

The News

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"Sovereign Europe is a Europe capable of controlling its borders", said Emmanuel Macron as he unveiled the main lines of the French presidency of the European Union. The Head of State pleads in particular for a reform of the Schengen agreements. He also wants to harmonize rules pertaining to asylum. As a reminder, France will take the head of the Council of the European Union for six months starting January 1st.

The European Medicines Agency now recommends the booster vaccine dose three months after the last injection. A "safe and effective" delay, according to the European experts. Currently, in France, the third dose can be administered, at the earliest, five months after the second.

Yannick Agnel was arrested for rape of a minor. Investigators arrested this morning the former French swimmer, double gold medalist at the London Olympics. The alleged victim, aged 15 at the time, filed a complaint this summer for a rape which supposedly occurred several years ago.

And Pierre Menès is in custody as well. The sports journalist is targeted by an investigation for sexual assault. He is accused of an inappropriate gesture towards a hostess of the Parc des Princes, at the end of November. Pierre Ménès has filed a complaint for defamation of character.

The spectator who had knocked down the riders of the Tour de France by holding up a sign has just been fined 1,200 euros. She will also have to pay a symbolic euro to the National Union of Professional Cyclists, as decided by the Criminal Court of Brest.

Handball tonight with the rest of the Women's World Cup! After a mastered first round, three wins in three matches, *les Bleues* start the main round and will face Poland at 8:30 p.m.

And then three departments in the East are under orange weather alert for avalanches: Isère, Haute-Savoie and Savoie. In addition, 7 departments in the southwest are under orange alert for avalanches and heavy rain, from the Landes to the Pyrénées-Orientales via the Gers.