Trump ‘Murinal’

One piece of protest art, which I particularly like, was made in 2016 in response to Donald Trump when he was still a candidate for the 2016 presidential elections in America. This was before he had won the election, before he became President, but he had already upset a lot of people, and somebody decided to make a ‘murinal’ about him. A ‘murinal’ is a combination of two words – ‘mural’ and ‘urinal’ – and I like this one because I think it’s a humorous piece and I think Trump was a worthy topic. It’s in a Canadian nightclub, called The District Stop, and it was created by a local artist. He painted Donald Trump’s face around a urinal in the men’s bathroom, placing the urinal where Donald Trump’s mouth should be. This is a joke – it’s a pun about the phrase ‘potty mouth’ because Trump is well known for using bad language at inappropriate moments. The face is in black and white and it’s surrounded by stupid quotes that Trump has said, like ‘I love beautiful women and beautiful women love me’, or ‘we have a great relationship with the blacks’. This ‘murinal’ denounces Donald Trump’s racism and sexism and I like it because it deals with these serious subjects in a humorous and an original way. 

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| **A2**Certaines informations ont été comprises mais le relevé est incomplet, conduisant à une compréhension encore lacunaire ou partielle. | **10** | **L’œuvre se trouve au Canada, Trump est le président des USA et l’œuvre le critique. La femme aime bien parce que c’est amusant et original même si le sujet est sérieux.** |
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