

BALWEN WELSH MOUNTAIN SHEEP SALE

The Official Sale was held for the first time at the Monmouthshire Livestock Centre, Raglan.

Topping the sale at 740gns was a smart shearling ram from local breeders M & PA Groucott, Hafodyrynys, and purchased by R Howells, Newcastle Emlyn.

An Aged ram from GG Jones, Caio sold at 400gns to vendors DE & DM Jones, Llandeilo. G & S Bowden, Neath sold a shearling ram at 370gns to M Jones, Gwynedd, with another shearling ram at 330gns from H & M Williams, Llanwrda taken by vendors J & ME Price, Craswall.

A senior ram from DE & DM Jones sold at 300gns to G Owen, Haverfordwest.

Topping the ram lambs at 180gns was one from C Morgan, Carmarthen and purchased by Foxhole Enterprises, Drayton.

Females sold to a flying trade topping at 370gns from GW & MM Jones, Pencader, with another from the same home at 360gns, both taken by R Howells, Newcastle Emlyn. A shearling ewe from H & M Williams, Llanwrda made 350gns to M Jones, Gwynedd, who also purchased at 280gns from DE & DM Jones, and 270gns from M & PA Groucott.

Two ewe lambs sold at 290gns from GG Jones, Caio to H Jones, Abergele and from GW & MM Jones, Pencader to J Evans, Abergavenny.

AVERAGES:

	Max	Ave
4 Flock ewes	70gns	£44.63
19 shearling ewes	350gns	£170.21
37 ewe lambs	370gns	£146.72
9 older rams	400gns	£167.42
6 shearling rams	740gns	£334.25
6 ram lambs	180gns	£80.50

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