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The average global temperature since the start of the year is 1.4°C warmer than the preindustrial era. The announcement comes this morning from the European Copernicus Observatory. Last month was also the hottest September across the world on record. The average global surface temperature was 16.38°C, 0.5 degrees warmer than the previous record set in 2020.

The conseil national de la refondation is meeting today to discuss how to prevent more urban rioting in France. At the end of the month, Prime Minister Elisabeth Borne will present the government's response to riots to 500 mayors of the most affected towns and cities.

A woman will be tried before the Rennes judicial court today in a case that shocked the whole of Brittany. The 48 year-old is suspected of mistreating her son who is now 15 years old. She kept him cut off from the world since birth, and when he was found last year, he had difficulties expressing himself and had no school or heath records.

The third meeting of the European Political Community gets underway today in Grenada. 50 leaders, including Emmanuel Macron and Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky, have gathered for the event. One item on the agenda is Azerbaijan, which two weeks ago launched an offensive in Nagorno-Karabakh, leading to the exile of tens of thousands of people to Armenia.

And finally to football and Paris Saint Germain suffered a humiliating defeat last night in the Champions League, losing 4-1 away to Newcastle.