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Nigel Farage

War of words breaks out between Boris and Nigel over Russia, security and the economy

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 24 Sep 2025 23:03:16 GMT

Former Prime Minister Boris Johnson said he had 'serious concerns' about Reform UK leader Nigel Farage's stance on Russia.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15131441/War-words-Boris-Nigel-Russia-security-economy.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Labour must grab the microphone from Reform UK and stand up for true British values | Lucy Powell

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<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/sep/25/labour-reform-uk-deputy-labour-leader-nigel-farage>

Farage urges Bank of England boss to stop bond sales

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:49:55 GMT

Reform UK argues the sell-off, started in 2022, is pushing up the government's borrowing costs.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c3vz1q5k62eo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Boring Boris briefly becomes king of the world again – at least in his own head | John Crace

Guardian (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:27:57 GMT

Former prime minister was grateful for a 45-minute slot on the Harry Cole Saves the West YouTube channel this week Those we haven't loved. It's been quite the week for rightwing populists shooting their mouths off. Trolling the world. We've had Donald Trump at the UN. Rubbishing medical science by advising pregnant wom

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/boring-boris-johnson-briefly-becomes-king-of-the-world-again-at-least-in-his-own-head>

Argentinian president Javier Milei relaunches 'irrenunciable' claim to take control of 'illegally occupied' Falkland Islands from Britain in fiery UN speech

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:19:09 GMT

The firebrand Argentinian leader told the summit that his country's claim to the South Atlantic island was 'legitimate' and 'unrenouncable' - in a move that shocked a former Royal Navy boss.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15132581/Argentinian-president-Javier-Milei-falkland-islands-illegally-occupied.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Reform UK presses Bank of England governor over balance sheet losses

Financial Times (World) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:03:50 GMT

Nigel Farage and deputy call on Andrew Bailey to back development of cryptocurrency in 'very friendly' meeting

Tommy Fleetwood's manager wife Clare, 57, appears at the Ryder Cup to show him support after admitting criticism of their 23-year age gap makes her 'paranoid'

Clare was spotted alongside Shane Lowry's wife Wendy Honner at the Opening Ceremony at Bethpage Black, with the European WAGs in matching white outfits and waving European flags.

Boris Johnson brands **Nigel Farage**'s party 'extremely dangerous' as he rules out Reform move

Boris Johnson said Nigel Farage can't be trusted as PM with rising tensions in Eastern Europe

Nigel Farage urges Bank of England to welcome cryptocurrencies in talks with governor Andrew Bailey - as Reform leader also demands a change of course on quantitative easing - Daily Mail

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Farage presses Bank governor on cryptocurrency and quantitative easing

The meeting with Andrew Bailey was described as a positive engagement.

Reform UK must 'get rid of virtually' all regulators, says Nigel Farage ally

Arron Banks says rightwing populist party, if it wins power, should 'cut away' at civil service and roll back human rights laws

Farage steps up calls for Bank of England to halt bond sales

Reform UK leader presses governor Andrew Bailey over quantitative easing in meeting at Threadneedle Street Business live – latest updates The Reform UK leader, Nigel Farage, has stepped up calls for the Bank of England to halt bond sales and cut the interest it pays to UK banks, after a meeting with its governor, Andre

<https://www.theguardian.com/business/2025/sep/25/nigel-farage-bank-of-england-halt-bond-sales-reform-uk>

Starmer can't afford to wait for reckless Reform to implode

Financial Times (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 10:44:14 GMT

Farage's path to power is strewn with landmines planted by his own side

<https://www.ft.com/content/e8959ee0-8ccc-4227-9c14-a3f79551af44>

'We've taken our progressive voters for granted': Labour ex-minister – podcast

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 10:25:06 GMT

John Harris is joined by the Labour MP Lucy Powell, a former cabinet minister who is a running for deputy leadership of the party, to discuss why the government is failing to stem the surge in support for Reform and whether a change in tactics could help Keir Starmer take on Nigel Farage. Plus, how certain is the prime

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/audio/2025/sep/25/labour-lucy-powell-progressive-voters-politics-weekly-uk-podcast>

Argentinian president Javier Milei relaunches 'irrenunciable' claim to take control of 'illegally occupied' Falkland Islands from Britain in fiery UN speech - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 09:39:23 GMT

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMixAFBVV95cUxNYkdfNHUzMkNrcmxkcG1DWDFLTy1ncUJCVRHSM2M2c3BXS4k42OWk3VXZYR2UyS2ZSSndwSzZkT1FCMldBSWVwZWdzX0Y2Szd1Y3FFVFIGTHdhYVpGYXBPbXJlVnRRakUxTWxqWINBMEITSXNxeTh0cm1RYzd4cmNUa2ltQzVvazdsWE9pS1hEUGewbml0YTl0RkdGNW1MTmZzTThXZDI Zem9SYi1XZW9Ob2JXMUFRZEFYUkR2UDNVMM0NFVW1O0gHKAUFVX3lxTE9scFRjYnU2NVNoNmNmZHVyZUIqNmlUM3BsVUJxWlhGZEFnWFM1Ny1mUTIUCXJicVQzNDdqYklmczZDM3l0Y2xBa1ZUSUliek0wbzBiMktNeGRuaF9GMUdiQkJNYjQ4MmpaTk1kdUh3TUI3U1BpVUN2c0pKaUctejRhTGtRYIFmQjhvc0pzT3dfU3oyVjFJNkpIVUp1eXhSWC01TmxpdKZPYINPU0VJQnBISnBoYm84bElISWIHM0VZc3pfOHNVYU4xN2c?oc=5>

Farage confronts 'dinosaur' Bailey on Bank's independence

City AM (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 09:22:23 +0000

Reform UK's Nigel Farage and Richard Tice challenged Bank of England Governor Andrew Bailey on Treasury losses from quantitative tightening (QT) at a showdown meeting on Thursday morning, with market instability partly caused by the programme and stablecoins regulation raised as subjects of discussion. Farage and Tice

<https://www.cityam.com/farage-to-confront-dinosaur-bailey-on-banks-independence/>

Keir Starmer

'Divisive' **Keir Starmer** has NO plan for turning the UK around, rival Andy Burnham claims - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Wed, 24 Sep 2025 23:54:59 GMT

'Divisive' Keir Starmer has NO plan for turning the UK around, rival Andy Burnham claims Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMivgFBVV95cUxNekVON3cxa0xFWTAzMnFTOG1hYIRTSEJCbGI3T0VxSFI VbzM4NW93cE1wdkhMbZFLdTIyUGNRMmtRdGdJd015RIZZOG9ya3dmVFNwdjI2REg2Yjh1WUxETnpsR1BfRUR0NWNxQmhqVURzLUhCRIFQNDh3eWg2OXFBLVdfc3VTNUFXZHpQSzJhcmZKbVJMOWxDOU13SkIFX1dyM0lBeG9mVIJCS2RZZEtUmJRRePwQnRIY3dacXFR0gHDAUFVX3lxTFBMMHpadkZiX1Z1NXhlc53QWpLUHVTsfIFWTZvenI0V0FNRDJZNUVhWmZKTVY0bFJlZVIMWnpfSHVDailJN1VNMk4wTTJWSIRBcmllalphNWtLWFFhTlxOMVJCTUdtYm13VU9rdDNzMF9ybGFEdkVoUlpmQldkWUF4OUdIM2Vpd2Q5QnVMV2pDMzZ1ODRXLWsyd05BTEhzV1QxZ0>

[ZVUmVCOXFxU3ZNVm12S0cyZXkyNW1MVUY4RWVHLWdCVQ?oc=5](https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMiGgFBVV95cUxOVDI0WmJxcnRHTW45SIFGcFRQLXhVaXBJM3BaQmRvZ04yN2toVjZWTWZkQmxwOU1WejlzR1p0dXlvcXRfaDhlZFVvT1UxUUd2XzRNS000VTBwczlVbFRXVvY1aU9Zdk56V3FpMXNqUk1sM3ZGaUE5elRaOWFKdWIWaFJKOWIWSUw5d0phUTJ6NnR4bzZndzZXVdHb3BjRm9lQ3pHMEd5cnlxZ9lBrwFBVV95cUxPbFhMZmpmM2cweThiNkh5QWtRUKZjMm9FLUlhQ09iU3owY0F5Rmw0cW9vZ2hzVnpPX0VwRXFkcHdt25aZVNUQVFNZ0pzdWtuRnRiR1dRT3JycTU3T1hfWE5kdJJoUVVnVEp2dnFUR3FIN3Z3LVMzRXk0U3ZnU2FrcndVTUw1OWICX01qbzVUYW9Bck5lSmplUkVCOW5OSmZtcVdDVzldngzRVJrOG9N?oc=5)

Keir Starmer could face sleaze probe into claims he broke Commons rules over his relationship with top aide - Daily Mail

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Keir Starmer could face sleaze probe into claims he broke Commons rules over his relationship with top aide Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMiGgFBVV95cUxOVDI0WmJxcnRHTW45SIFGcFRQLXhVaXBJM3BaQmRvZ04yN2toVjZWTWZkQmxwOU1WejlzR1p0dXlvcXRfaDhlZFVvT1UxUUd2XzRNS000VTBwczlVbFRXVvY1aU9Zdk56V3FpMXNqUk1sM3ZGaUE5elRaOWFKdWIWaFJKOWIWSUw5d0phUTJ6NnR4bzZndzZXVdHb3BjRm9lQ3pHMEd5cnlxZ9lBrwFBVV95cUxPbFhMZmpmM2cweThiNkh5QWtRUKZjMm9FLUlhQ09iU3owY0F5Rmw0cW9vZ2hzVnpPX0VwRXFkcHdt25aZVNUQVFNZ0pzdWtuRnRiR1dRT3JycTU3T1hfWE5kdJJoUVVnVEp2dnFUR3FIN3Z3LVMzRXk0U3ZnU2FrcndVTUw1OWICX01qbzVUYW9Bck5lSmplUkVCOW5OSmZtcVdDVzldngzRVJrOG9N?oc=5>

Keir Starmer's top aide WAS told by electoral watchdog that donations had to be declared... But he kept gifts totalling £739,000 secret - Daily Mail

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POLL: Should all Brits have to carry a digital ID card?

Daily Express (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 16:01:00 +0100

A new era of identity verification is on the horizon as Prime Minister Keir Starmer prepares to unveil plans for the controversial 'Brit card'.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2113455/poll-should-britain-bring-id>

Starmer to announce plans for digital ID scheme

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:33:25 GMT

The prime minister believes a new scheme would help crack down on illegal working in the UK.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c4g54g6vgpdo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Every UK adult will need 'Brit card' digital ID under **Starmer** plan to tackle illegal migration

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:32:28 GMT

The prime minister will announce his backing for the scheme in a speech on Friday

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/digital-id-starmer-migration-brit-card-b2833633.html>

EVERY adult in Britain will need a Government-issued ID card despite backlash at **Starmer's** plan for a 'dystopian nightmare'

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:29:07 GMT

The idea of a mandatory identification system has long been advocated by Labour as a way to tackle illegal migration.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133629/Every-adult-Britain-need-new-Government-issued-digital-ID-card-n-ew-Keir-Starmer-plan.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Burnham claims he is 'completely committed' to his mayoral job as poll says Labour would overtake Reform UK under his leadership - UK politics live

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:27:06 GMT

Burnham says he loves 'everything about this job' and that he will support the Labour party 'in whatever way I can' Sweeney asked about Northern Powerhouse Rail, and reports it is being shelved again . Burnham said these reports were "disappointing". It feels always that projects in the southern half the country are gr

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/live/2025/sep/25/andy-burnham-steve-reed-keir-starmer-labour-news-updates-uk-politics-live>

Every adult in the UK will be ordered to carry digital ID in illegal migration battle

Daily Express (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:24:00 +0100

Sir Keir Starmer is said to have changed his mind on the proposals following pleas from senior figures including French President Emmanuel Macron.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2113428/ID-digital-migration-Labour-Starmer-crisis-Channel-boats-working>

Backlash from Labour MPs to Burnham leadership ambitions

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:18:50 GMT

The majority of Labour MPs contacted by the BBC say they are against Andy Burnham challenging Keir Starmer.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c70190e0p6yo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Starmer set to announce digital ID cards for all UK adults

Financial Times (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:18:13 GMT

Plans to toughen measures against irregular migrants come despite concerns over civil liberties

<https://www.ft.com/content/27113ae5-94f2-45b5-a8d7-0f977833d694>

Keir Starmer dealt huge blow as top spin doctor quits No 10 in latest exit

Daily Express (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:12:00 +0100

The PM's director of communications is the latest in a series of senior aides to leave Downing Street

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2113420/keir-starmer-steph-driver-quits>

Keir Starmer loses another trusted lieutenant as comms chief Steph Driver quits No10

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:10:57 GMT

Steph Driver, who worked for Sir Keir for five years in opposition before joining him in Downing Street , confirmed today that she was leaving, amid a shake up of the PM's team.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133645/Keir-Starmer-loses-trusted-lieutenant-comms-chief-Steph-Driver-quits-No10.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Starmer's head of communications Steph Driver quits in latest No 10 exit

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:10:09 GMT

Exclusive: Departure of key figure comes little over a week after that of director of political strategy UK politics – latest updates Keir Starmer's head of communications, Steph Driver, has announced she is leaving Downing Street, the latest in a series of trusted aides to the prime minister who have quit No 10 in rec

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/starmers-head-of-communications-steph-driver-quits-in-latest-no-10-exit>

Keir Starmer expected to announce plans for digital ID cards

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:04:58 GMT

Measure could be announced as soon as Friday as government looks for ways to tackle illegal immigration to the UK UK politics – latest updates Keir Starmer is expected to set out plans for every adult to have digital ID cards in an attempt to tackle illegal migration to the UK. The prime minister is likely to announce

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/keir-starmer-expected-to-announce-plans-for-digital-id-cards>

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Labour at war as Andy Burnham openly challenges **Keir Starmer** - but experts warns challenger's massive spending plan would spook bond markets and Reeves hits back

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:00:00 +0100

The elected Manchester mayor was told in no uncertain terms to stay up north and do his job after he used eve-of-conference interviews to lash out at the Prime Minister.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15132275/Andy-Burnham-Labour-row-MPs-WANT-oust-Keir-Starmer.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Netanyahu vows to denounce **Keir Starmer** for recognising Palestine as he sets off to address the UN in New York

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:56:10 GMT

Sir Keir Starmer made the move on Sunday 21 on the same day as Canada , Australia and Portugal, prompting a furious response from Israel which accused the countries of 'rewarding' Hamas terror.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133555/Netanyahu-vows-denounce-Keir-Starmer-recognising-Palestine-se-ts-address-New-York.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Keir Starmer's head of communications quits in fresh blow to PM

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:26:25 GMT

Steph Driver, who worked for Sir Keir for more than five years, becomes the latest high-profile exit from the PM's top team

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/starmer-labour-conference-steph-driver-b2833624.html>

Keir Starmer's head of comms Steph Driver quits in fresh blow to PM

Daily Mirror (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:20:15 +0000

Keir Starmer's top comms chief, Steph Driver, is leaving Downing Street in a fresh blow to the PM - she is the latest senior aide to leave No10 after a series of departures

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/breaking-keir-starmers-head-comms-35965678>

What is the Labour Together row and are there risks for **Keir Starmer**?

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 14:15:28 GMT

The Tories are calling for the standards commissioner and the police to investigate the Labour-aligned thinktank The Conservatives are urging Commons standards officials and the police to investigate money donated to the Labour Together group and whether Keir Starmer potentially benefited from it. So what is

the row ab

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/what-is-the-labour-together-row-keir-starmer-risks>

Every adult in Britain will need a Government-issued digital ID card under new 'dystopian' **Keir Starmer** plan - Daily Mail

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMi1gFBVV95cUxNcTc1Z290Nk1oMHJFM0NZTURzQVIdcXU4ZzRHcUQ2QjRENzRTYXBvM1RIN0IFRDBtRi9BcnlvQXNnUTZMbzJqWjIPaHI3SWIZYzhRS2dXTGFOMXhpUzFPbW9NUmp4b1dPb1NaMk5aUnVoc1hmUE16dHV0Uv8yNHNZZF5ZzNLNnA4VUllbzE3LVU3V0UxOFpMWGtrLUhYR010ZUo0WF9oZ3JyTjF1cFh1OE42Rm5QcHdydmVQT1JVcWxwbWIRSIQ5TkU3QWxmeUhGdmRRWmlR0gHbAUFVX3lxTE5PakpjeW1yQWNJQWwFc09uY1hmbDhadjRHaGplaDhCUzIGcGI4bXBIVi9QYzN6eFg5N2t6bVZZRWNHcmU5Tk1wYjY4UVd2YWwNOSIhINXZpSXBTSjFkemYzd2FVMTJLRXI2cXdBNFhTQWdOOHJiNnIFc3ZMRS05ZXhzbUdfa0FrTIB3ZnVT2Y1SjVmNWp5ZXBDMTV4MnRmZVBFBUM1NWJlaTRPcUN4ZjZhLXFBZE5XTWFVaVdjVUxyaDIRMi1ZTIJDeGpiTExaNTUyT2tGOE9zU3VvVQ?oc=5>

UK politics live: **Starmer** allies claim Burnham would be Labour's Liz Truss as leadership row deepens

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:23:54 GMT

Manchester mayor has accused Downing Street of creating a 'climate of fear'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/andy-burnham-starmer-labour-party-conference-latest-news-b2833375.html>

Starmer to announce more cash for neglected areas

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:07:18 GMT

The government says it will provide money for 330 communities as well as powers to block unwanted betting and vape shops.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c1mx8vr2gr1o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Starmer v Burnham - 'The knives are out, but whose back will they end up in?'

Daily Mirror (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:05:18 +0000

As Labour activists head to party conference, they're faced with a choice, says Fleet Street Fox. If Stumbling Starmer doesn't pick up his feats, the Mayor with the Hair will be coming for him

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/starmer-v-burnham-the-knives-35964573>

Liz Truss has internet in stitches with ill-advised attack on Andy Burnham

Daily Mirror (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:00:24 +0000

Liz Truss responded to reports that Keir Starmer's allies believe rival Andy Burnham would be the Labour equivalent to her by saying 'He should be so lucky'

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/liz-truss-internet-stitches-ill-35964726>

Crown court backlog in England and Wales hits new record of almost 80,000 cases

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:59:22 GMT

Ministry of Justice data shows 10% increase in open cases as waiting times for trial dates reach up to four years UK politics – latest updates The crown court backlog in England and Wales has risen by 10% to a new record of almost 80,000 cases, while wait times for trial dates have reached up to four years. Figures fro

<https://www.theguardian.com/law/2025/sep/25/crown-court-england-wales-law-justice-politics>

Andy Burnham calls for two-child benefit cap to be axed in direct challenge to **Keir Starmer**

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:41:45 GMT

Greater Manchester mayor has said Labour MPs are urging him to challenge Keir Starmer for the leadership

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/andy-burnham-keir-starmer-two-child-benefit-b2833525.html>

Labour leadership up to the party, says Burnham

BBC (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:38:02 GMT

Andy Burnham tells the BBC Labour MPs have privately urged him to challenge Sir Keir Starmer to be PM.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c7v1m873mjyo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Andy Burnham shares key aim for Labour amid party leadership speculation

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:28:35 GMT

Andy Burnham has revealed his key focus for Labour amid mounting speculation that the Manchester mayor could challenge Sir Keir Starmer for party leadership.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/tv/news/andy-burnham-starmer-labour-reform-video-b2833482.html>

Tory candidates must pledge support for leaving ECHR or stand down, says Jenrick

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:21:20 GMT

Shadow justice secretary demands prospective MPs sign contract saying they stand for 'Conservative values' UK politics – latest updates Robert Jenrick has demanded that prospective Conservative candidates should either promise to support leaving the European convention on human rights or stand down. As the party contin

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/tory-candidates-must-pledge-support-for-leaving-echr-or-stand-down-says-jenrick>

Andy Burnham launches thinly veiled bid to replace **Keir Starmer**

Financial Times (World) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:27:14 GMT

Labour mayor for Greater Manchester outlines plans including tax increases for wealthy and nationalisation of key industries

<https://www.ft.com/content/7b4a26ec-281e-4936-a1db-875add1f927e>

What lessons can **Starmer** learn from world leaders on fighting Reform?

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:25:24 GMT

On economic and immigration issues, many international leaders are trying to work out how to combat the rise of the populist right.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c3w5703yn77o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Burnham: 'It's not up to me, it's not my decision' on **Starmer** comments

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:18:33 GMT

Andy Burnham is asked about his interview in the Daily Telegraph, in which he said Labour MPs were asking him privately to challenge the prime minister.

https://www.bbc.com/news/videos/cy9n5zzqw3zo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Andy Burnham on MPs urging him to challenge **Starmer**

BBC (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:15:43 GMT

Burnham said the Labour government needed a "proper plan for the country", including one to beat Reform UK.

https://www.bbc.com/news/videos/cm2zv67g4vmo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

POLL OF THE DAY: Would Andy Burnham be a better prime minister than Sir **Keir Starmer**?

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:13:13 GMT

Andy Burnham says MPs are privately urging him to challenge Sir Keir Starmer for the Labour leadership, fuelling speculation he could be seeking a Westminster return.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15132589/POLL-Andy-Burnham-better-prime-minister-Keir-Starmer.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

POLL OF THE DAY: Would Andy Burnham be a better prime minister than Sir **Keir Starmer**? - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 11:00:46 GMT

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMiqwFBVV95cUxQbnBCWVcwQnZVNmNnVHJVUFBIZGJuNnhnekxpVVhISHhSQkFPZ3NyS3ZhWEg5OVV2OHUzRnd3TjkycU42TU1JZ1RTakRyQkFDtG9oQUIhMzdyaTdVWUxjQnZFa2o4WEwzNI8yMk1uMUxYdUtleWtvR001SIRNTUNiWVdXb2F5QTIRanZCTWxEYnpYQTd0eFBMZkxWVDZFRkN4SIQ4b01DWfZheTjSABABQVVfeXFMTXNWTjdiY0trbmJtYm9BNEQyRm56TmxSUl9nVW1IR3VSeUp1RXNBW11QTmVYaFVibjNMNGxkY0EtbFltbDc0QWkxGjJWWJWYlc2cmxTQXc0dDZxNUhuSVhVVIY1M3VvR1BSSmlhUIRNeNnQWExHVUc2OFNKY0dPSW5sZmlPZERTRHFYTXN1WnoxTlpaTNVdlBSnVUamdGaTVPUetsUXY4YVNnTXdEYUg?oc=5>

Starmer can't afford to wait for reckless Reform to implode

Financial Times (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 10:44:14 GMT

Farage's path to power is strewn with landmines planted by his own side

<https://www.ft.com/content/e8959ee0-8ccc-4227-9c14-a3f79551af44>

Burnham says MPs are privately urging him to challenge **Starmer** for Labour leadership

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 10:40:25 GMT

Greater Manchester mayor accuses Downing Street of creating a 'climate of fear' and says wholesale change is required UK politics – latest updates Andy Burnham has said Labour MPs are privately urging him to challenge Keir Starmer to become prime minister but any such move would have to be "more than a personality contest"

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/sep/25/andy-burnham-mps-challenge-starmer-labour-leadership-prime-minister-greater-manchester-mayor>

'We've taken our progressive voters for granted': Labour ex-minister – podcast

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 10:25:06 GMT

John Harris is joined by the Labour MP Lucy Powell, a former cabinet minister who is running for deputy leadership of the party, to discuss why the government is failing to stem the surge in support for Reform and whether a change in tactics could help Keir Starmer take on Nigel Farage. Plus, how certain is the prime

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/audio/2025/sep/25/labour-lucy-powell-progressive-voters-politics-weekly-uk-podcast>

Henry Zeffman: Burnham's provocative challenge to **Starmer** shows he is serious

BBC (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 09:50:48 GMT

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cx275r1l3xpo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Independent (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 08:40:32 GMT

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/starmer-benefit-cap-two-child-b2833343.html>

Independent (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 07:48:53 GMT

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/immigration-small-boats-france-asylum-seeker-one-in-out-b2832987.html>

Independent (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 07:46:45 GMT

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/andy-burnham-manchester-labour-prime-minister-b2832853.html>

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 07:08:21 GMT

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMiqAFBVV95cUxOcWptSDI1Y1YTnN0T3VFOHJTtKZNVmpCU2RRS3RnYXRSRFpMdTJsYXhUNjBMdjNed1RQRzN0QkljbktSXM1NEZEQ0VyWHQtaHhGU1g3SHAxVWpVU2pyVVQ05dnR3dDZNOUE3amN0V2N2WIBHZ2VXU0FIM3R2UGdjV1pzbkpKamJ1bXkBUGh2NnZOYnRGWmFzTWwVWjUzRkx5QUURka2tzbEXSAa4BQVVfeXFMTmNNZF9uWHhGRGZYVvk1GcjJZnZQbDZLajk3WHJvUUIwX2Zia1hVWTR2Mmotb21sVzJkV19zYjZTNIJTOXIWYVdfSy1TRW1fX1FMRktDTTnieIN2MW5odUxRSII0OFhmQ1BGMFJxUmRZeWxlcmtdOTJVSIEEZxpHc3FtSkVfYnhYNnRXU2RjOUZuLXpYZmJOZkphTmFDb0NRTHVRc1ZkSkkyR3NsaGRB?oc=5>

Guardian (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 07:00:32 GMT

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/sep/25/jeremy-corbyn-zarah-sultana-britain-your-party>

Guardian (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 04:00:27 GMT

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/sep/25/special-relationship-snake-trump-keir-starmer>

Keir Starmer's top aide WAS told by electoral watchdog that donations had to be declared... But he kept gifts totalling £739,000 secret

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 03:24:02 GMT

Records show Morgan McSweeney was told explicitly in November 2017 that donations to his Labour Together think-tank were covered by electoral law and had to be declared.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15131325/Keir-Starmer-aide-donations-declared-gifts.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

DAN HODGES: **Starmer's** hiding, but McSweeney scandal is not going away - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 00:41:05 GMT

DAN HODGES: Starmer's hiding, but McSweeney scandal is not going away Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMipwFBVV95cUxPMGh5T3d5bVdnTUJtZHzyWGRvUTdsWVRhRmhCLURGbNbnZExwREt3bVgzUWJpNTIFMXZiV1dUN2w0d0JZNFRPUK9PcXIVbWtmMUJnTFhzdmlzcUg3X2pBQmJ3cDZX0d3WI9qa2hVMIExWThkd3g5MjJ0aDVxUzFaSmhoVHB6YnFSekI4MW5kb0tsTU9GTmluSFVvYTNIVmt1dmVXMk9PQ?oc=5>

Kemi Badenoch

— no mentions today —

John Swinney

STEPHEN DAISLEY: **Swinney** serves up more waffle than an all-night diner in Texas

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:04:45 GMT

'This is Scotland's first ever Innovation Week,' Russell Findlay told the chamber.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133729/STEPHEN-DAISLEY-Swinney-serves-waffle-night-diner-Texas.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

STEPHEN DAISLEY: **Swinney** serves up more waffle than an all-night diner in Texas - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (john swinney) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:00:26 GMT

STEPHEN DAISLEY: Swinney serves up more waffle than an all-night diner in Texas Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMirwFBVV95cUxPNk51WkR5ZDlaUU1mVWE2YlhDZWdJSXVWZktmV1kxT3J2Y2Z4YkJDOWY0NTRDeUJXMUtsUnBqQ3ZjcGZodW5kVC1fT05jQ0tuRDJLYUtnSXEWVXFOTmdPZkc4OU43Nk1MOUxjNTFxaDhZY0dFeWczM05SaGZtUV90M1pNOXdTNTIod3FNTldvWk90bEhwT2RLWXRKSnlZmNONWtnWkdXYIFhRmVLbIFN0gG0AUFVX3lxTE5aX2ZR2lyeHZMUUV9rekpuSHhwLTFZUURXeEotVTNqSUNVcWlyZk92eVFBaDA5bDJrS2hFb2hQQ0xKOEFEVHBNWEdnMVRGNVpuMG5Sd3VZdXINeEI5MzNIWXZDTGhuX0xaUkNtd3d2N2Rlc2hYMlo0cmxkY25Kb1VOBU5MU2NST2tIVWktYzZwaW5Sjg4dUhpQIZ5TEtMOTY3Wm9aZnRqVXZ3WVFBZVctdno4aA?oc=5>

Scottish Government 'actively harming' business innovation, Tories claim

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:25:37 GMT

But First Minister John Swinney said growth in Scotland 'has been stronger' than in the rest of the UK.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/business/scottish-government-john-swinney-scots-scottish-tories-b2833560.html>

Swinney apologises to injured footballer over ambulance wait

BBC (UK) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:01:48 GMT

Central midfielder Brooke Paterson spent five hours lying on a cold, damp pitch in Cumbernauld waiting for an ambulance.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cr4qd396wxpo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Ed Davey

Police searching for missing Brit who vanished from Spanish hotel find a body in woodland

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 24 Sep 2025 23:06:09 GMT

Police say they have yet to formally establish the identity of the man found dead near the Costa Brava resort of Lloret de Mar on Tuesday.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15130331/Police-searching-missing-Brit-vanished-Spanish-hotel-body-woodland.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Top 30 signs you have your life in order - and it's more than just meal planning

Daily Mirror (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:58:57 +0000

A poll of 2,000 adults has revealed the top signs you have your life together - and the results may surprise you.

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/top-30-signs-life-order-35963824>

What is sleep paralysis and why do we get it? Doctor explains all

Independent (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:28:18 GMT

Have you ever woken up in the middle of the night unable to move? A doctor has explained how and why this “scary” sensation can happen.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/tv/lifestyle/sleep-paralysis-causes-symptoms-doctor-video-b2833527.html>

Trump suggests the broken UN escalator could have gravely injured him and Melania as he demands culprits behind 'sabotage' are arrested

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 09:27:31 GMT

President Donald Trump made a dramatic claim Wednesday night that he and First Lady Melania Trump could have been gravely injured by the United Nations' escalator.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15131303/donald-trump-escalator-sabotage-united-nations.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Poll: How long is an acceptable wait for a routine NHS appointment?

Independent (Politics) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 08:50:14 GMT

Have your say : Experts warn Labour is set to miss its NHS pledge, leaving millions facing long waits – but how long do you think is acceptable for a routine appointment?

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/health/nhs-waiting-list-appointment-gp-b2833377.html>

Should Prince Andrew and Sarah Ferguson be forced out of Royal Lodge? Have your say in the Palace Confidential poll

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 07:14:15 +0100

You've read the headlines and heard our experts' opinions - but what do YOU think?

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/royals/article-15129099/Prince-Andrew-Sarah-Ferguson-Royal-Lodge-Palace-Confidential-poll.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Chicken run! Hen escapes farm and hitches 25-MILE ride on the spare wheel of a Land Rover

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 01:06:23 GMT

The brave chicken was spotted by Dave Jacobs, 58, who initially thought the bird was local and belonged to a neighbour.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15131165/Chicken-escapes-farm-hitches-25-MILE-ride-spare-wheel-Land-Rover.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Rhun Ap Iorwerth

— no mentions today —

Mary Lou McDonald

Donald Trump steps in to stop Israel being banned from next year's US World Cup

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 15:56:31 +0100

The United Nations this week urged organizations to suspend Israeli sporting teams over the war in Gaza after a UN commission said Israel is committing genocide.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sport/football/article-15133003/Donald-Trump-stop-Israel-banned-US-World-Cup-Gaza-genocide.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Donald Trump is raising the stakes for holding power

Economist (Latest) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:30:34 +0000

Winning is becoming about prosecution, not just public policy

<https://www.economist.com/united-states/2025/09/25/donald-trump-is-raising-the-stakes-for-holding-power>

Donald Trump is trying to silence his critics. He will fail

Economist (Latest) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 13:30:34 +0000

But the country could still lose

<https://www.economist.com/leaders/2025/09/25/donald-trump-is-trying-to-silence-his-critics-he-will-fail>

Donald Trump's wrong about why UK is failing – these are real reasons life here is rubbish

Daily Express (News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 12:57:00 +0100

The US President is right about Britain's downturn, but he's wrong as to reasons why this is happening.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2113337/donald-trumps-wrong-why-uk>

Donald Trump must face criminal proceedings for deadly strikes carried out on drug smuggler boats in the Caribbean, UN is told

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 08:37:25 +0100

Colombia's leader condemned three attacks this month, which were defended as operations against drug traffickers. He accused the former president of criminalising poverty and migration.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15132239/Donald-Trump-face-criminal-proceedings-deadly-strikes-carried-drug-smuggler-boats-Caribbean-told.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Gavin Robinson

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