

The Penguin Kid Solution

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Politics The Problem:

Our country lies in a wallow of apathy, we all know this, although I have some first hand knowledge about it cos once the government asked me to write something about the new apathetic culture, but well I couldn't be bothered. Not only this but we have the wrong men for the job in too, after all its like any carer: the ones who can do stuff are at the bottom, at the top is politicians who can make people happy but that's about it. We don't want politicians deciding what happens to us, we want people who know what they're doing.

The Solution:

All elections are to be held in Super Smash Bros Melee contests.

The Reason:

First I'll go through things which wont work:

- 1) The Australian system: sure it's quite good, and stops people being apathetic, but what if there were situations out of your control, but of course you cant prove that to a sufficient standard that would stop every Tom Dick and Harry succeeding, even if they were truly apathetic. And then the amount of money and time it takes to follow everything up is barely covered by the fine.
- 2) Replacing politicians with lumps of cheese: Although many of the ideas they suggest will be better than the ones suggested by current ones (i.e. pubs to get extended opening hours) they would quickly be eaten up by me, and then I would be arrested for eating a figure in the public eye and I wouldn't be happy.

Now about my solution: now it's pretty simple in a simple democratic system like England's, you'd have a battle for each constituency, then each winner gets a seat the house of commons, then of course they have the battle's to decide who get the top job and each seat in the cabinet. Whereas with the American system you'd have huge team battles of each set of people promising to vote for each presidential candidate in each state, then the winners decide who they actually want to vote for and they fight and then the president is chosen.

I bet you're all saying: but how is this politics if the person doesn't have any say? But thats where you're wrong, you see every registered voter gets 1 phone call to a free-phone number. then the nominee from each area who gets the most votes gets a handicap of 10, the second most gets a handicap of 9, and so on, all below 10 get a handicap of 1.

And sureley the skills of being able to smash Pikachu into orbit are all that you need to run the country, its certainly more than some of the current ones can do! This solution would also force the political parties to modernise, after all it seems to even qualify for any position in the Tories you have to be from the pre cretaceous Era or earlier.

This system could also be used to increase government revenues, therefore decreasing Tax. And this is how they'd do it: Betting, i know many believe gambling is wrong, and stuff- sure i believe its a waste of money, but if millions are willing to do it you might as well make all gambling on the election bouts to go through government sources. Simple, effective money spinner.

And that is why this solution is one with which we should go, so what do you think?