

## The Stone Soup Leadership Institute Shilpa Jain Week of November 12-18 2023



Sunday: Story

https://sustainabilityisfun.net/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/story-shilpa-jain.pdf

READ how Shilpa Jain led YES! to bring together artists, activists, educators, lawyers, dreamers, visionaries, healers, academics, data analysts and small business owners, "and many more...We come together to learn from each other, to face our fears and challenges, to uncover solutions and ways forward, to dream of a more truthful, loving, whole world – and to practice ways to get there."

How might we learn from them?



Sunday: Veterans Day

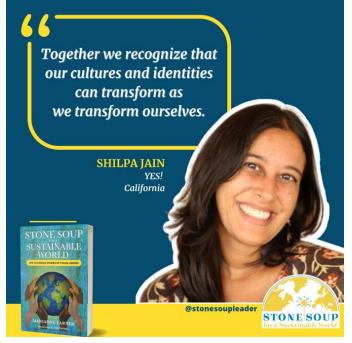
Today, we honor all those who served our country!



Monday: Happy Diwali Diwali, a Festival of Lights, is India's biggest celebration of the year. Indians light outside their homes to symbolize the inner light that protects from spiritual darkness.

Learn more here:

https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/pages/article/diwali



Monday: Quote

Shilpa Jain is an innovative educator and facilitator, and served as YES! Executive Director for 15 years. Learn more about her work here.

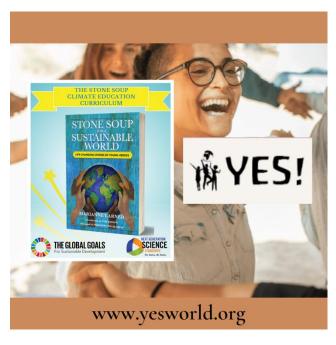


Tuesday: Video

WATCH this video with highlights from YES! Jams around the world & LISTEN to the words.

"We have to take care of the children, the little children of the world. They're our strongest hope for the future...We can do it!"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=653AVc\_szCM



Wednesday: Honor Roll <a href="https://yesworld.org/">https://yesworld.org/</a>

YES! connects, inspires and collaborates with changemakers to build thriving, just and regenerative ways of life for all.

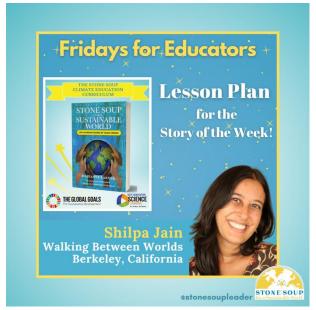
YES! primarily works with people ages 20-40, though many of their programs are multigenerational as well. Learn more here:



Thursday: Video

https://youtu.be/3y4Ymvl72UQ

HAPPY 92nd BIRTHDAY to Dr. Ariyaratne, "the Gandhi of Sri Lanka." WATCH VIDEO of Dr. Ari sharing how Sarvodaya helps people fight poverty, and build community and peace. Founded 65 years ago, Sarvodaya serves 800,000 villagers and served as a model for the Peace Corps.



Friday: Lesson Plan

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EDUCATORS use this FREE Lesson Plan with ideas for creative approaches to education and activism.

How might you use these activities in class?



Saturday: Press

"My activism has always been defined by what's doable rather than what are we fighting against," says Shilpa Jain. "What are the positive things we can create in the world, and how are they being created right now? I'm interested in supporting people where their passion is now, as well as trying to unearth their passions through a process of listening and dialogue. There are a thousand entry points to challenge this system and shape alternative possibilities..."

https://www.dailygood.org/story/427/we-have-everything-we-need-already-shilpa-jain/