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## Nigel Farage

Couple 'locked vulnerable woman in garage for five years' and 'forced her to eat porridge with dish soap'

Independent (News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:19:15 GMT

The victim lost 50kg and had her bank account and benefits drained during the horrific ordeal in western France

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/europe/france-woman-torture-house-home-porridge-bleach-b2850692.htm I

Benidorm thug Brit jailed after throwing wife out of holiday apartment

Daily Mirror (News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:35:07 +0000

Andrew Stockman, 54, flew into a rage after the pair had flown to Spain on holiday - and threw wife Sandra out of their sunshine holiday apartment for two days without her passport

https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/world-news/benidorm-thug-brit-jailed-after-36119137

Reform could make massive Welsh breakthrough TODAY as Labour faces collapse in Caerphilly Senedd by-election after controlling area for a CENTURY

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 09:20:08 +0100

Nigel Farage's party is leading the race for the Senedd seat of Caerphilly amid signs that Labour's hold over the former industrial heartlands of the South Wales valleys is weakening.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15219373/Reform-Welsh-breakthrough-Labour-collapse-Caerphilly-Senedd.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\_campaign=1490

Tory deportation plan would upend Britain

Financial Times (World) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:30:51 GMT

Proposing such a radical bill with little public support is a gift to Nigel Farage

https://www.ft.com/content/9a1d3c1f-ebe8-4a0b-8ad9-e5bb188c00c0

#### Keir Starmer

Migrant who returned to Britain after 'one in, one out' deal being 'fast-tracked' back to France, **Starmer** vows

Independent (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:35:16 GMT

Prime minister said the man's return journey back to UK had been 'completely pointless'

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/migrant-france-one-in-one-out-small-boat-channel-b2850831.html

Is Sir U-turn about to strike again? No10 frantically plays down claims **Keir Starmer** is poised to ditch Labour's pledge to decarbonise Britain's electricity grid by 2030

Daily Mail (UK News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:28:31 GMT

No10 dismissed claims the Prime Minister will drop the Government's plan to decarbonise the UK's electricity grid by 2030.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15220031/Is-Sir-U-turn-strike-No10-frantically-plays-claims-Keir-Starmer-pois ed-ditch-Labours-pledge-decarbonise-Britains-electricity-grid-2030.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Jess Phillips has full confidence of PM, says minister, after grooming gang survivors call for her to quit inquiry – UK politics live

Guardian (UK News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:28:15 GMT

The four survivors to quit the inquiry's panel said they would only return if Phillips was removed Rachel Reeves has announced a £500m investment package for new homes and stronger transport links between Oxford and Cambridge as part of a bid to create "Europe's Silicon Valley" in southern England, PA Media reports. PA

https://www.theguardian.com/politics/live/2025/oct/23/jess-phillips-grooming-gangs-inquiry-keir-starmer-labour-uk-politics-latest-news

**Keir Starmer** is 'out of touch' with Labour voters and must be clearer about party's 'purpose' says soft-Left favourite to win vote to become his new deputy

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:24:51 GMT

Lucy Powell hit out at the Prime Minister in the lead-up to poll closing today in a deputy leadership election that could trigger a major new schism in Labour and see it tack even further to the left.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15219639/Keir-Starmer-Labour-voters-clearer-partys-purpose-Lucy-Powell.ht ml?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

**Starmer** says Channel migrant who returned to the UK will be deported to France AGAIN as he denies his plans are 'in tatters' after Macron 'backed out' of deal to intercept boats

Daily Mail (UK News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:17:54 GMT

Keir Starmer had hoped the French were about to adopt a new 'maritime doctrine' that would see more forceful interventions to stop dinghies leaving shore.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15219171/Starmer-Channel-migrant-plans-France-deal-intercept-boats-UK.ht ml?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Reform's only Black branch chair quits over 'harmful' migration debate

Guardian (UK News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:00:39 GMT

Exclusive: Neville Watson leaves amid concerns about weaponisation of religion and erosion of community relations UK politics live – latest updates The only Black branch chair of Reform UK has left the rightwing populist party, saying the tone of Britain's migration debate is "doing more harm than good". Neville Watson

https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/23/reform-only-black-branch-chair-quits-over-harmful-migration-debate

France 'may not intervene to reverse small boats in the Channel' in blow to **Starmer**'s migration plan

Independent (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:37:48 GMT

France backing away from commitment to turn back small boats in the Channel, according to reports

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/france-small-boat-migrants-channel-uk-police-b2850683.html

No 10 denies reports **Starmer** is preparing to miss 2030 clean energy target

Independent (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:19:21 GMT

The Prime Minister was said to be considering dropping the goal in order to keep energy bills down.

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/business/keir-starmer-government-ed-miliband-prime-minister-tony-blair-institute -b2850784.html

Is Brexit really to blame for the Chancellor's growth headache?

City AM (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 09:00:24 +0000

As the government prepares the public psyche for substantial tax hikes at next month's Budget, the Chancellor has taken a Brexit-shaped risk. Keir Starmer's government has largely opted for caution over talking about relations with the European Union. The Prime Minister has insisted that re-opening the Brexit deb

https://www.cityam.com/is-brexit-really-to-blame-for-the-chancellors-growth-headache/

Thames Water ranked worst supplier in England as firms' ratings hit record low

Guardian (Politics) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:44:51 GMT

Environment Agency rates eight of nine companies as poor and needing improvement Business live – latest updates UK politics live – latest updates England's water company ratings have fallen to the lowest level on record after sewage pollution last year hit a new peak, with eight of nine water companies rated as poor an

https://www.theguardian.com/business/2025/oct/23/english-water-ratings-record-low-sewage-pollution

Prince Andrew latest: William 'taking control' of Palace response to scandal after criticism

Independent (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:22:52 GMT

Starmer backs calls for King's brother to be hauled in front of MPs to give evidence in parliament

 $https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/prince-andrew-royal-lodge-virginia-giuffre-latest-news-b2850570. \\ html$ 

The farcical 'one in, one out' scheme is now completely discredited. The sooner ministers accept it, the better: DAVID BARRETT

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:17:04 +0100

The ludicrous flaw in Sir Keir Starmer 's 'one in, one out' deal was obvious from the start.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15218313/farcical-one-one-scheme-discredited-DAVID-BARRETT.html?ns \_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\_campaign=1490

Jess Phillips has 'full backing' of PM over grooming gangs inquiry, says minister

Guardian (UK News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:03:30 GMT

Children's minister, Josh MacAlister, insists Phillips will remain safeguarding minister as four abuse survivors call for her resignation UK politics live – latest updates A minister has said the government has "full confidence" in Jess Phillips after four abuse survivors called for her resignation as a condition for t

https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/23/jess-phillips-has-full-backing-of-pm-over-grooming-gangs-inquiry-says-minister

**Starmer**'s Channel migrant plans in tatters as France 'backs out' of deal to intercept boats... after 'one in, one out' deportee RETURNED to UK - Daily Mail

Daily Mail via Google (keir starmer) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 07:05:09 GMT

Starmer's Channel migrant plans in tatters as France 'backs out' of deal to intercept boats... after 'one in, one out' deportee RETURNED to UK Daily Mail

https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMitgFBVV95cUxORnJwT1hmckdNX2JLYXJZbDVNTDgxcnhaRWwwYS1VMy 10aUJIUEtPd05jdmhSS1RIaGUwT3ltRTBVb25xQXFCOHZBSFVIRTJub2NGQzF5R2lVRzgwck4tMjl5NmZGRUwxQ WdRMGZyTk4zc3ZYVVBHb0xEX1ZfSnAzemd6YjkyRDZYQ0Ffek1HNWU0R291ejl4U1NQUXZ2SVcxY3M1TFlwOHh qSEptdXlzVlVyM1k0UdlBuwFBVV95cUxPWEpDNVVocUJjbE5rSk1lQ2VhaFpTaHNOQXgtYnlLOU9kTnVWaDhJQXV IQnRGVmhJcEpxSDJhWGJhWTZPdjdmYWFaNTFES1czVnduU2JCOEVIZ2xVczdsRDZTVXdwOUp0NE5EdnZBaV9 oSmdlbi1uR3lrWjRJaDZTdHAybDc3WVBtSS11ei1FWjlZU0FjZUNLYmg0VUpkX2t5Rkt0dnl2bTNzSmFpWWtBZWh3

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Le Farce! Migrant deported to France under **Starmer**'s 'one in, one out' deal is back in Britain just 29 days later... on a small boat - as figures show 2025 arrivals ALREADY exceed those for 2024

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 01:02:22 GMT

The Iranian man's second dinghy crossing took place just 29 days after he was kicked out of the country under Sir Keir Starmer's flagship borders policy.

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15218153/Migrant-deported-France-Starmers-deal-returns.html?ns\_mchannell=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490$ 

#### Kemi Badenoch

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# John Swinney

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## Ed Davey

All change as new King Charles 5p coins enter circulation - ITVX

ITV (Google News) · Wed, 22 Oct 2025 23:04:23 GMT

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https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMimAFBVV95cUxPTkZ3RUdfTmpvaTEyNmlGVGgwMkhWd2YtYXZuNjlDSHRYVWJvalljS1k0cFJYenVjdWFnSm5QVGFzTnBxS214VDlaVEJ2NENwYkdINktWeDROMEVfdEFOX1VCZUM0OHA3V01qYVdFSHRBal94d080TlpLdTBZS3RUMGJiek9vZ2dXMFdwRF9Qc1JnQUZtbC0wSA?oc=5

POLL: Should Jess Phillips resign over grooming gang inquiry sham? Vote now

Daily Express (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 11:03:00 +0100

Do you think Jess Phillips should quit? Have your say in our poll below:

https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2124956/poll-should-jess-phillips-resign

James Martin's romance with younger girlfriend could lead to fresh heartbreak for ex

Daily Mirror (News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:35:29 +0000

Insiders have revealed that James Martin's romance with his "glamourous" PT girlfriend Kim Johnson could be progressing in a way that will be "very hard" on his ex Louise Davies

https://www.mirror.co.uk/3am/celebrity-news/james-martins-romance-younger-girlfriend-36118184

Killer teen who stabbed schoolboy Harvey Willgoose to death had 'long-standing interest in weapons' and carried an axe in his gym bag

Daily Mail (UK News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 09:10:42 GMT

Mohammed Umar Khan, 15, stabbed Harvey Willgoose in the heart during a confrontation in front of other pupils during their lunch break at All Saints Catholic High School, Sheffield.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15218405/Killer-teen-stabbed-schoolboy-Harvey-Willgoose.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

French girl Lola, 12, who was 'raped and murdered by Algerian woman' begged 'please don't hurt me' before she was brutally killed, court hears

Daily Mail (UK News) - Thu, 23 Oct 2025 08:02:22 GMT

Dahbia Benkired, 27, an Algerian migrant living in France, allegedly lured schoolgirl Lola Daviet, 12, into her apartment on October 14, 2022, before sexually assaulting and killing her.

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15219213/French-girl-Lola-12-raped-murdered-Algerian-woman-begged-dont-hurt-brutally-killed-court-hears.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490\&ito=1490$ 

Did King Charles go far enough in his action against Prince Andrew? Have your say in the Palace Confidential poll

Daily Mail (Articles) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 07:01:13 +0100

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

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/royals/article-15209281/Did-King-Charles-far-action-Prince-Andrew-Palace-Confide ntial-poll.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\_campaign=1490

## Rhun Ap Iorwerth

- no mentions today -

# Mary Lou Mcdonald

Trump 'dragged kicking & screaming into realising he can't trust Kremlin con artist Putin'

Daily Express (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:30:00 +0100

EXCLUSIVE: The scales could finally be falling from Donald Trump's eyes after Vladimir Putin appeared to dump any interest in Ukraine peace talks

https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2124916/Donald-Trump-Vladimir-Putin-Ukraine-pece-talks-Budapest

Donald Trump has privately admitted Mamdani is 'unbeatable' in New York mayoral race, report says

Independent (News) · Thu, 23 Oct 2025 10:29:16 GMT

President is understood to believe there is no path to victory for Andrew Cuomo or Curtis Sliwa as progressive Democrat Zohran Mamdani races ahead in the polls

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/americas/us-politics/trump-zohran-mamdani-new-york-andrew-cuomo-b28 50763.html

#### Gavin Robinson

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