

Summary of Today's News

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Migrant father and daughter found dead in Rio Grande as US immigration head resigns

Harrowing images of a father and daughter from El Salvador, who drowned whilst trying to get to the US, have been released, showing them face down in the Rio Grande.

According to local Mexican paper Le Duc, Mr Ramírez had swam the river with his daughter and then left her on the US side to go back for his wife, however Valeria panicked and tried to reach her father, but were both swept away by the current. Rebuking Mr Trump, Michael Bochenek, a lawyer for Human Rights Watch, said: "We did not have the kind of overcrowded conditions for unaccompanied kids in Border Patrol holding cells like we saw in Clint."

Robert Mueller will testify over Trump-Russia investigation

Special Counsel Robert Mueller has confirmed he will testify in open session before two US congressional committees on 17 July.

A joint statement from committee chairmen Jerrold Nadler and Adam Schiff said: "Americans have demanded to hear directly from the special counsel so they can understand what he and his team examined, uncovered, and determined about Russia's attack on our democracy, the Trump campaign's acceptance and use of that help, and President Trump and his associates' obstruction of the investigation into that attack." Both committees have been negotiating with Mr Mueller for two months about his testimony, but the special counsel has been hesitant to testify. After the statement in May, Mr Trump said the "case is closed" and repeated his line of "no collusion", calling the investigation the "greatest presidential harassment in history".

Revenge porn victims could get anonymity as government orders online abuse review

Victims of so-called revenge porn could be granted the same anonymity as rape or sexual abuse victims.

Currently revenge porn - the sharing of non-consensual explicit images without the subject's permission, is covered by communications legislation. Any new laws and protection are years away.

Abandoned newborn left in woods in Georgia rescued from plastic bag

Police in Georgia have released heart-stopping bodycam video showing the rescue of an abandoned newborn baby.

Anyone who has information is asked to get in touch with the sheriff's office

Boris Johnson lays down gauntlet to Jeremy Hunt as rival holds Twitter Q&A

Boris Johnson has tried to divert attention away from his refusal to take part in a Sky News debate, by challenging Jeremy Hunt to guarantee Brexit will happen at the end of October.

But no need for snail-mail, why not turn up to Sky tonight and Ill give you full and frank answers?#BoJoNoShow <https://t.co/Irnk8rgrlz> Mr Johnson wrote on Twitter: "If I become PM, we will leave the EU on 31st October, deal or no deal.

"We must keep our promises to the British people and deliver Brexit - no ifs, no buts, and no second referendum." If I become PM, we will leave the EU on 31st October, deal or no deal. It comes after Mr Hunt taunted his rival's refusal to take him on in a head-to-head Sky News debate, calling it a "BoJoNoShow". In an apparent jab at his rival, Mr Hunt said the personality of the next prime minister would be critical to whether Britain can get a new Brexit deal. And quite possibly a general election, which could mean we have no Brexit either." Mr Hunt also dismissed Mr Johnson's

commitment to take Britain out of the EU by the end of October as a "fake" deadline.

San Francisco to ban sale of e-cigarettes

San Francisco is to ban the sale of e-cigarettes because of increasing use of the nicotine devices by teenagers.

US government data from 2018 showed a 78% increase in e-cigarette use among US high school students, with San Francisco based company Juul the main beneficiary. "The explosion in youth use and the health risks to young people are undeniable." Reacting to the ban Juul said it had already taken steps to reduce the appeal of e-cigarettes for teenagers by cutting some flavours and shutting its Facebook and Instagram accounts.

'Aculinary encounter': Mirazur in France named world's best restaurant

A three-Michelin-star restaurant on the French Riviera has been named the world's best at a ceremony in Singapore.

Mirazur climbed from third to first in the World's 50 Best Restaurants awards, replacing Italy's Osteria Francescana in top spot.

The full World's 50 Best Restaurants list: Noma (Copenhagen, Denmark) 3.

Disfrutar (Barcelona, Spain) 10. Azurmendi (Larrabetzu, Spain) 15.

Alain Ducasse au Plaza Athénée (Paris, France) 17. Cosme (New York City, USA) 24.

Quintonil (Mexico City, Mexico) 25. Atelier Crenn (San Francisco, USA) 36.

Alinea (Chicago, USA) 38. Test Kitchen (Cape Town, South Africa) 45.

De Librije (Zwolle, Netherlands) 47.

Wednesday's national newspaper front pages

You can watch the Press Preview on Sky News every evening at 10.30pm and 11.30pm. Wednesday night's reviewers will be Kevin Maguire, associate editor at the Daily Mirror and Rachel Cunliffe, comment editor at City AM.

The Daily Mirror leads with claims a family is in "deadlock" as they fight over a will following the death of their parents - and has a picture of Boris Johnson being licked on the face by a dog. The Times features a picture of Boris Johnson being licked by a dog in Surrey and claims he will take the UK out of the EU by the 31 October "do or die".

Boris Johnson can shun questions for now - but he won't be able to if elected PM

After a weekend filled with accusations that Boris Johnson has been avoiding scrutiny, the leadership candidate spent Tuesday on something of a media blitz.

This, they feel, is his strongest ground and the area where he can offer answers and options in place of his rival, whose plan to extend if necessary has led to concern among some Conservatives about a long delay. Mr Johnson and his team want to move the campaign, and the arguments both men have to face, back onto what they see as safer ground - Brexit.

They believe their message - that the UK must leave on 31 October no matter what - is the right one and the only one that will win with members.

US-Iran tensions raise threat of an even graver conflict

President Donald Trump calls it his policy of "maximum pressure" on Iran.

Tehran has already been subjected to intense international sanctions before it signed up to the 2015 nuclear deal with the United States, China, Russia, Britain, France and Germany. They had been sticking with the deal, despite pressure from the Trump administration to follow its lead.

The Islamic Republic has given the Europeans until 8 July to save the nuclear deal by shielding Iran from the economic

impact of the US sanctions.

Revealed: What happened to the Brink's-Mat gold

Until now, little has been known about the dogged methods police used to infiltrate the criminal underworld behind the 1983 robbery.

Brown made the revelations in the second of a two-part story titled The Hunt For The Brink's-Mat Gold, from the new Sky News podcast series StoryCast. Brown's story delves deep into lives of underworld figures behind the crime like Kenneth Noye, who was released from prison recently, having been sentenced to life for the 1996 road rage murder of Stephen Cameron.

My son died from cold water shock - but others don't have to

Fiona Gosling's son Cameron died after jumping into cold water on a hot summer's day in Bishop Auckland, County Durham.

He had a sandwich and said he was going to the skate park. Days passed in a blur, but after speaking to the coroner, she explained that Cameron had died from cold water shock - which can affect breathing and movement - even among strong and confident swimmers, like Cameron. We will not get to see him marry or enjoy being grandparents to his children - something most people experience in life.

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