

# Daily Reform UK MP Mentions

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**[The Guardian] Powell victory in Labour's deputy leader contest would mean 'division and disunity', Phillipson suggests – UK politics live**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 14:31:14 GMT

Lucy Powell and Bridget Phillipson put their cases to party members at Labour's conference on Wednesday. At the Labour conference Ed Miliband, the energy secretary, has just started his speech. Responding to the news that he will announce a total ban on fracking (see 9.19am), Asad Rehman, chief executive of Friends of

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/live/2025/oct/01/keir-starmer-labour-conference-nigel-farage-reform-uk-politics-latest-news-updates>

**[The Guardian] Labour members feel disconnected from government, says Lucy Powell**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 14:30:07 GMT

Deputy leadership candidate tells hustings party is not heeding feedback from doorstep, with impact on activists. UK politics live – latest updates Labour members feel “disconnected” from the government and risk losing motivation, Lucy Powell has argued as she and her rival for the party's deputy leadership, Bridget Phi

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/01/uk-labour-party-members-lucy-powell-deputy-leadership-hustings>

**[The Guardian] Foreigners underrepresented among prisoners in England and Wales – report**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 14:27:29 GMT

Non-UK nationals make up 12.4% of inmates versus 16.8% of population, data shows, as far-right protests continue. UK politics live – latest updates Foreign nationals are underrepresented as a proportion of prisoners jailed in England and Wales, an analysis of government data has found. While non-citizens made up a high

<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2025/oct/01/foreigners-underrepresented-among-prisoners-in-england-and-wales-report>

**[Independent] Stop trying to 'out-Reform, Reform', deputy Labour leadership candidate warns Starmer**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 14:17:56 GMT

In a damning indictment of the government, Lucy Powell said her 21-year-old son had 'struggled' with her being part of the Labour government because 'we've not got some of the politics right'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/keir-starmer-lucy-powell-bridget-phillipson-reform-b2837256.html>

**[The Guardian] Will Labour's fracking ban end practice in the UK for good?**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 14:07:59 GMT

Ed Miliband's move to bring forward ban is gambit to stop would-be Reform voters from backing Nigel Farage's pro-fracking party UK politics live – latest updates Ed Miliband announced on Wednesday that Labour was speeding up plans to bring in a “total ban” on fracking. But how will this work and could it stop a future

<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2025/oct/01/labour-fracking-ban-end-practice-in-uk-for-good>

**[i Paper] What MPs are really saying about Starmer despite his fighting talk against Farage**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 13:41:16 +0000

The Prime Minister needed a good conference speech - but MPs are divided on whether or not he delivered

<https://inews.co.uk/news/politics/mps-saying-starmer-fighting-farage-3950235>

**[Independent] Reform claims Nigel Farage's taxpayer-funded security has been slashed**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 13:35:41 GMT

Farage's righthand man accuses Labour of running a campaign of 'demonisation' against the Reform UK leader

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/nigel-farage-security-reform-zia-yusuf-starmer-b2837229.html>

**[Daily Mail] Why Starmer has strayed into wild fantasy with claim that migrant boats are Farage's fault, by DAVID BARRETT**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 13:22:36 GMT

The Prime Minister's claim that Channel migrants come to Britain aboard 'Farage boats' and cannot be removed from this country due to Brexit is preposterous and simply not grounded in fact.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15152015/Starmer-strayed-fantasy-boats-Farages-fault.html?ns\\_mchannel=rs&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15152015/Starmer-strayed-fantasy-boats-Farages-fault.html?ns_mchannel=rs&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**[Independent] Miliband vows to permanently ban 'dangerous and deeply harmful' fracking**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:51:44 GMT

The Energy Secretary used the announcement to attack Reform UK, which has called for more extraction of oil and gas.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/business/ed-miliband-reform-uk-nigel-farage-labour-party-government-b2837243.html>

**[Daily Express] Keir Starmer has made the biggest mistake of his life - just like Trump's worst enemy**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 13:50:00 +0100

The Prime Minister just handed Nigel Farage the keys to No10

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2115767/keir-starmer-has-made-biggest>

**[The Guardian] UK fracking ban to be brought forward as Labour counters Reform promise**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:32:38 GMT

Ed Miliband announces government will speed up plans to ban controversial practice supported by Nigel Farage Ed Miliband has announced that the government is to speed up its plans to permanently ban fracking in the UK, in order to counter the Reform party's promises to bring back the controversial practice . The energy

<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2025/oct/01/fracking-ban-uk-labour-counter-reform-promise>

### **[i Paper] Starmer is blaming small boats crisis on Farage and Brexit – is he right?**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:31:49 +0000

At least 160,535 migrants have arrived in the UK by small boat since Brexit, compared with 10,608 between 2018 and 2020

<https://inews.co.uk/news/starmer-blaming-small-boats-crisis-farage-brexit-is-he-right-3949359>

### **[Daily Mail] 'We can't call everyone racist - I don't care what he tells me to do': The brutal comments Labour MPs and ministers are sharing with me after Keir Starmer's speech... and why it's his final and fatal blunder: DAN HODGES**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:29:17 GMT

The exuberant mood at Labour conference that followed the Prime Minister's full-frontal attack on Nigel Farage has been replaced by one of alarm.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15151933/brutal-comments-Labour-ministers.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15151933/brutal-comments-Labour-ministers.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

### **[Independent] Ed Miliband tells Elon Musk: Get the hell out of our politics and our country**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:23:31 GMT

The energy secretary claimed Elon Musk and Nigel Farage are part of a 'global network who together want to destroy the ties that bind our communities and our way of life'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/ed-miliband-elon-musk-tommy-robinson-labour-conference-b2837211.html>

### **[Daily Mail] Now Keir Starmer blames BREXIT for Channel crisis and calls dinghies carrying migrants the 'Farage boats' but is forced to clarify that the Reform leader isn't 'personally racist'**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:05:53 GMT

Keir Starmer described Nigel Farage as 'formidable' amid a backlash at the aggressive stance in his address to the party faithful.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151135/Keir-Starmer-forced-retreat-says-formidable-Nigel-Farage-NOT-racist-denying-speech-claiming-Reform-leader-doesnt-like-Britain-safety-risk.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151135/Keir-Starmer-forced-retreat-says-formidable-Nigel-Farage-NOT-racist-denying-speech-claiming-Reform-leader-doesnt-like-Britain-safety-risk.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

### **[Daily Express] Nigel Farage has gone full Facebook comment section – he's a crybaby with a microphone**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:56:00 +0100

Since when has robust criticism been too much for Nigel Farage to handle?

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2115746/nigel-farage-crybaby-microphone>

**[BBC] Farage's security has been cut, Reform UK claims**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 11:52:47 GMT

Reform's policy chief says parliamentary authorities downgraded Farage's security two weeks ago.

[https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cj4ypey88kdo?at\\_medium=RSS&at\\_campaign=rss](https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cj4ypey88kdo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss)

**[The Guardian] 'Reverse Midas touch': Starmer plan prompts collapse in support for digital IDs**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 11:52:09 GMT

Net public backing for scheme has fallen to -14% after prime minister's announcement, according to polling UK politics live – latest updates Public support for digital IDs has collapsed after Keir Starmer announced plans for their introduction, in what has been described as a symptom of the prime minister's "reverse Mi

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/01/keir-starmer-labour-collapse-public-support-digital-id-cards>

**[Daily Mail] Frontrunner to become Keir Starmer's deputy demands he stop 'trying to out-Reform Reform' and veer left ahead of local elections**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:38:53 +0100

Lucy Powell, who was in Sir Keir's Cabinet until earlier this month, hit out as she campaigned for the senior party post vacated by Angela Rayner.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15152093/Keir-Starmer-deputy-demands-stop-Reform-veer-left.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15152093/Keir-Starmer-deputy-demands-stop-Reform-veer-left.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[Daily Mail] Reform raise security fears for Nigel Farage after his protection was cut just before he was 'demonised' by PM**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:13:29 +0100

Policy chief Zia Yusuf accused Labour of 'incitement to violence' and alleged that the number of guards protecting Mr Farage had been cut by 75 per cent.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151825/Zia-Yusuf-Nigel-Farage-security-decimated.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151825/Zia-Yusuf-Nigel-Farage-security-decimated.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[Financial Times] How the Tories might live again**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 11:11:25 GMT

It will take buyer's remorse about Labour and fear of the economic consequences of Nigel Farage

<https://www.ft.com/content/4598782a-3d88-4d39-bad5-ae4258a00c37>

**[Daily Mail] POLL OF THE DAY: Starmer blames Brexit for 'Farage boats' crossing the Channel. Is he right?**

Wed, 01 Oct 2025 12:00:30 +0100

Sir Keir Starmer stepped up his war on Reform UK today by blaming Brexit for the English Channel migrant crisis and dubbing the small boats 'Farage boats'.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151611/Poll-Starmmer-blames-Brexit-Farage-boats-crossing-Channel.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151611/Poll-Starmmer-blames-Brexit-Farage-boats-crossing-Channel.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[Daily Mail] On the day energy bills go up AGAIN... Ed Miliband vows to ban fracking and lashes out at Reform 'extremists' over Nigel Farage's pledge to scrap Labour's Net Zero drive**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 11:56:47 +0100*

In a speech to Labour's conference in Liverpool, the Energy Secretary delivered a fresh Government attack on Nigel Farage 's party.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151877/On-day-energy-bills-Ed-Miliband-vows-ban-fracking-lashes-Reform-extremists-Nigel-Farages-pledge-scrap-Labours-Net-Zero-drive.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151877/On-day-energy-bills-Ed-Miliband-vows-ban-fracking-lashes-Reform-extremists-Nigel-Farages-pledge-scrap-Labours-Net-Zero-drive.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[The Guardian] Nigel Farage: what are schoolboy racism claims – and why have they resurfaced?**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 10:53:31 GMT*

David Lammy has clarified remarks that the Reform leader 'flirted with Hitler Youth'. Here is the background to the row UK politics live – latest updates The deputy prime minister, David Lammy, has found himself in hot water after claiming in an interview with the BBC that Nigel Farage "once flirted with Hitler Youth w

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/01/nigel-farage-what-are-schoolboy-racism-claims-why-have-they-resurfaced>

**[BBC] Labour plans new law to ban fracking permanently**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 10:50:29 GMT*

Energy Secretary Ed Miliband says Labour will take on Reform UK over shale gas and "send the frackers packing".

[https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cjedpl9kpv2o?at\\_medium=RSS&at\\_campaign=rss](https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cjedpl9kpv2o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss)

**[Daily Mail] David Lammy dons robes and a wig as he's sworn in as Lord Chancellor... just hours after being forced to backtrack on 'Hitler Youth' jibe at Nigel Farage**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 10:42:49 GMT*

The Labour politician, who is also Deputy Prime Minister and Justice Secretary, donned traditional robes and a wig for the central London ceremony.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151507/David-Lammy-dons-robes-wig-hes-sworn-Lord-Chancellor-just-hours-forced-backtrack-Hitler-Youth-jibe-Nigel-Farage.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15151507/David-Lammy-dons-robes-wig-hes-sworn-Lord-Chancellor-just-hours-forced-backtrack-Hitler-Youth-jibe-Nigel-Farage.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**[Independent] Lammy rows back on claim Farage 'flirted with Hitler Youth'**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 09:15:42 GMT*

Deputy prime minister David Lammy has backpeddled on claims that Nigel Farage "flirted with Hitler Youth."

<https://www.independent.co.uk/tv/news/david-lammy-nigel-farage-racist-b2837117.html>

**[Daily Mail] Mark my words, after this abuse we will teach Keir Starmer a lesson at the ballot box: NIGEL FARAGE**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 08:37:27 GMT*

A party that won the general election with a loveless landslide just over a year ago now finds itself in very deep (and in many ways deserved) trouble.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15149933/teach-Keir-Starmer-lesson-NIGEL-FARAGE.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/debate/article-15149933/teach-Keir-Starmer-lesson-NIGEL-FARAGE.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**[The Economist] Sir Keir Starmer declares a battle for the soul of Britain**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 07:37:34 +0000*

The Labour Party takes aim at Nigel Farage and Reform UK

<https://www.economist.com/britain/2025/10/01/sir-keir-starmer-declares-a-battle-for-the-soul-of-britain>

**[Daily Mail] Now David Lammy is forced to apologise for hysterically accusing Nigel Farage of 'flirting with the Hitler Youth' in new low for Labour's 'racism' row with Reform**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 07:11:48 GMT*

The Deputy Prime Minister went on live television to lash out at Mr Farage, after PM Keir Starmer used his main conference speech to hammer the opposition party.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15149203/David-Lammy-Nigel-Farage-flirting-Hitler-Youth.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15149203/David-Lammy-Nigel-Farage-flirting-Hitler-Youth.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**[Independent] Reform war on clean energy will 'betray' young people and 'wreck everything', Miliband to say**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 05:07:11 GMT*

Miliband will use his speech to attack Reform leaders who said they would 'declare war' on green energy projects

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/labour-reform-clean-energy-miliband-b2836753.html>

**[The Guardian] Starmer takes aim at Farage – podcast**

*Wed, 01 Oct 2025 02:00:59 GMT*

The Labour leader entered conference with the polls against him and Reform UK snapping at his heels. He came out fighting – but was it enough to change his critics' minds? Helen Pidd For Keir Starmer, this year's Labour conference was a chance not just to address the party faithful but to see if there were any faithful

<https://www.theguardian.com/news/audio/2025/oct/01/starmer-takes-aim-at-farage-podcast>