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The orange weather alert for thunderstorms has been lifted across France, although stormy showers are still expected today. Yesterday evening saw strong winds and showers which caused flooding and some material damage in the Ile de France and Normandy. Many homes experienced power cuts.

70 people had to be evacuated last night after a fire broke out in a tyre storage warehouse in Colmar. 2,000 m² went up in smoke. Firefighters brought the fire under control during the night.

The government is launching its public finance meeting today in a bid to save billions of euros after all the aid provided to households and businesses during the Covid crisis as well as to tackle inflation. Budget cuts are expected.

The Paris Air Show is back today after a four-year hiatus. The largest air show in the world will host 2,500 exhibitors and more than 320,000 visitors over the next week.

To football now and the qualifiers for Euro 2024 continue this evening and France will want to continue its flawless run to the championship – France play Greece tonight kicking off at 8:45 p.m.

And finally the French women's basketball team remains undefeated in the European championships. France won against Slovenia last night 73 to 68 meaning they finish first in the group stage. They will play their quarter-final on Thursday.