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## **Schulservice - schoolservice**

### **Report 2004**

Beside the regular job - giving advices to schools and associations - the following topics were interesting:

- a. We started a button "best practice" at the homepage of the German Aviation Club. This information is explaining successful activities ("how to do").
- b. "Help! Children and youngsters are visiting the airfield..... "  
This is a step-by- step – program for developing a children and youth program for an "open house" at an airfield or near a school. English version is published: [www.fai.org/education](http://www.fai.org/education) (thanks to Dell and Dr. Merv Strickler for translating..)
- c. The painting contest was not very successful. Several years ago the same topic had an "income" of more than 1000 paintings. The last year we had only about 100. Excuse: The competition became much harder. Every week I get "invitations" from big companies or organisations to participate with my students in some "wonderful" competitions. The "incentives" are really attractive (ours were too!).
- d. FAI-recommended museums: I received three (of four) excellent reports. This year I shall build a link between these museums in Germany.
- e. The german aviation and space agency (DLR) is developing more and more its youth and student program. Much money is in the budget. An excellent gallery you will find here:  
[http://www.schoollab.dlr.de/Schoollab/goett/index.htm;internal&action=\\_framecontent.action&Target=\\_parent](http://www.schoollab.dlr.de/Schoollab/goett/index.htm;internal&action=_framecontent.action&Target=_parent)
- f. About 10 german universities have their academic glider associations. They are used as research organisations. The motto: "students research, build, fly!" More information in english: <http://www.idaflieg.de/english/index.html>
- g. European Space Agency starts a "European Teacher Council" next week. The purpose is a much better promotion of space knowledge in the educational sector of society. I shall participate and report about the topics in Ankara.
- h. I have published several articles about constructing, flying and paedagogical aspects of getting interested in modelplanes.

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