



You are cordially invited to attend
the **Rotary Club of Highlands Ranch** Noon Meeting
for a presentation by:

Gitanjali Rao

TIME's first-ever "Kid of the Year"

Thursday, March 18th at 12:00 noon

Please join us virtually as we listen to and honor Miss Rao's
achievements in science and invention.

Please **RSVP** to pcalderbank@pjcrfid.com
no later than **Friday, March 12th** to allow time to receive the zoom link.

Gitanjali was honored as *Forbes* "30 Under 30 in Science" in 2019 and *TIME's* "Top Young Innovator" and "Kid of the Year" for her innovations and STEM workshops she conducts globally, which has inspired over thirty-eight thousand students in the last two years across four continents.

<https://time.com/5916772/kid-of-the-year-2020/>



Gitanjali Rao has also been recognized as America's Top Young Scientist and received an EPA Presidential award for inventing her device "Tethys"—an early lead detection tool. Gitanjali is the inventor of "Epione"—a device for early diagnosis of prescription opioid addiction using genetic engineering, and "Kindly"—an anti-cyberbullying service using AI and Natural Language processing.

A Lone Tree, Colorado resident and STEM School Highlands Ranch student, Gitanjali's mission is to create a global community of young innovators to solve world problems.

The Highlands Ranch Rotary Foundation and club members will be donating in Miss Rao's name to a non-profit of her choice. If you would like to contribute additional funding in honor of Gitanjali, please contact Shrin Murthy at shrin.murthy@gmail.com 952-239-1263