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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [England](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 14:03:12 GMT  
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[http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/wales/north\\_west/3664381.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/wales/north_west/3664381.stm)

Read the rap at the bottom.

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [Kytten9](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 14:59:12 GMT  
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That's just Wales for you....English coppers arent funny...i got caught speeding once near manchester Airport by a copper he pulled me over (i was doing 110mph in a 70mph zone) and said "having trouble taking flight madam?"

I laughed.....he didnt...the result being points = prizes...get 12 points on your driving licence and they give you a bike....i got banned for 3 years in other words.

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [Phoenix - Aeon](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 18:06:35 GMT  
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It's wotde in Manchester, they really know how to do "good cop, bad cop" there. I'd come across a couple on the beat when one of them comes along and has a joint or 2 with me using confiscated goods (he needed me to roll for him), now that bit wasn't too bad but his mate stood next to him with an MP5...

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [npsmith82](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 19:46:32 GMT  
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Hahah, now that's a good one! But damn i feel sorry for ya.

My parents were pulled over two weeks ago for doing just 97mph average in a 70mph zone, in the TVR (top speed 185+ mph btw).  
<http://www.thecodesmith.com/images/temp/tvr350c.jpg>

This picture shows the arse end of the same car but not ours, but OMFG is that nice? With that

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personalised plate and the paintjob - it's just stunning.  
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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 20:21:53 GMT  
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The actual humor is that it's absurd for ANYONE to need a fucking "racial equality commission."

Fuck that shit, let society work itself out, "omg lets make everyone equal when they're obviously not!" :rolleyes:

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [Walrus](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 21:50:10 GMT  
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I have had some funny encounters with coppers. The best ones are the blokes who have been on the job for too long and are past caring.

- oh and why is it so absurd for ANYONE to need a fucking "racial equality commission."  
hmm I wonder... perhaps we were created equal, and should always have the right to be equal... even if a few people believe otherwise...

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 22:29:33 GMT  
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Quote:

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Where did this happen?

In America, no cop is required to pull anyone over for speeding or traffic violation. The only time that you will be pulled over, is if the cop thinks that you are a danger to yourself or others. Also there is a 3-MPh lee-way. Say speed limit it 70 MPh, you can't be pulled over for speeding if you are going at 72MPh, and you cannot be pulled over for driving too slow if you are at 68.

Although, whenever I see a cop car on the freeway, it's always weaving in and out through the traffic for no apparent reason. (Joyrider?)

That rap thing was wrong. Kind of funny with a good intention, but touching a sensitive matter.

I would like to hear that in welsh.

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Posted by [Phoenix - Aeon](#) on Wed, 28 Apr 2004 23:01:34 GMT

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Over here in england your allowed 2mph plus 10% of the speed limit over, so in a 70mph zone you can do 79mph without being pulled for speeding.

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny

Posted by [MrBob](#) on Thu, 29 Apr 2004 00:17:13 GMT

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AircraftkillerThe actual humor is that it's absurd for ANYONE to need a fucking "racial equality commission."

Fuck that shit, let society work itself out, "omg lets make everyone equal when they're obviously not!" :rolleyes:

Agreed.

Anyway, like IRON-FART said, in America a cop isn't required (in most cases) to pull you over for speeding. The police here usually pull over people who do the "in and out" driving.

Chances are if you go 10+ mph over the speed limit you may get pulled over. It all depends where you are. If you're going 75+ mph in a 65 mph zone on I-95 in VA (really busy), you probably won't get pulled over. However, if you're going 35 mph in a 25 mph zone, you will most likely get pulled over. I think the most strict places when it comes to driving are empty roads (like 301 or I-64), small rural towns, military bases, and work zones.

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny

Posted by [mrpirate](#) on Thu, 29 Apr 2004 00:48:16 GMT

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Yeah, equality is for faggots and communists.[/sarcasm]

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Thu, 29 Apr 2004 00:58:47 GMT

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No, equality is for the government and how it relates to the US.

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Equality is not a universal human standard or quality, if it was, we'd all look, dress, act, and speak alike.

Learn to embrace being human instead of try to be what you aren't. Being human also includes disliking others for reasons beyond "idiocy" or anything intellectual, it can also include how someone looks, acts, or really anything at all.

So what? Is it bad to dislike others? No, not really. Is it bad to attack people and try to hurt them? Yeah, it is.

Let the government treat everyone equally, since we all pay taxes (Or we're supposed to, anyway), but stay the fuck out of social affairs and let people talk how they want to.

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Posted by [asdfg195](#) on Thu, 29 Apr 2004 02:11:06 GMT  
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I was going 52 in a 45 zone while in the right lane . The cars in the left lane were going at least 5 more than I was. I was sorta freaked out when a cop past me going that fast and not pulling over people, but apparently cops around my house don't care that much. But when they do pull someone over, they always allow for a no-point plea as long as you pay the ticket and court costs. But apparently my dad was pulled over for going 16 in a 15 zone but cops in New Jersey so it just depends on the area i guess.

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Subject: Why British Coppers are funny  
Posted by [npsmith82](#) on Thu, 29 Apr 2004 02:13:22 GMT  
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IRON-FARTQuote:

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Where did this happen?

England, UK (keeping it on topic with "Why British Coppers are funny").

The average would've been taken to 100 mph and over, which in this country is an instant driving license ban. Give or take a few mph, the same happens if you are going twice the legal speed limit (i.e 60 in a 30 zone).

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