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WAI-NOT KEEPS GROWING

WAI-NOT has not been idle during the usually quiet summer months. In a cooperative effort with Porta Capena Belgium we have been able to finalize the technical framework of our website for children and young adults with a mental handicap. We believe we have even managed to suitably resolve many of the the thorny language related problems. Our project is not only limited to Belgium, but is designed to reach those in other countries too! We have invested a lot of time and technical effort to make sure that our subject matter is useable by the people in the countries involved in the project at this time, namely Dutch, Portuguese and English.

We now have a number of templates which will allow us to start up different interest area's, that can easily be updated in a user friendly manner. Areas affected by this, are the online newspaper "WABLIEFT", the film and video section and the section for easy to make recipes and simple manual activities. Check the site regularly, use the 'new' button that we added recently (on the left frame of the start up page). [Click here](#) to go to the WAI-NOT site for children and young adults.

Our site for supervisors and teachers of our children, is nearly up to speed as well. Not only is there information about the site itsself, but also complete details for schools supervisors and teachers that would like to take part in the WAI-NOT project. Our ICT section is now fully completed with information over the use of ICT and its target audience. [Click here](#) for more information.

WAI-NOT IS SEARCHING FOR...

Starting up and maintaining our site takes a lot of manpower. We have therefore chosen to provide solid information that can easily and regularly be updated. We are however still looking for volunteers; people with their heart in the right place who, for a small reward, are prepared to work with or be responsible for one of the following:

- one of the fixed sections, cooking, hobby, or the weekly paper
- the ICT section for supervisors and teachers



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We also need technical help. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you feel you have the necessary technical skills and you feel that you want and can help with HTML, Dreamweaver, Flash, and Java.. in a nutshell you know about building and maintaining a website, and feel you can make a much appreciated contribution to keep the project up and running.

Interested? Please contact Gaby by email on secretariat@wai-not.org

NEW WAI-NOT PARTICIPANTS

As a result of our participation at the ICT fair "Computer at School and Home' in march of this year in the show buildings of Flanders Expo in Gent, we were contacted by a few schools who were interested in taking part in the project. Of those that did, the following schools have decided to become actively involved."

- Buso Berkenbeek in Wuustwezel
- Buso Berkenboom in St-Niklaas
- Klaveretje 3 in Bilzen
- Kwadrant in Poperinge

Have a look at the local WAI-NOT sites by [clicking here](#).

CST 2004

The CERA foundation made the decision to support our project and subsequently WAI-NOT was able to successfully partake in the CST, a fair showcasing Computers at School and at Home. The purpose of CST is to sensitize teachers and their administrators to the educational aspects of computers and their uses at school and at home. WAI-NOT is going to be there in 2004. We would like to see as many people there as we can, and ask that you make a note of the date, we will be there from the 9 March until the 11 of March 2004. [Click here for more information](#).

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