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Meet Eleanor Roosevelt: “No Ordinary Woman” at Lacey library performance

For more than 30 years, Eleanor Roosevelt was the most powerful woman in America. Visit with her now and hear what she has to say as actress and scholar Joan Wolfberg performs “Meet Eleanor Roosevelt: “No Ordinary Woman.” This free public performance will take place at the Lacey Timberland Library on Saturday, November 13 from 10:30 a.m. to noon.



All lines in the production have been documented as coming directly from Roosevelt. Wolfberg becomes Eleanor Roosevelt through the magic of makeup, acting skill and heartfelt affinity for her character. Journey with her from Eleanor's shy, awkward childhood to her life as the nation's First Lady and later to the United Nations. Learn about her beliefs in the equality of women, civil rights, human rights, politics and freedom. Discover her relationship with Franklin Delano Roosevelt—FDR—and others, as well as her strengths, weaknesses, sense of humor and ideals.

Wolfberg is a professional actress and Chautauqua scholar. She travels throughout the country weaving drama and history into educational and inspirational tales that focus on the growth and development of the women she portrays. Wolfberg's Web site is www.joanwolfberg.com.

“Meet Eleanor Roosevelt” is being sponsored by the Friends of the [Lacey Timberland Library](http://www.Lacey Timberland Library). The library is at 500 College Street SE, Lacey. For more information, please call 497-2665 or go to www.TRL.org.

Timberland Regional Library provides for the information, reading and lifelong learning needs of the Grays Harbor, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, and Thurston county public at 27 community public libraries and 7 library service partner locations. The library system is funded mainly by local property taxes. Anyone needing special accommodations to participate in a library's program may contact the library one week in advance.