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Nigel Farage under pressure as watchdog looks at illegal election spending allegation

Daily Mirror (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:17:00 +0000

The Electoral Commission has confirmed it is looking at claims Nigel Farage's campaign spent more than the £20,660 legal limit to get the Reform leader elected in Clacton

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/nigel-farage-under-pressure-watchdog-36415158>

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Former EU lawmakers lose case against pension cuts

Financial Times (World) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:25:38 GMT

Nigel Farage and Marine Le Pen would have benefited from a positive ruling

<https://www.ft.com/content/ff9f1b97-8697-48f0-8bfd-7b797e187428>

Nigel Farage told to apologise by 26 of his school contemporaries

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 06:55:26 GMT

Open letter to Reform UK leader expresses 'dismay and anger' at his response to racism and antisemitism allegations Nigel Farage has been told to apologise for his alleged teenage racism by 26 school contemporaries who have written an open letter telling of their "dismay and anger" at his response in recent weeks. In a

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/dec/17/nigel-farage-told-to-apologise-by-26-of-his-school-contemporaries>

Keir Starmer

Starmer accused of 'not having the baubles' to stop doctors' Christmas five day strike by Kemi Badenoch

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Kemi Badenoch has accused Sir Keir Starmer of 'not having the baubles' to stop the resident doctors' five-day strike amid Britain's super flu' outbreak.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391239/Doctors-strike-five-day-walkout-super-flu-UK.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Labour crackdown on foreign workers could hit UK economy by £710m, **Starmer** warned

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:38:10 GMT

Advisers called for salary thresholds for some jobs to be reversed because they are 'an inefficient' way to cut migration

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/skilled-worker-visa-economy-salary-b2885459.html>

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'Clock is ticking': **Starmer** tells Roman Abramovich to transfer money from Chelsea sale to Ukraine fund

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:37:15 GMT

Keir Starmer announced the move in PMQs with the Russian billionaire still holding on to the £2.5bn he received for the sale of the football club

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/roman-abramovich-chelsea-ukraine-keir-starmer-pmq-b2886253.html>

Starmer calls doctors' strike 'dangerous' as five-day walkout begins

BBC (UK) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:29:14 GMT

The doctors' union, the British Medical Association, said it was time the government came up with "a genuinely long-term plan" on pay and jobs.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c98nqz29vg2o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

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Starmer tells Abramovich to 'pay up now' or face court

BBC (Politics) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:22:50 GMT

The Prime Minister said Roman Abramovich should make good on his pledge that money from the sale of Chelsea FC would go to benefit Ukrainians

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cx2e64lr3zeo?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Thousands of Turkish students could come to UK as **Starmer** hands EU £570M a YEAR to rejoin Erasmus scheme sparking furious backlash

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:17:26 GMT

Ministers insisted the deal is 'fair' despite confirming the eye-watering cost for the first year alone.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391567/Britain-hand-EU-570M-YEAR-rejoin-Erasmus-student-exchange-scheme-latest-Labour-unwinding-Brexit.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

'Pay up, Roman': **Keir Starmer** threatens ex-Chelsea owner Abramovich with legal action to force Russian oligarch to hand £2.5bn from sale of club to Ukraine

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:13:29 GMT

The Prime Minister told the Commons he was giving the Russian oligarch a last chance to voluntarily transfer the money to humanitarian causes, as agreed when he sold the west London club in 2022.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15392149/Keir-Starmer-threatens-ex-Chelsea-owner-Roman-Abramovich-leg-al-action-force-Russian-oligarch-hand-2-5bn-sale-Chelsea-FC-Ukraine.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Left-wing candidate beats **Starmer** ally to lead UK's biggest union

BBC (Politics) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:09:56 GMT

Andrea Egan, who was expelled from Labour three years ago, replaces Unison's current general secretary Christina McAnea.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/ce3wdv7rg67o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss

Starmer threatens Abrmaovich with court over £2.5bn Chelsea proceeds

City AM (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:06:23 +0000

Prime Minister Keir Starmer has vowed to take Roman Abramovich to court unless he hands over the £2.5bn proceeds from his sale of Chelsea FC to humanitarian causes in Ukraine. The huge windfall has been frozen in a UK bank account since May 2022, when the sanctioned Russian oligarch sold Chelsea to a US consortium [...]

<https://www.cityam.com/starmer-threatens-abrmaovich-with-court-over-2-5bn-chelsea-proceeds/>

'Hasn't got the baubles!' Kemi Badenoch skewers **Keir Starmer** over doctor strike chaos

Daily Express (Politics) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:55:00 +0000

Tory leader tears apart Prime Minister in fiery PMQs over the latest walkout by junior doctors

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2147454/hasnt-got-baubles-kemi-badenoch>

Starmer moves to transfer £2.5bn from Abramovich's Chelsea FC sale to Ukraine

Financial Times (UK) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:52:35 GMT

Proceeds from sale of football club frozen in a UK bank after Russian oligarch hit with sanctions

<https://www.ft.com/content/660d540c-8e6b-45c6-8f75-dce22a75670a>

UK will transfer £2.5bn of Abramovich cash to Ukraine fund, **Starmer** says

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:42:39 GMT

Prime minister says oligarch must commit funds from sale of London football club or face court action Europe live – latest updates UK politics live – latest updates The UK will formally issue instructions to transfer £2.5bn from Roman Abramovich's sale of Chelsea FC to humanitarian causes in Ukraine, telling the billio

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Keir Starmer issues ultimatum to oligarch Roman Abramovich over £2.5bn Chelsea cash

Daily Express (Politics) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:35:00 +0000

The UK Government is threatening to take legal action against former Chelsea owner Roman Abramovich unless he delivers on his promise.

<https://www.express.co.uk/sport/football/2147449/Keir-Starmer-Roman-Abramovich-Chelsea-sale>

Keir Starmer issues ultimatum to Roman Abramovich over Chelsea sale cash

Daily Mirror (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:16:41 +0000

The UK is threatening legal action against Russian billionaire Roman Abramovich unless he hands over the proceeds of the sale of Chelsea FC to the Ukrainian people

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/breaking-keir-starmer-issues-ultimatum-36415107>

Watch live: Starmer faces off against Badenoch in final PMQs of 2025

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 12:00:28 GMT

Watch live as Sir Keir Starmer faces off against Kemi Badenoch for the final time this year at Prime Minister's Questions on Wednesday (17 December).

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/pmqs-starmer-badenoch-live-stream-b2886211.html>

'See you on the picket line': Fears of even MORE strikes as **Starmer** ally union leader is ousted by hard Left challenger who vows to 'stand up' to politicians and review Labour cash

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:57:56 GMT

In a blow to Sir Keir Starmer Christina McAnea was ousted as the general secretary of Unison, and replaced by Andrea Egan, who has suggested losing its ties to Labour.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391547/Starmer-loses-closest-union-ally-hard-Left-Unison-Labour-millions.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

UK's largest union elects leftwinger who was expelled from Labour

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:26:43 GMT

Andrea Egan to become Unison general secretary, succeeding Christina McAnea, who has close links to Keir Starmer UK politics live – latest updates The UK's largest trade union, Unison, is on a potential collision course with Labour after it ousted a general secretary with close links to Keir Starmer in favour of a left

<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2025/dec/17/uk-largest-union-elects-leftwinger-expelled-from-labour-andrea-egan>

Trip by 'Never Here Keir' **Starmer** to see Lionesses play in Euros final in Switzerland cost taxpayers £60,000, new figures show

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The Prime Minister was accompanied by his wife Lady Starmer as well as 10 officials from Downing Street on the jaunt to the UEFA European Women's Championship final.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15389779/Keir-Starmer-Lionesses-play-Euros-final-Switzerland-cost-taxpayers.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

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UK to rejoin EU student exchange scheme in 2027 as part of **Starmer**'s Brexit reset

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:14:24 GMT

EU relations minister Nick Thomas-Symonds said it was a 'huge win for our young people'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/erasmus-scheme-uk-eu-students-2027-brexit-b2886131.html>

Leftwinger wins race to lead Britain's largest trade union

Financial Times (World) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:11:45 GMT

Andrea Egan defeats incumbent Christina McAnea, an ally of Keir Starmer

<https://www.ft.com/content/26024a16-a6ab-4e9a-b0db-3dd63524471a>

Ex-Labour metro mayor and Your Party organiser Jamie Driscoll joins Greens

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 10:59:00 GMT

Move by former North of Tyne mayor comes days after five London Labour councillors defect to Zack Polanski's party UK politics live – latest updates Jamie Driscoll, the former Labour metro mayor for North of Tyne who later played a role setting up Your Party, has joined the Greens, the party has announced. It comes two

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/dec/17/former-labour-metro-mayor-jamie-driscoll-joins-green-party>

Andrea Egan wins vote to be Unison leader in blow to **Starmer** - The Times

The Times (Google) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 10:17:12 GMT

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<https://news.google.com/rss/articles/CBMijANBV95cUxQVEIxMEgtXzljkZtSjVQZmExUTNbXFjaDJqeW9naXJmc2tDOWdYbXV4OW9RanFQNmZES1JTZW5wV2Q1REJKN1piM280VGNFUIhuOEJUNzIMbE5XQWRvbXViR2RMbWII RFpfVWNqeWNJcU5uSVRpEpZUmVIWk03RU12UkpWVTNGNVzuSGZDem5YSmdiWTk4LTZ5azdkTVBidFZ2Q2Y3X1hSeEhuRjdIOW50V0s2aTJWb01OcHpekNFYmkzSTBCWVJGa09KU3dBm2h0ZnJVENqU1VVTmFfMHNENFB MZ3BUZ0NYUGEzbIAYM3FfSlpMUHhFcIB0QTNDX2FxQV9wY29QjdZcmZyT1pJYUctZFFiQnJqUE9GckMwY2YzN2luWk9ISE95YTNib05WZIEeHlyRFE2N1hxdC1xeU9zQV9VdHp5UHVHX3BoeGVVcjY2OVVITHNaWkFWOXNVR1pYTEFfRk1OZE9IRHixdy1sSGFkWW1zUnh6UjQ4allNeWI1RzVTaEY?oc=5>

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Labour set to be DESTROYED by Plaid and Reform in Wales elections, poll shows - as floundering **Keir Starmer** faces final PMQs before Christmas

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 09:04:48 GMT

Keir Starmer is set to be humiliated at local elections in May with his party evicted from the First Minister post in Wales for the first time since devolution.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391443/Labour-set-DESTROYED-Plaid-Reform-Wales-elections-poll-shows-floundering-Keir-Starmer-faces-final-PMQs-Christmas.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

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A warning for **Keir Starmer**: Brexit is falling apart, but if you are not bold on Europe, your Labour rivals will be | Tom Baldwin

Guardian (Politics) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 08:00:28 GMT

Leave support is falling. That's an opportunity the PM should seize before pro-Europe challengers for the Labour leadership do Seven years ago, it took just eight words to electrify the Labour conference and to

show the party was falling out of love with its then leader. Although not exactly the kind of soaring oratory
<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/dec/17/keir-starmer-brexit-europe-labour-rivals>

Defence spending plan delayed over **Starmer** concerns

Financial Times (World) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 05:00:36 GMT

New national armaments director insists the paper is in its 'final stages'

<https://www.ft.com/content/6e968ca4-51ad-4888-b198-82994953e8f8>

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<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/pmqs-starmer-badenoch-live-stream-b2886211.html>

John Swinney

— no mentions today —

Ed Davey

POLL: Do junior doctors deserve a 26% pay rise this year?

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Do you think junior doctors deserve a 26% pay rise this year? Vote in our poll and have your say.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2147451/poll-do-junior-doctors-deserve>

How brave have-a-go hero Ahmed Al Ahmed's secret past proved vital when he fearlessly disarmed Bondi Beach terrorist Sajid Akram - and what would have happened if he fired at him

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:07:37 GMT

Now Daily Mail can reveal the calm bravery shown by Ahmed El Ahmed, 43, was no spur-of-the-moment reaction but the product of years of rigid military and police training forged in war-torn Syria.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391087/Hero-Ahmed-Al-Ahmed-past-disarmed-Bondi-Beach-terrorist.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Travel expert reveals the 'science-backed tool' to help overcome fear of flying

Daily Mail (Articles) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 13:00:48 +0000

For millions of Brits, the idea of stepping onto a plane will have you breaking out in a sweat. But there's a science-supported tool that could help.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/travel/article-15391905/travel-expert-science-tool-overcome-fear-flying.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Amber Davies breaks down in tears and says 'the Strictly bubble has burst' in emotional admission - after responding to backlash over routine

Daily Mail (Articles) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 09:47:33 +0000

Strictly Come Dancing star Amber Davies broke down in tears and said she doesn't 'want it to be over' in a final admission.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/tv/article-15390257/Amber-Davies-breaks-tears-Strictly-emotional-admission.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

Bondi Beach hero Ahmed Al-Ahmed could lose his arm as calls grow for him to be given a bravery award

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 01:56:05 GMT

Amed Al-Ahmed is said to have no regrets over his dramatic intervention on Sunday night even as the full scale of his life-changing injuries comes into view.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15390713/Bondi-Beach-hero-Ahmed-arm-lose-bravery-award.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Revealed: Bondi hero's bombed-out home that was destroyed during Syria's civil war along with the town where he lived years before his bravery in Sydney

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 00:55:10 GMT

This is the former home of Bondi Beach hero Ahmed al-Ahmed - now just a bombed out shell after it was destroyed in Syria's civil war.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15389381/Bondi-heros-bombed-home-destroyed-Syrias-civil-war-town-lived-years-bravery-Sydney.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

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Donald Trump announces he will give live address to the nation tonight

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 11:14:05 GMT

The US President made a surprise announcement on his Truth Social platform on Tuesday, saying that he would be speaking at 9pm EST, and declared that the 'best is yet to come'.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15391625/Donald-Trump-live-address-nation-tonight.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Marjorie Taylor Greene criticizes Trump over ‘classless’ Rob Reiner comments

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 10:09:11 GMT

Marjorie Taylor Greene slammed Donald Trump for his “classless” comments about Rob Reiner following his murder.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/tv/news/trump-marjorie-taylor-green-rob-reiner-video-b2886105.html>

Donald Trump is going to cost GOP after 'disgusting' Rob Reiner attack, warns Stephen A. Smith

Daily Mail (Articles) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 05:55:15 +0000

The controversy ignited earlier this week following the shocking deaths of the Hollywood director and his wife, Michele, who were found murdered in their Los Angeles home.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sport/othersports/article-15390217/donald-trump-rob-reiner-los-angeles-murder.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490

PHOTO ESSAY: Photos reveal impact of U.S. aid cuts on Rohingya children in camps in Bangladesh

Independent (News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 05:37:04 GMT

Deep cuts to foreign aid by U.S. President Donald Trump this year, compounded by reductions from other donor countries, have led to the closure of thousands of schools and youth centers in Rohingya refugee camps in Bangladesh, severely weakening child protection programs. As a result, girls have been forced into marriage

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/donald-trump-photo-essay-bangladesh-rohingya-b2885987.html>

Donald Trump celebrates Hanukkah with Laura Loomer and by telling White House guests Ilhan Omar 'hates Jewish people'

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 17 Dec 2025 05:17:47 GMT

President Donald Trump marked the third night of Hanukkah by celebrating at the White House with Laura Loomer and by telling the crowd that Representative Ilhan Omar 'hates Jewish people.'

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15390559/donald-trump-hanukkah-laura-loomer-ilham-omar.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490

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