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MOELOGAN FAWR

Key Sector: Beef, Sheep

The benefits of new heat detection technology on suckler herd performance and profitability.

FARM FACTS:

- Moelogan Fawr demonstration site is a 304-hectare (ha) upland holding farmed by Llion and Sian Jones.
- Moelogan Fawr rises from 1,000 feet to 1,500 feet and supports a beef herd of 100 suckler cows and 36 heifers and a flock of 1,200 ewes.
- Offspring from the spring-calving Stabiliser beef herd are all finished on-farm and sold direct to slaughter to ABP or Dunbia or liveweight at Mold livestock market.
- All lambs are finished off grass; to reduce inputs of purchased feed, a mixed herbal ley has been planted to finish lambs.

Farming Connect follow-on support	Details
E-learning - Short bite-sized interactive learning from the comfort of your own home, at a time convenient to you	Available courses include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) • Beef Herd Fertility • Colostrum & Calves • Farm Benchmarking • Feed Efficiency • Grassland Species • Grazing Systems
Face to face training - 80% funding support available towards animal health related courses	Available courses include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Cattle Foot Trimming • Better Livestock Handling for Increased Profitability • Calf Management, Health and Housing • Cattle Foot Trimming • Reducing Greenhouse Gases in a Livestock System • Introduction of Worm Control and Faecal Egg Counting for Sheep Producers • Safe use of Vet and Med • Safe Use and Application of Slurry
Surgeries - Fully funded one-to-one digital surgeries with an independent consultant/vet.	Topics include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nutrition • Soil and grassland management • Animal health issues
ICT Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video of webinar by Mocal available on the Farming Connect website. • One-to-one telephone or digital tutoring for those with basic ICT skills being held digitally or on the telephone • Basic ICT skills homeworking course available throughout the summer with telephone support from land-based colleges.
Advisory Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business planning • Fertility • Grassland management • Nutrient management planning • Feed rationing
Prosper from Pasture	Participation in the programme in order to implement better grassland management and review efficiency of utilisation.

