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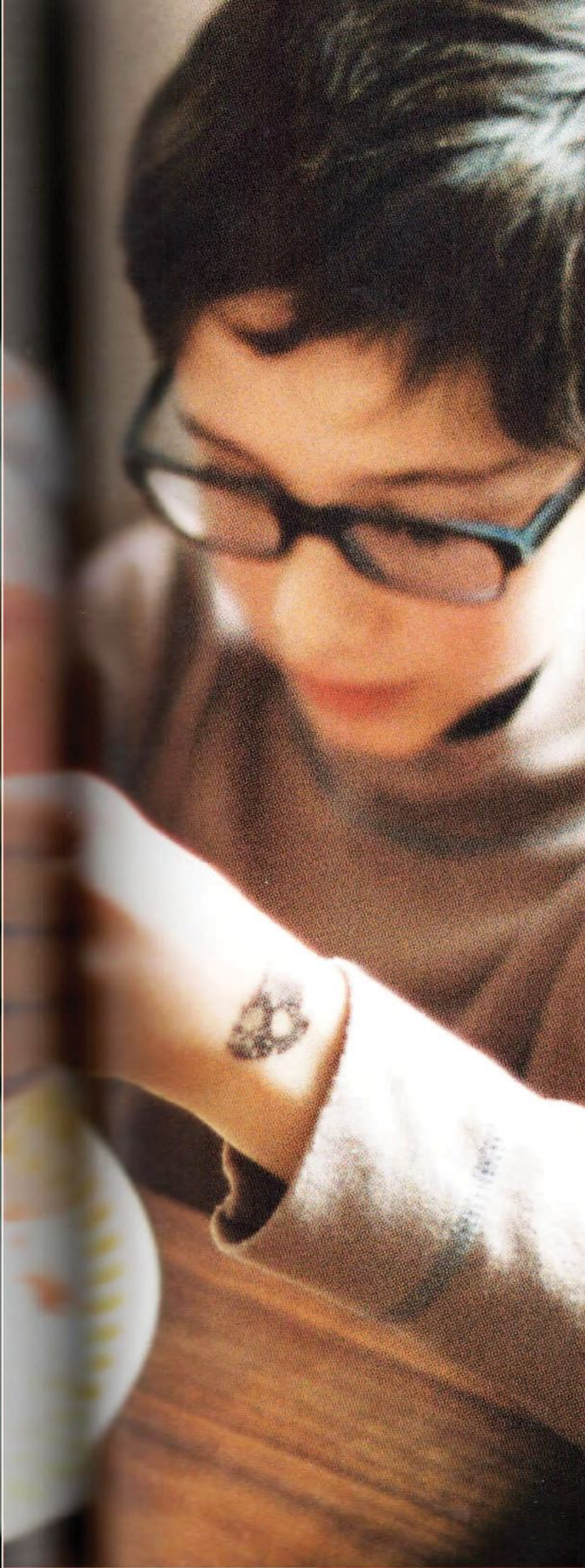
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WHEN LITTLE THINGS TURN INTO BIG IDEAS!

Dorothee Monestier, is one of the founders of My Little Day the very unique online store for quirky kids party needs based in Paris, France. Dorothee and her business partner Gabriella Toscan du Plantier used to organise children's birthday parties when they were students. Nowadays, after both becoming mums - they established My Little Day. Their children inspired them to become the perfect hosts for their parties. They discovered that with just two little tricks and few bits and pieces, they were able to turn the day into an aesthetic pleasure for old and young alike.

We arrived at Dorothee's place on a Wednesday... everybody is home : Louison conscientiously puts shells under flowery clip frames on the coffee table whilst Jules - after having built a bridge in the jungle-living room - plays cards with his dad. Everybody wears a horse riding outfit, because it's been pony class today!

The atmosphere of the home is very warm and eclectic. Dorothee likes to team designer furnishings with quirky touches - 50's old fashioned furniture, a round glass lampshade with little aliens sitting under it, you may even find a bunny sitting on top of vintage suitcases beside the kids bed. Her home has a very humble aspect mixed with visionary ideas.

Dorothee loves handmade things - the kids cut, paste, draw and create. For Jules' birthday all the guests had to look for dinosaurs bones in a plaster square, conclusion two hours of silence - a clever and inexpensive idea that didn't leave Dorothee and her husband too worn out at the end of the day! This is Dorothee's talent, making so much out of nothing - inventing unbelievable stories from two cotton threads!

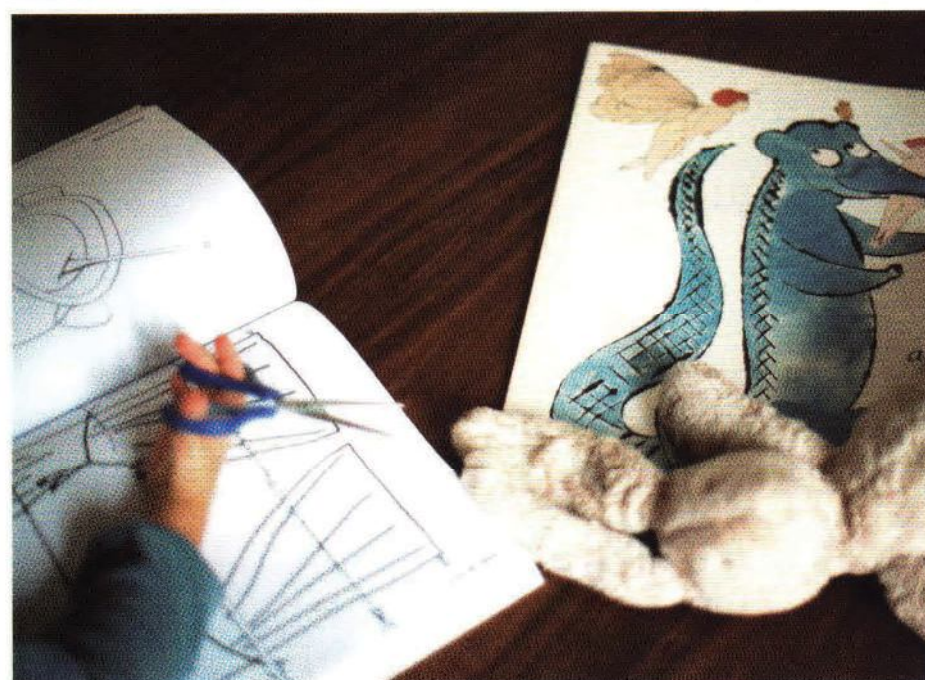
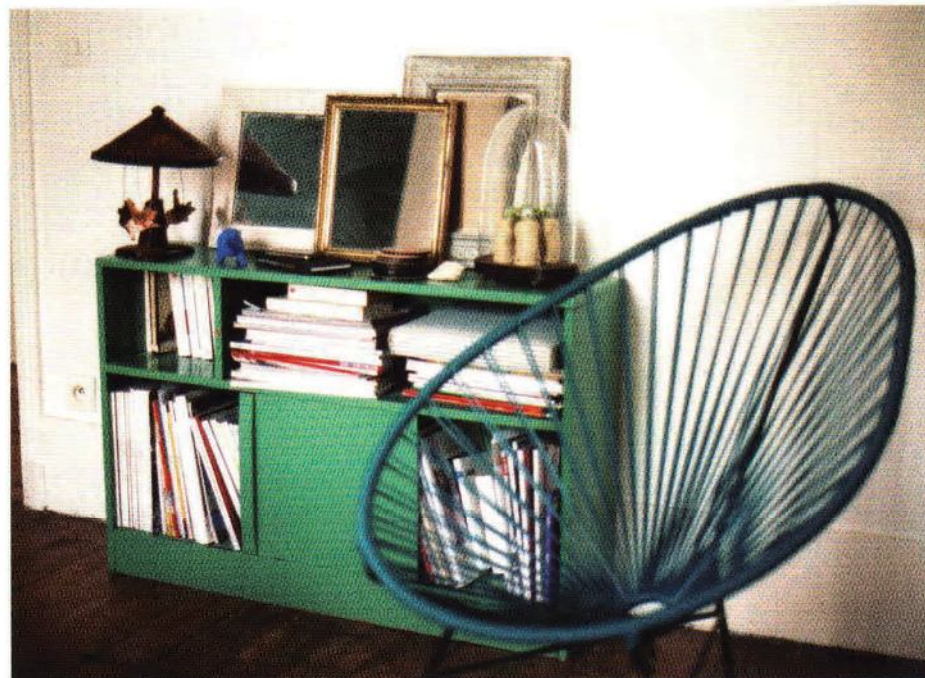
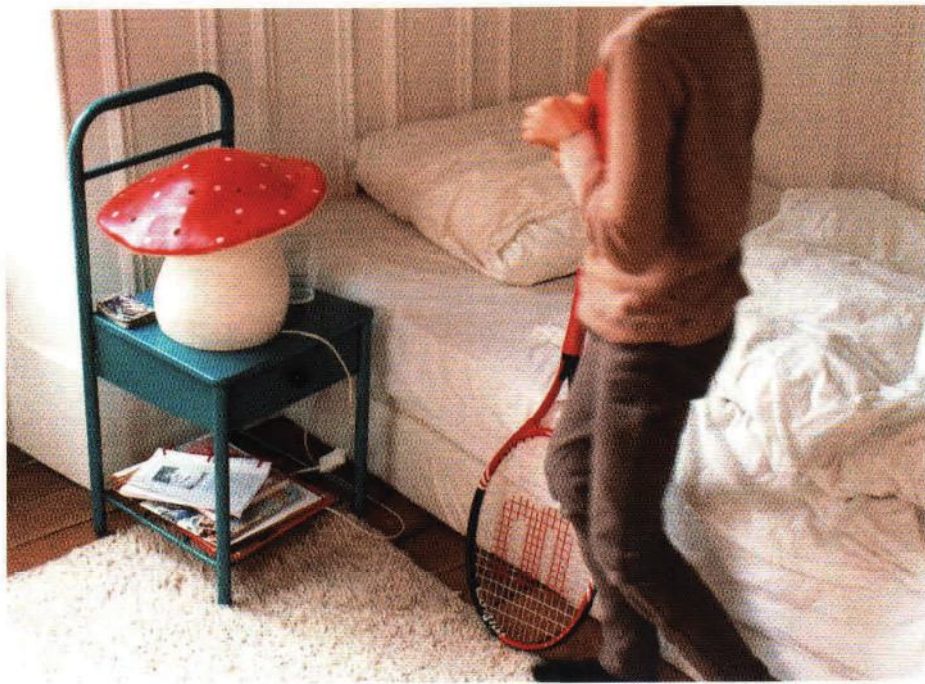
Dorothee's work is reminiscent of contemporary artist Sarah Sze's who is famed for taking ordinary every day objects to create extraordinary sculptures and works of art. The idea overrides the material, the idea is the queen of Dorothee's castle.

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"BUTTERFLY" by INDIA MAHDAVI, DISH
"JUS" by INDIA MAHDAVI, KAPLA and PLAYMOBIL
"GHOST" by PAOLA NAVONE/GERVASONI,
WALL by JEAN-PIERRE KHAZEM, CARPET by IKEA

MUSHROOM LIGHT by EGMONT, STABLE by
TREASURE BOX from MERCI, PUZZLE of PIKACHU

VINTAGE SUITCASE FULL OF BARBIES, SUITCASE by
CARDBOARD SUITCASES by DJECO and a RABBIT.



TOP VINTAGE BOARDING SCHOOL CHAIR, MUSHROOM LIGHT by E

MIDDLE ACAPULCO SOFA at SEI
MIRRORS are VINTAGE, JOURNÉ
BOOK by PIQPOQ, DINAUSOR by

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