



Pallas Athena – Thor
European Youth Against Drugs

It is a praiseworthy initiative to bring young people in Europe together on a symbolic train in order to counter the threat presented by growing drug abuse.

I have been following the development of this idea and admire the energy and initiative of the young people who are planning to launch it.

The name “Pallas Athena – Thor” reminds us of the contribution made by the ancient Greek and old Icelandic cultures to the European heritage. A healthy body and a healthy mind were the essence of their world views, their sports and their arts.

At the dawn of the new millennium it is important to increase awareness that health and wholesome lifestyles are a key to a happy life.

The campaign against drugs is a project of the very highest priority. The European Youth Against Drugs train is a fine symbol of cooperation among European youth towards creating a better life.