

The Stone Soup Leadership Institute's Story of the Week: Shreya K.C. Acting Locally & In Solidarity with Others Week of May 30 – June 5, 2021



Sunday: Thrive Global: Acting Locally & In Solidarity with Others

**#SundayThoughts:** This week's story on Arianna Huffington's Thrive Global showcases Shreya K.C. a 22-year-old climate activist from Nepal, a country hit hard by the effects of climate change. Shreya believes youth have the power to change the future of our planet for the better.

Thrive Global Link: <u>https://thriveglobal.com/stories/acting-locally-in-solidarity-with-others/</u>

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To all the governments and businesses, our message is "You don't know us but millions of youth like me are hoping you will save our future. We need you to do the right thing. Please don't disappoint us.

#### SHREYA KC

Nepalese Youth for Climate Action



need to acknowledge our power to do something.

### Monday: Quote: Shreya K.C.

**#MondayMotivation:** When Shreya K.C. took an environmental science class in college, she was immediately interested in the subject. Now, she helps to organize events and campaigns for Nepalese Youth for Climate Action and recently represented Nepal at the COP25 conference in Madrid.

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### Tuesday: Heroes Report: Shreya K.C.

Be inspired by this short video featuring K.C., who got involved with Nepalese Youth for Climate Action when she was 18. As National Network Coordinator she hopes to inspire global leaders to include young people in decisions that impact the climate crisis.

### Link: https://youtu.be/AMfgYJ1w1H4

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### Wednesday: Honor Roll: Nepalese Youth for Climate Action

**#CalltoAction**: Nepalese Youth for Climate Action (NYCA) is a youth lead coalition of youth groups tackling climate Emergency, the biggest challenge of our generation. Their motto is, "Caring for Climate, Caring for Ourselves."

To find out more about NYCA, follow them on social media or visit <a href="https://www.nyca.net.np/">https://www.nyca.net.np/</a>

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For World Environment Day, Shreya and NYCA ask you to show how you care for nature through a Video Competition. Theme: I Care for Nature Deadline: 3rd June, 2021 **bit.ly/Care4Nature** 

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### Wednesday: Petition: Video Competiton

**#CalltoAction**: In honor of #WorldEnvironmentDay2021, Shreya KC and NYCA Nepal invite you to showcase your love for nature and win exciting prizes! Follow updates on NYCA Nepal for more information.

Registration link: <u>bit.ly/Care4Nature</u>

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### Thursday: Shreya K.C. Featured in New Book

We're pleased to announce that Shreya K.C. is featured in the new book, *Stone Soup for a Sustainable World: Life-Changing Stories of Young Heroes.* Pre-order the book and receive an invite to the World's Largest Book Signing, June 24, 2021.

Preorder on Kindle or Paperback: amzn.to/3eUDwyh

Stone Soup for a Sustainable World: Life-Changing Stories of Young *Heroes* features the stories of 100 leaders from 38 countries around the world, and 32 U.S. cities who work to build a more just, equitable, and sustainable world.

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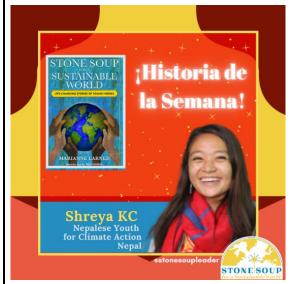
### Friday: Fridays for Educators

Educators - Bring Shreya's story to life in your classroom with our companion Lesson Plan with Language Arts, STEM Activities, Sustainability Innovations and Sustainable Career Pathways. Meet your ELA and Next Gen STEM Standards.

http://sustainabilityisfun.net/virtual-toolkit/shreya-k-c/

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### Friday: Fridays for Educators

We are pleased to announce the Spanish version of our new book, Stone Soup for a Sustainable World: Life-Changing Stories of Young Heroes. Environmental justice begins with equitable education for all students. We want to do whatever we can to fully engage all young people in discovering their own sustainability-solutions. When Latinx youth read these stories in their own language and meet leaders who look like them, they are inspired to learn, stay in school, realize their dreams for building a more just, equitable and sustainable world.

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#### Saturday: The Institute's 17th Sustainability Summit Speaker

**#SaturdayThoughts:** You can nominate a promising youth leader (aged 15-17) to serve as a youth delegate to the Institute's 17th Sustainability Summit. Meet global youth leaders featured in our new book, *Stone Soup for a Sustainable World: Life-Changing Stories of Young Heroes* at this 3 day, dynamic, solutions-oriented virtual interactive learning experience. Register now for a chance to meet global young leaders from the book!

Application link <u>http://bit.ly/3twGKN0</u> For Educators: <u>https://bit.ly/3njzge6</u>

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