

Dhruvi's reason for art

Ten days before the Janta Curfew, Dhruvi Acharya had been self-isolating in her Breach Candy home since her son had come back from university in the US. She began painting and posted her stunning watercolour work online, thereby garnering interest from people who wished to purchase them. Now, this work is available for sale on Chemould Prescott Road's website. For several



years the artist has been donating annually to about 20 NGOs that help people and animals. The donations from these pieces will go towards Aangan, Karwan-e-Mohabbat and Fisherman of Koliwada. About her work, Acharya told this diarist, "I am not painting with sales on my mind; I am painting to get the worries and fears regarding the pandemic out of my mind."

