), 270kg Lim £940 (348.00), 275kg Lim £690 (251.00), 278kg Char £790 (284.00), 280kg Char £810 (289.00), 285kg Lim £905 (318.00), 290kg Lim £740 (255.00), 295kg Char £800 (271.00), 300kg Char £910 (303.00), 300kg Lim £910 (303.00), 305kg Lim £860 (282.00), 310kg Char £950 (306.00), 315kg Lim £840 (267.00), 320kg Char £855 (267.00), 330kg Lim £865 (262.00), 340kg Char £820 (241.00), 345kg Char £905 (262.00), 350kg Lim £845 (241.00), 360kg Char £820 (228.00), 370kg Lim £795 (215.00), 375kg Char £855 (228.00), 380kg Saler £710 (187.00), 385kg Char £840 (218.00), 395kg Lim £905 (229.00), 415kg Char £870 (210.00), 460kg Char £945 (205.00).

HEIFERS

207kg Char £500 (242.00), 220kg Lim £740 (336.00), 230kg Char £595 (259.00), 240kg Char £595 (248.00), 245kg Lim £630 (257.00), 248kg Char £605 (244.00), 250kg Char £810 (324.00), 265kg Lim £680 (257.00), 268kg Char £650 (243.00), 270kg Lim £710 (263.00), 275kg Char £610 (222.00), 280kg Char £745 (266.00), 285kg Char £655 (230.00), 290kg Lim £790 (272.00), 295kg Lim £855 (290.00), 300kg Lim £925 (308.00), 305kg Lim £695 (228.00), 310kg Lim £900 (290.00), 315kg Char £810 (257.00), 320kg Lim £925 (289.00), 325kg Lim £800 (246.00), 330kg Char £780 (236.00), 335kg Cont £720 (215.00), 340kg Char £690 (203.00), 380kg Char £740 (195.00), 385kg Char £735 (191.00).