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## ***Nigel Farage***

**Nigel Farage** on course to be PM as Labour faces worst drubbing since 1930s, poll finds

Daily Mirror (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:33:45 +0000

Polling by YouGov suggests Nigel Farage's Reform would win 311 seats in a general election, with Labour slumping to just 144 and the Tories slipping into fourth behind the Lib Dems

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/nigel-farage-course-pm-labour-35968597>

First YouGov megapoll since June reveals exact number of seats Reform will win

Daily Express (Politics) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:33:00 +0100

The survey suggests Nigel Farage is on course to be Prime Minister.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2113622/yougov-MRP-september-reform-victory>

Did the political establishment pave the way for Trump and **Farage**?

Financial Times (UK) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 04:00:19 GMT

New research suggests mainstream politicians created an opening for the populist right

<https://www.ft.com/content/95984feb-e44b-401a-80b2-0206cfc5c3bf>

## ***Keir Starmer***

Britain joins the illustrious ranks of North Korea, China and Taliban-ruled Afghanistan as it announces compulsory ID cards: Countries that enforce Big Brother rules - and how they punish those who disobey

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 23:50:50 GMT

The 'BritCard' is a fresh attempt by Sir Keir Starmer to clamp down on illegal immigration, allowing the government to clearly verify a citizen's right to live and work in the UK.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133961/Britain-joins-ranks-North-Korea-China-Taliban-ruled-Afghanistan-announces-compulsory-ID-cards-Countries-enforce-Big-Brother-rules-punish-disobey.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15133961/Britain-joins-ranks-North-Korea-China-Taliban-ruled-Afghanistan-announces-compulsory-ID-cards-Countries-enforce-Big-Brother-rules-punish-disobey.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

Now **Keir Starmer's** allies dub rival Andy Burnham the 'Liz Truss of Labour' as party's civil war intensifies

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 23:35:59 GMT

Just days before Labour's annual conference, and following weeks of speculation, Andy Burnham accused the Prime Minister of creating 'alienation' within Labour.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135437/Keir-Starmer-Labour-Andy-Burnham.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135437/Keir-Starmer-Labour-Andy-Burnham.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

Now **Keir Starmer's** allies dub rival Andy Burnham the 'Liz Truss of Labour' as party's civil war intensifies - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Thu, 25 Sep 2025 23:33:32 GMT

Now Keir Starmer's allies dub rival Andy Burnham the 'Liz Truss of Labour' as party's civil war intensifies &nbsp;&nbsp;  Daily Mail

<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMikAFBVV95cUxOekplbmZXR3JOTldNbXhLby1ZLTNDUWNan1dsVjBUS3pYTXhYVVGxmOU9hNzNpdVpWY3JwNI96VEIjd0VBRWNseHh2MDdlUVBpamNOa1B2TTFLaDU5MnoyN081bDluMVpVZXZdnFYZGRPRS15QktPM2tJQ2xwaVREWII0cWpMRnFuQ3IPUVBhc2fSAZYBQVVfeXFMUDFSbF9oNGh0MEc4R3IGbUM2Q2ctak1pMWMtbHIEQk1hWU1EYmg3ZHBMTHI0dIgyS0h6R3JwZmQzMklGcGRkSFJ2T0Z4c3M0azVtUXI0fWXBmWklQVkfKVGE0SHVJd2tPUWFEWGtncXNGQVZUYkFteEQ1TnU1STB3aS1qa3BOSTRPeEIUQklQSmlQU09XdjBB?oc=5>

**Keir Starmer** claims his controversial 'show us your papers' compulsory digital ID cards will be 'enormous opportunity' for Britain

Daily Mail (Articles) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 08:09:42 +0100

The Prime Minister has confirmed that the scheme would become mandatory for right to work checks by the end of this Parliament in 2029.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135827/Keir-Starmer-digital-ID-cards-enormous-opportunity-Britain.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135827/Keir-Starmer-digital-ID-cards-enormous-opportunity-Britain.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

Reform on brink of outright majority at next election, major new poll says

Independent (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:36:03 GMT

Disastrous polling for Labour comes amid growing questions over Sir Keir Starmer's leadership of the party

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/reform-uk-nigel-farage-keir-starmer-polling-b2834138.html>

More than 500,000 sign petition against digital ID cards as 'a step towards mass surveillance and digital control'

Daily Mail (Articles) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:33:01 +0100

Sir Keir Starmer says plans for a new digital ID held on people's phones will be an 'enormous opportunity' for the UK and make working illegally tougher.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135853/Petition-against-digital-ID-cards.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135853/Petition-against-digital-ID-cards.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**Keir Starmer** says digital ID cards are an 'enormous opportunity' and will make it tougher to work illegally - UK politics live

Guardian (Politics) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:30:15 GMT

Prime minister says plans for a new digital ID held on people's phones will become mandatory to prove the right to work Digital ID will be compulsory for anyone who wants to work in the UK, the culture secretary has said, reports the PA news agency. "It will be compulsory if you want to work in this country, so you'll

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/live/2025/sep/26/keir-starmer-digital-id-cards-immigration-borders-reform-uk-politics-live>

'Failure' **Keir Starmer** torn apart on BBC Breakfast with one brutal line

Daily Express (Politics) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:26:00 +0100

Keir Starmer was skewered on BBC Breakfast as his digital ID scheme has sparked backlash.

<https://www.express.co.uk/showbiz/tv-radio/2113619/keir-starmer-bbc-breakfast-debate-migration>

Keir's immigration mea culpa: Labour has 'shied away' from toughening borders even it has been 'too easy' to enter the country and work illegally, PM admits

Daily Mail (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:14:53 GMT

Keir Starmer delivered the mea culpa as he desperately tries to convince Brits that he is taking tough action on borders.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135899/Keirs-immigration-Labour-tougher-borders-work-illegally-Reform-Farage.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135899/Keirs-immigration-Labour-tougher-borders-work-illegally-Reform-Farage.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**Starmerism** has almost destroyed the Labour party, but I still have hope for renewal | Clive Lewis

Guardian (Politics) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:00:01 GMT

As our party conference gets under way this weekend in Liverpool, we must start to work out how we can inspire the country Clive Lewis is the Labour MP for Norwich South So choppy are the waters of the UK's permacrisis, and so flat-bottomed the life raft known as Starmerism, that ideas once thought impossible at the ou

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/sep/26/clive-lewis-labour-keir-starmer-party-conference>

UK politics live: **Starmer** insists 'Brit card' ID plan is 'enormous opportunity' for UK despite growing backlash

Independent (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:57:09 GMT

More than 500,000 people have signed a petition against the ID cards

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/digital-id-uk-brit-card-starmer-latest-news-b2833899.html>

**Keir Starmer** to give major speech today blasting dangerous 'violent struggle' warnings

Daily Mirror (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:48:43 +0000

Keir Starmer will warn that online agitators are spreading poison in order to ramp up fears of a 'coming struggle', after Tommy Robinson and Elon Musk addressed a rally in London

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/keir-starmer-give-major-speech-35968388>

**Starmer** says Labour had 'shied away' from concerns over illegal immigration

BBC (UK) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:38:42 GMT

The prime minister is expected to announce plans for a compulsory UK-wide digital ID scheme.

[https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cn832y43ql5o?at\\_medium=RSS&at\\_campaign=rss](https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cn832y43ql5o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss)

Chris Mason: **Starmer's** irritation with Burnham shows as he seeks to tackle critics

BBC (UK) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 05:36:16 GMT

Andy Burnham's recent remarks seem to have narked the prime minister, our political editor writes.

[https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cly19zld70qo?at\\_medium=RSS&at\\_campaign=rss](https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cly19zld70qo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss)

**Keir Starmer** claims his controversial 'show us your papers' compulsory digital ID cards will be 'enormous opportunity' for Britain - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (nigel Farage) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 05:21:19 GMT

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMiswFBVV95cUxNeWwtRmU2azINMDRaQXdzTXInaFM1TmZVS2MwT20xQIlcHM5RVpLT29CSU5QMU9pNU1WMFd3eEpDdVhMampzQ25hdjByMFM0cDdoTHdaYWZCNTJmdndySklydGZxRGgzVEphc05zdFIJOVBKeUNvbTJ4dF9hMk8ybllqWjRFOHQzdUtnTVJnaF9TenFveXRYMGVCMW1yeXowaVZkc2toNW0yd2E5QmV3VmV4MNIbuAFBVV95cUxPNkpmOE1INmpVdFNFdWhjSmt2b2FJbUJkVkltcW5qS0Z5VlhGQl9SMlptVDBadk5BTGxvXl2R0hpV3g0enVLeGFm1dvTFpXenhPdml6c3hWWm5RUHNTUFFEV1dkZW81SkhLdGl4TzJzcHhGMzNqOWwxUkNvY2NYQ3lxQ0FUMXUzbFJlbXlxTkx5OVVPTnlpYTJmVUE1Yy1taHFyZW9DWWWhyY2FmWkRhG9FWGdVa2w3?oc=5>

'History will remember who showed up': **Keir Starmer** faces call to attend Cop30 summit

Guardian (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 05:00:59 GMT

Response from leaders and key climate figures comes after PM's aides advised non-attendance over concerns Reform may attack him. Leading climate figures and Labour MPs have urged Keir Starmer to attend the crucial Cop30 climate summit this November, after aides advised him not to attend for fear of attracting the ire of

<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2025/sep/26/keir-starmer-faces-call-to-attend-cop30-summit>

**Starmer** should have conference in his hands – instead, power is slipping through his fingers | Frances Ryan

Guardian (Politics) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 05:00:58 GMT

Last year's triumph has turned into a groundhog day loop of missed chances and bad calls. The PM needs to change tack – but is he capable of it? A little over a year since Labour took office in a landslide and, with the Conservatives flatlining, by any measure, Keir Starmer should be riding into next week's party confe

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/sep/26/keir-starmer-labour-conference-prime-minister>

'Some of the benefits are fairly boring, but they save lives': AI chief on transforming the NHS

City AM (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 05:00:00 +0000

AI in healthcare might spark visions of robotic doctors and futuristic diagnostics. But Robbie Jerrom, senior principal technologist for AI at Red Hat, insists the real gains lie in the mundane systems that make the NHS run more efficiently. &#8220;Prioritising summarising email requests or patient call logs&#8230; the

<https://www.cityam.com/some-of-the-benefits-are-fairly-boring-but-they-save-lives-ai-chief-on-transforming-the-nhs/>

**Starmer** makes bombshell admission over disastrous UK migration 'it has been too easy'

Daily Express (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 04:56:00 +0100

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2113603/starmer-makes-bombshell-admission-unfettered>

**Starmer's** top aide and a £50,000 secret: Morgan McSweeney 'hid' donation on very day he was told he had a legal duty to declare funding

Daily Mail (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 03:54:26 GMT

Documents reveal Morgan McSweeney's Labour Together think-tank received the cash injection on the day the Electoral Commission confirmed he was required to report all donations over £7,500.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135739/Starmer's-aide-50-000-secret-Morgan-McSweeney-hid-donation-day-told-legal-duty-declare-funding.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15135739/Starmer's-aide-50-000-secret-Morgan-McSweeney-hid-donation-day-told-legal-duty-declare-funding.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**Starmer's** top aide and a £50,000 secret: Morgan McSweeney 'hid' donation on very day he was told he had a legal duty to declare funding - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 03:54:26 GMT

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMi4gFBVV95cUxOVGxvZHZRY0FBVXpyZ3p6X1lyb1dtM2pVLtdqU1BxbFN3bm1pOE1Ja3FNb21zU292ZzA1MWVLZm44ZHc2RHNvMkJSFS3ZoazB0NGIOSlo2bmIsSkhSODdGY1VTV09HSS1iODJJTklxcFV4bnRyaE5vSC1XUjZSN21sY3hLSWE2Z3FCRHBZVFF1RFIHTGF6dHp1WFpwbDNFaVA1X1pyelk0Z2tVX2tFdmZYRVBQNDI1QWVhVWpuUzN2dklMEtGRW1Ja0VXU3BmSGItbDRJQ1BNeXIMUTlZNXkPYUZ30gHnAUFVX3lxTE9lemVxTUhIOERCM2ISN0VKS0FLOVJPemZoczkxQUMyazlJTTR0ekIKYjlmSERJVVg0RHo3WVB5T1NqOExNa090UXFicW1JbHV1M2VoWnNfMUJxdll0Z3gyU080dVtB1JnMTI2dTFqR2o3eHdlOGFJbDIVbVRwWXI2RVRoTWZXMdJOaUhyV1dCT0VYXXVtcnpJNkdBSVpaMWVnX0NnOGUxQjE1NThtcThZMTNoQnNqVW8xZE5vcG9UTE0wUTI PQ1REV2RZM2owMVhJeGlyVFNGYWVhuV2IBSXRacnp1Yk9haw?oc=5>

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

Independent (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 03:36:57 GMT

Civil liberties groups warn mandatory digital IDs risk pushing 'unauthorised migrants further into the shadows'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/starmer-digital-id-brit-card-uk-labour-illegal-migrants-b2834065.html>

The economy's moribund. Socialism rules. Police come knocking if you say or think the wrong thing. Now, in an authoritarian new plan that'll make Britain even more like East Germany, citizens will be forced to carry ID cards

Daily Mail (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 01:26:27 GMT

Keir Starmer faced a furious backlash on Thursday over 'dystopian' plans to force millions of adults to sign up for a digital ID card.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15134797/The-economys-moribund-Socialism-rules-Police-come-knocking-you-say-think-wrong-thing-authoritarian-new-plan-thatll-make-Britain-like-East-Germany-citizens-forced-carry-ID-cards.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15134797/The-economys-moribund-Socialism-rules-Police-come-knocking-you-say-think-wrong-thing-authoritarian-new-plan-thatll-make-Britain-like-East-Germany-citizens-forced-carry-ID-cards.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

## **Kemi Badenoch**

— no mentions today —

## **John Swinney**

— no mentions today —

## **Ed Davey**

STEPHEN GLOVER: Why HAS The Guardian given a withering two-star review to ITV drama that celebrates what it considers one of its greatest coups? (Is it because it's a nest of hate-filled vipers, where feuds fester for years?)

Daily Mail (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:48:40 GMT

The Left-wing organ is also an unhappy place torn by divisions and arguments. During the past few years there have been internal storms over slavery, trans issues and the sale of the Observer.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15135307/STEPHEN-GLOVER-Guardian-withering-review.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15135307/STEPHEN-GLOVER-Guardian-withering-review.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

EDEN CONFIDENTIAL: Either David Cameron has lost 4st... or someone is telling porkies

Daily Mail (UK News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:38:49 GMT

Dave's always lived high on the hog, whether as a member of the Bullingdon during high-spirited days at Oxford, or subsequently at White's - starchiest of London's gentlemen's clubs...

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/tvshowbiz/article-15134671/richard-eden-confidential-david-cameron-showbiz-gossip-royal-family.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/tvshowbiz/article-15134671/richard-eden-confidential-david-cameron-showbiz-gossip-royal-family.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

On this day: Profumo proves the cover up is always worse than the crime

City AM (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 04:26:00 +0000

62 years ago today, Lord Denning published his verdict on the Profumo affair &#8211; a minor sex scandal made far worse by subsequent lies. What lessons does the ensuing collapse of Harold Macmillan &#8217;s government have for politicians today? Asks Eliot Wilson Today in 1963, the Master of the Rolls, Lord Denning, pu

<https://www.cityam.com/on-this-day-profumo-proves-the-cover-up-is-always-worse-than-the-crime/>

## ***Rhun Ap Iorwerth***

— no mentions today —

## ***Mary Lou McDonald***

Donald Trump spotted sternly waving finger at Melania in awkward conversation

Daily Mirror (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 07:18:18 +0000

The US President and First Lady were caught supposedly having an argument as they flew back to Washington DC after a chaotic day at the United Nations

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/us-news/donald-trump-spotted-sternly-waving-35968386>

Donald Trump announces 100% tariff on branded pharmaceutical products

Financial Times (UK) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 06:42:51 GMT

US president also unveiled levies on heavy trucks, kitchen cabinets and bathroom vanities

<https://www.ft.com/content/dd6d5fd0-0faa-4a55-84ce-58c4d00d531c>

Donald Trump supports Tony Blair's shocking latest scheme to govern Gaza after war ends

Daily Express (News) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 04:38:00 +0100

In a surprising twist, Sir Tony Blair is poised to take on a monumental role in Gaza's future, with a plan that has caught the attention of global power players

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/world/2113602/donald-trump-supports-tony-blairs>

Donald Trump escalates his retribution campaign

Economist (Latest) · Fri, 26 Sep 2025 03:46:28 +0000

The indictment of former FBI director James Comey lays bare the president's intentions

<https://www.economist.com/united-states/2025/09/26/donald-trump-escalates-his-retribution-campaign>

## ***Gavin Robinson***

— no mentions today —