

The Welsh Half-Bred Sheep Breeders Association

✦ 70th Anniversary Sale ✦ Of 1175

Welsh Half-Bred Sheep

At the Vale of Clwyd Agricultural Centre,
Parc Glasdir, Ruthin LL15 1PB



Comprising of 495 Yearling Ewes & 680 Ewe Lambs

Wednesday 3rd September 2025

Sale at 11am Prompt

Dydd Mercher 3ydd o Fedi 2025

Arwerthiant yn brydlon am 11yb



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ST ASAPH LIVESTOCK AUCTION

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NOTE TO VENDORS

Unfortunately, no straw or bedding of any sort will be allowed at this year's sale in Ruthin Farmers Livestock Market. Please arrive as early as possible with your consignment to assist the smooth running of the sale at the market – The Market will be open from 6.30 a.m.

All sheep are to be penned at 9.30 a.m. to allow ample opportunity for inspection by buyers prior to the sale, which will commence at 11 a.m. prompt. Under no circumstances will any sheep be allowed to be penned after the commencement of the sale.

It is the responsibility of the Vendor to draw his/her ewes or lambs in even matching lots – failure to do so may make lots liable to rejection.

Members with more than one Lot in their consignment must mark each pen with a different mark.

All Vendors are requested to make contact with their buyers before leaving the sale and to assist wherever possible after the sale.

ALL SHEEP TO HAVE BEEN TREATED AGAINST SCAB WITHIN 21 DAYS PRIOR TO SALE

MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION

The cost of Life Membership is a single payment of £5 payable on joining and application forms may be obtained from:

The General Secretary:-

Bethan Jones
Jones Peckover,
The Row,
St Asaph
LL17 0LT

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The Welsh Half Bred Executive Committee have decided the following tag colours:

2024 -WHITE
2025 – PINK
2026 – BROWN
2027 – PURPLE
2028 – GREEN

70th ANNUAL SALE

Under the auspices of
The Welsh Half-Bred Sheep Breeders' Association

WEDNESDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER 2025

at 11 a.m. prompt.

CATALOGUE
of

1175

**WELSH HALF-BRED
SHEEP**

495- Yearling Ewes and 680 - Ewe Lambs.

All consigned by members of the above Association

at

**THE VALE OF CLWYD LIVESTOCK CENTRE
PARC GLASDIR
RUTHIN LL15 1PB**

NOTES TO PURCHASERS

The Welsh Half Bred Sheep Breeders' Association welcomes all purchasers to this official sale at The Vale of Clwyd Livestock Centre at Ruthin.

All sheep offered for sale at this annual fixture are the property of members of the Association.

The Welsh Half Bred Ewe (a Border Leicester Ram crossed with a Welsh Mountain Ewe) provides buyers with the best of both worlds, she inherits conformation from the Border Leicester and her mothering instincts, milkiness, hardiness and foraging ability from her Welsh Mountain Dam.

A good grassland Ewe, the Welsh Half Bred can produce quality prime lambs with any of the established terminal sire breeds.

COMMISSIONS – to purchase sheep will be accepted by the Auctioneers upon written instructions.

REMOVAL OF STOCK – hauliers will be in attendance and Auctioneers will be pleased to arrange transportation.

CATERING FACILITIES – the usual market canteen facilities will be in operation.

LOT NUMBERS IN THE CATALOGUE WILL BE DISPLAYED IN THE SELLING RING AND ALSO ANNOUNCED BY THE AUCTIONEERS. BUYERS CAN IDENTIFY LOT NUMBERS IN PENS FOLLOWING THE PEN NUMBERS ON THE RIGHT HAND SIDE OF THE CATALOGUE. EACH VENDOR WILL MARK EVERY LOT DIFFERENTLY.

Auctioneers Mobile Telephone Numbers

Peter Bullen – 07889 335077 Enquires

Sion Eilir Roberts – 07852 252371

Richard Lloyd – 07557 230777

Elfor Morris – 07867 977705

2025
PRODUCERS COMPETITION

YEARLING EWES

The Best Pen of 10 or more Yearling Ewes will receive the
DOUG BRERETON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY and an Engraved Cup.

ewe lambs

The Best Pen of 10 or more Ewe Lambs will receive the
FRANK GRIFFITHS PERPETUAL SHIELD and an Engraved Cup.

Commemorative Rosettes will be presented to the
1st 2nd and 3rd Prize Pen.

Judging will commence at 9am PROMPT

*Any vendors wishing to compete in the competition must have their
stock penned in the cattle pens provided by 9am.*

JUDGE

Mr Dai Powell

Henfryn, Abbeycwmhir, Llandrindod Wells

£25 Prize Money Best Pen of Yearlings
£25 Prize Money Best Pen of Ewe Lambs

Kindly Donated by The Border Leicester Sheep Breeders Association

Promptly at 11 a.m.

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Order Of Selling: The Sheep will be sold in the order of Catalogue which has been DRAWN BY BALLOT under the personal supervision of Mrs Olwen Jones, President of the Association.

Yearling Ewes

E. LL Roberts, Bryn Tan, Gwytherin, Abergele.

Flock No. UK713438

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| 1. | 25 Yearling Ewes | Pens 244 - 245 |
| 2. | 25 Yearling Ewes | Pens 246 - 247 |
| 3. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 248 - 249 |

**NB: Injections (Dectomax) Spot On.
Vaccinated (Bravoxin System).**

Gwyn Jones, Nant Gwyn, Eglwys Bach, Colwyn Bay.

Flock No. UK704900

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| 4. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 250 - 251 |
| 5. | 15 Yearling Ewes | Pens 252 |

NB: Dipped (Osmonds, Golden Fleece)

Eryl Jones, Ty Nant, Eglwys Bach, Conwy.

Flock No. UK704898

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| 6. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 253 - 254 |
| 7. | 18 Yearling Ewes | Pens 255 - 256 |

**NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece)
Vaccinated (Heptavac P Plus).**

G & T Lloyd Jones, Rhydonnen Isaf, Rhewl, Llangollen.

Flock No. UK705749

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| 8. | 30 Yearling Ewes | Pens 257 - 258 |
| 9. | 30 Yearling Ewes | Pens 259 - 260 |
| 10. | 30 Yearling Ewes | Pens 261 - 262 |
| 11. | 30 Yearling Ewes | Pens 263 - 264 |
| 12. | 15 Yearling Ewes | Pens 265 |

**NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece)
Vaccinated (Heptavac P Plus System x2).**

M & L Roberts, Bryn Yr Odyn, Llanferres, Mold.

Flock No. UK710024

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| 13. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 266 - 267 |
| 14. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 268 - 269 |
| 15. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 270 - 271 |

NB: Injections (Dectomax), Vectocert (Pour On).

Vaccinated (Heptavac P System)

Mrs Olwen E Jones, Walwen, Axton, Holywell.

Flock No. UK707253

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| 16. | 18 Yearling Ewes (UK705699) | Pens 272 - 273 |
| 17. | 28 Yearling Ewes (UK709189) | Pens 222 - 226 |
| 18. | 25 Yearling Ewes (UK705749) | Pens 230 - 233 |
| 19. | 25 Yearling Ewes (UK705749) | Pens 234 - 237 |

NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece)

Vaccinated (Heptavac P System)

I G Evans & Son, Halton Farm, Chirk, Wrexham.

Flock No. UK705699

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| 20. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 200 - 202 |
| 21. | 20 Yearling Ewes | Pens 203 - 205 |
| 22. | 16 Yearling Ewes | Pens 206 - 208 |

NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece)

Blue Tongue Vaccinated, Heptavac P System.

Ewe Lambs

E. LL Roberts, Bryn Tan, Gwytherin, Abergele.

Flock No. UK713438

23.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 215 - 217
24.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 218 - 220
25.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 169 - 171

**NB: Injections (Dectomax), Spot On.
Vaccinated (Bravoxin System).**

Gwyn Jones, Nant Gwyn, Eglwys Bach, Conwy.

Flock No. UK704900

26.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 172 - 174
27.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 175 - 177
28.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 178 - 180

**NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece).
Vaccinated (Scabivax) (Orf).**

I G Evans & Son, Halton Farm, Chirk, Wrexham.

Flock No. UK705699

29.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 181 - 183
30.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 186 - 188
31.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 189 - 191
32.	25 Ewe Lambs	Pens 192 - 194
33.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 195 - 197
34.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 138 - 140
35.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 141 - 143
36.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 144 - 146
37.	10 Ewe Lambs	Pens 147- 148

NB: Injections (Dectomax).

All the above Ewe Lambs are from a Closed Flock.

Hywel A Jones, Fron Ucha, Rhiwlas, Oswestry.

Flock No. UK706244

38.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 149 - 151
39.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 153 - 155
40.	20 Ewe Lambs	Pens 156 - 158

**NB: Injections (Cydectin LA), Ectofly Pour On.
Vaccinated (Heptavac P System).**

G & T Lloyd Jones, Rhydonnen Isaf, Rhewl, Llangollen.

Flock No. UK705749

41.	50 Ewe Lambs	Pens 159 - 163
42.	50 Ewe Lambs	Pens 164 - 168
43.	40 Ewe Lambs	Pens 116 - 120
44.	40 Ewe Lambs	Pens 124 - 127
45.	40 Ewe Lambs	Pens 128 - 131
46.	40 Ewe Lambs	Pens 132 - 135
47.	40 Ewe Lambs	Pens 94 - 97

NB: Dipped (Osmonds Golden Fleece)

Vaccinated (Heptavac P Plus x2)

******* END OF SALE *******

Conditions of Sale

1. All sheep have been entered by members of the Association on the prescribed form and are the progeny of Welsh Mountain Ewes and Pedigree Border Leicester Rams.
2. Decisions made by the Association's appointed officials at sale are final.
3. The highest bidder shall be the purchaser, and if any dispute shall arise between two or more bidders, the lot in dispute to be put up again at the sum last bid, or the Auctioneers may declare the purchasers.
4. The biddings to be ruled by the Auctioneers and shall not be less than £1.
5. No person shall retract a bidding without permission of the Auctioneers, who reserve to themselves the right of refusing a bidding and also the right of withdrawing and lot or lots from the sale.
6. The purchasers to declare their names and addresses and, if required, to pay the Auctioneers, or their Clerks the amount of the purchase money immediately on the fall of the hammer and in default of which the Lot or Lots shall be offered again and re-sold, and under no circumstances must any Lot be removed without first obtaining a pass from the Clerk. Persons who are not known to the Auctioneers and intend making purchases must bring a Banker's reference or other approved security for their satisfaction.
7. The Association, through the Auctioneers, reserve the right of deviating from the Catalogue either by amalgamation, dividing or withdrawing the lots prior to or during sale as circumstances may require: and also of deviating from the order of sale.
8. The Lots to be under the immediate care of purchasers, who must remove same at their own risk, on the day of sale, and no purchase shall be allowed to be removed from the premises during the time of sale nor until the whole of the purchase money is paid.
9. The Vendor guarantees sheep to be sound in mouth, udder and feet on day of sale. In the case of any complaint, buyers must notify the Auctioneer within 48 hours of the closure of sale in regard to cases of Foot rot and Orf and within 7 days of the sale in regard to teeth and udder. The decision of the Association shall be final.
Yearling Ewes must not show more than two broad teeth. Ewes of two-year old and over showing forward must be declared at the time of sale otherwise they may be returnable. No ewe shall have run with the ram prior to the Sale and Vendors will be held responsible if in default. A Vendor, having allowed a Wether Lamb to pass through the Sale and sold as a Ewe Lamb, will not be paid for the Lamb and the buyer will be refunded the amount paid by him for the Ewe Lamb, vendor losing all claims provided the Auctioneers are informed within fourteen days.
10. Upon failure of complying with the above conditions, the uncleared lots will be re-sold, either by Public or Private Sale, and the deficiency (if any) and all expenses attendant thereon shall be made good by the defaulters at this Auction, who shall have no claim for any surplus that may arise.
11. All entries are accepted subject to the foregoing conditions.
12. No set-off or deduction will, under any circumstances be allowed.
13. Under the Welfare of Livestock (Prohibited Operation) Regulation 1982 Short Tail Docking of Sheep, producers must take note that all female sheep must comply with this regulation which states that tails must be long enough to cover the vulva. Ewes or Ewe Lambs found to have tails which do not comply with the above regulation on the day of sale may be returned within one hour of the close of sale by the buyer.

FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL PURCAHSERS

Please complete this slip in BLOCK LETTERS on making your first purchase at this sale and hand to the Auctioneer's Clerk.

Name

Address

Postcode

Tel No..... Fax No.....

Mobile No

Email

Purchasers of Lot No.....

