

# Daily UK Party Leaders Mentions

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## Nigel Farage

— no mentions today —

## Keir Starmer

Nothing else has worked – so **Starmer** and Reeves are finally telling the truth about Brexit | Rafael Behr

Guardian (Politics) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 05:00:56 GMT

It is the right way to go: leaving the EU has been a disaster. But refusing to admit it has cost Labour precious time and credibility The UK government is trying out a new Brexit stance, not to be mistaken for a change in policy. The shift is tonal. Previously, Keir Starmer and Rachel Reeves talked about Britain's deta

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/oct/22/keir-starmer-rachel-reeves-brexit-eu-labour>

Investment minister Jason Stockwood: I don't want to be political

City AM (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 05:00:00 +0000

Jason Stockwood insists he hadn't been angling for a plumb ministerial job before the call from Keir Starmer asking for him to be investment minister came six weeks ago. The serial entrepreneur and Grimsby Town Football Club co-owner had, instead, been moaning about the paucity of po

<https://www.cityam.com/investment-minister-jason-stockwood-i-dont-want-to-be-political/>

The axe will have to fall on Britain's runaway public spending

City AM (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 04:57:00 +0000

Rachel Reeves likes to insist that she will never play fast and loose with the public finances. It's a phrase she deploys quite often, not least when it looks as if the bond market could do with a bit of reassurance, and it means that she won't breach her cast iron fiscal rules.

<https://www.cityam.com/the-axe-will-have-to-fall-on-britains-runaway-public-spending/>

**Starmer's** digital ID cards won't work and will be costly, voters say

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 01:48:36 GMT

Focus groups carried out by pollster Lord Ashcroft found that voters of 'all political backgrounds' oppose the policy announced by the Prime Minister last month.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15214655/Starmers-digital-ID-cards-wont-work.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15214655/Starmers-digital-ID-cards-wont-work.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**Starmer's** digital ID cards won't work and will be costly, voters say - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Tue, 21 Oct 2025 23:04:24 GMT

Starmer's digital ID cards won't work and will be costly, voters say &nbsp;&nbsp;  Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMilAFBVV95cUxNeHUxbkVaVEt1WIRRa3R5S2dkVFFPTDRHQmFnT3IHQ0FRdmFackRhOWIPcmtYdUtaZm5mUEpiZWJjRkU2TGItU2E0UXNVd293Y0t3dlFsbENxVGhueE5YTEQ2UjIWMDBTUHFmX2tsbU1tX2tJSzdNV0RhaUdHc2pFS2NZZXJtR3ZoWVl4UUxiMlVGVDIs0gGaAUFVX3lxE5pTUJRZm5VMXJY>

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## **Kemi Badenoch**

Rachel Reeves plots '£2bn middle class tax raid' as economy 'spirals out of control'

Daily Express (Politics) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 07:55:00 +0100

Kemi Badenoch has claimed the Chancellor "lacks a backbone" and is "too weak to take the difficult decisions needed to build a stronger economy".

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2124360/rachel-reeves-plots-2bn-middle>

**Kemi Badenoch** 'caught red handed' trying to pass Tories off as ordinary voters in video

Daily Mirror (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 07:12:46 +0000

Kemi Badenoch has been mocked after sharing a clip showing her visiting a woman's home and talking about stamp duty - only for it to emerge that two people who took part are Tory councillors

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/kemi-badenoch-caught-red-handed-36110211>

Fresh triple lock fears as Rachel Reeves takes Britain to edge of 'national bankruptcy'

Daily Express (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 06:00:00 +0100

Kemi Badenoch rushes to defend vital protection for pensioners amid growing calls for policy to be scrapped

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2124245/kemi-badenoch-defends-triple-lock>

## **John Swinney**

— no mentions today —

## **Ed Davey**

Performance, not privilege, should determine success in financial services

City AM (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 04:21:00 +0000

Financial services leadership is still too dominated by a privileged few, says for Lord Mayor Vincent Keaveny When I served as Lord Mayor of London, I often heard the City described as a meritocracy. Yet, behind the polished façades and success stories, I saw the hidden barriers that still shape who truly gets ahead. T

<https://www.cityam.com/performance-not-privilege-should-determine-success-in-financial-services/>

Allica Bank makes major acquisition as it eyes £1bn SME lending goal

City AM (News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 00:00:00 +0000

Allica Bank is set to announce a fresh acquisition as the firm looks to beef up its lending capacity for small businesses, City AM can reveal. The digital bank has snapped up London-based fintech Kriya, which specialises in embedded finance and business loans. The takeover, set to be announced on Wednesday, marks

<https://www.cityam.com/allica-bank-makes-major-acquisition-as-it-eyes-1bn-sme-lending-goal/>

## **Rhun Ap Iorwerth**

— no mentions today —

### **Mary Lou Mcdonald**

Autumn Budget: JCB boss calls on Reeves not to do anything 'daft'

City AM (News) · Tue, 21 Oct 2025 23:01:00 +0000

The chief executive of JCB has called on Chancellor Rachel Reeves not to do anything 'daft' in her Autumn Budget which would deter inward investment. Graeme Macdonald, who leads the Staffordshire-headquartered manufacturing giant under chairman Lord Anthony Bamford, said he's 'not optimistic'

<https://www.cityam.com/autumn-budget-jcb-boss-calls-on-reeves-not-to-do-anything-daft/>

### **Gavin Robinson**

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