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Recent evidence would suggest a promise is not a promise when it is made by a political party or a politician. The general public is increasingly turned off from politics, with trust in politicians at an historic low in a recent YouGuff poll.

At the last Westminster General Election the Liberal Democrats <u>made a number of manifesto</u> <u>pledges</u>, the most notorious of which was the tuition fee pledge. Senior Liberal Democrat politician argue they have kept the worst tendencies of the Conservatives in check while delivering the best of their own manifesto.

Speaking to BBC Scotlandshire Willie Rennie, Leader of the now defunct Scottish Liberal Democrats said:

"It is those nasty Tories that won't let us deliver all our promises. It doesn't matter how much

Nick tears up or talks about the children's future, those heartless Tory thugs won't budge on their Sheriff of Nottingham austerity drive."

"Even having Dannii Alexander fagging for George Osborne hasn't made much of a difference. I don't really understand how this Etonian tradition works, but surely Dannii would have been reshuffled off the government's deck if he wasn't keeping his fag-master truly happy."

"But hey, whit can you do, eh??"

Closer to home, BBC Scotlandshire has discovered a group of anarchist and extremists who've moved their moans and groans from the pub into a more sinister plan of action and democratic accountability. Community activists have been getting together in a clandestine plot to expose the shortcomings of the most perfect and honest council in the whole of Scotlandshire.

Lead anarchist Nick The-Jury revealed just how little he knew of the working of Glesgatoon politics when he rabidly told BBC Scotlandshire:

"One hundred manifesto pledges were made by The Labour Party in Glasgow in their false prospectus for re-election. Already six of those promises have been broken with many more looking totally unachievable. The people of Glasgow have been duped and it is now up to us normal citizens to hold the Labour Party to their promises."

" The Committee of 100 Promise Inspectors will work tirelessly to address these broken promises and to formulate a strategy to hold these politicians to account. We're planning a series of interviews with community organisers and project co-ordinators to reveal how the promises will affect real communities and people."

It was at this point Mr The-Jury desperately started to beg like a common street wine-o, the

ones who say it is for a cup of tea but you just know it is to fund a Carlsberg Special Brew drinking session:

"But this won't be possible unless the people of Glasgow and other concerned citizens helping us to fund this project and join us in holding the Labour Party in Glasgow to account."

Cllr Gordon Mathieson, Leader of Glasgow City Council, quite rightly points out the people of Glesgatoon has always put their faith and trust in the Labour Party since time began, in fact the first Labour voters are believed to have been dinosaurs.

He told BBC Scotlandshire:

"The Labour run Glasgow City Council never makes manifesto promises we intend to keep. Goodness the electorate aren't stupid, they fully understand anything we say before an election is unlikely to be delivered once we're back in power."

"These so called community activists are nothing more than SNP place men looking to expose our lies and scheming to the plebs who've been conditioned to vote Labour over many generations. They should stop wasting everyone's time for no one will notice, nor indeed care, about their petty little separatist fetish flick or committee of 100 extremists. It's about time this band of SNP losers got with the programme."



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