

SECRETARIAT GENERAL

DIRECTION DE LA COMMUNICATION ET DE LA RECHERCHE



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Dear Mr Kirsch,

The Secretary General of the Council of Europe asked me to reply to your letter of 16 June requesting his patronage for the II. Junior Delphics 2003/04 to be held in Düsseldorf from 28 to 31 August, the second part being scheduled for the end of March/beginning of April 2004.

The purpose of the International Delphic Council, i.e. to promote the preservation of the traditional arts and the development of new art forms as well as to encourage intercultural exchange and the education of young people in artistic disciplines, meets obviously the objectives of the Council of Europe in its cultural activities, aimed particularly at developing the mutual understanding and, ultimately, the creation of a Europe without dividing lines.

For this reason, the Secretary General has pleasure in granting the II. Junior Delphics his patronage. I should be grateful if you could use the following wording:

**In French:**

« Sous le patronage de Monsieur Walter SCHWIMMER, Secrétaire Général du Conseil de l'Europe »

**In English:**

"Under the auspices of the Secretary General of the Council of Europe, Mr Walter SCHWIMMER"

**In German:**

„Unter der Schirmherrschaft des Generalsekretärs des Europarates, Herrn Walter SCHWIMMER“

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Unfortunately, Mr Schwimmer regrets not to be able to be present at the opening of the II. Junior Delphics.

I wish your Games every success.

Yours sincerely,

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The Council of Europe, which is devoted to the preservation of the spiritual and cultural heritage of Europe as well as to encourage intercultural exchanges and the education of young people, is particularly interested in the objectives of the Council of Europe in its general activities, which particularly consist in promoting the mutual understanding and, ultimately, the friendship of European peoples.

For this reason, the Secretary General has pleasure in granting the II. Junior Delphics the patronage. I should be grateful if you could use the following text:

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*In English:*  
« Under the patronage of Mr Walter SCHWIMMER, Secretary General of the Council of Europe »

*Im Deutschen:*  
« Unter dem Patronat des Generalsekretärs des Europarates, Herrn Walter SCHWIMMER »