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Dear participants,

The <u>#sketchyourwindow</u> project was launched during the first lockdown in March 2020.

The Musée des beaux-arts La Cohue in Vannes is organising the exhibition of the original works, and will open its doors on December 2020. We hope that the Museum will be allowed to receive the public, even in a highly regulated way. The scenography is in progress, and a booklet will be published. We will give you the details very soon.

In many countries, including France, many of us are confined again, with restrictions whose stringency may vary from one country to another.

I would like to propose you to share other drawings, watercolours and paintings "around" the window.

Here in France, winter is approaching and the windows will remain closed most of the time. We could share these new moments of waiting and their effects, for some of us with weariness, by drawing our lives next to our windows.



To work, write, read, draw, cook or even to do some crafts, we may have moved the table or the desk next to the window.

I was very inspired by the painting of his desk by the French artist Renefer. The whole personality of the artist can be seen, his tools and products for drawing, painting and engraving displayed in front of the window. The light coming through the window gives life to this desk.

Le Sidaner, Van Gogh, Bonnard, Vuillard, Picasso and many other artists have painted their table in front of the window.

I suggest that we continue our #sketchyourwindow (#dessinetafenetre) project and design our desk, table, workbench or worktop.

I hope that you will like the idea and that we will continue to share more of our inner life during pandemia on #sketchyourwindow.

Do not hesitate to visit our gallery and to give us your feelings and feedbacks.

Take care.

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