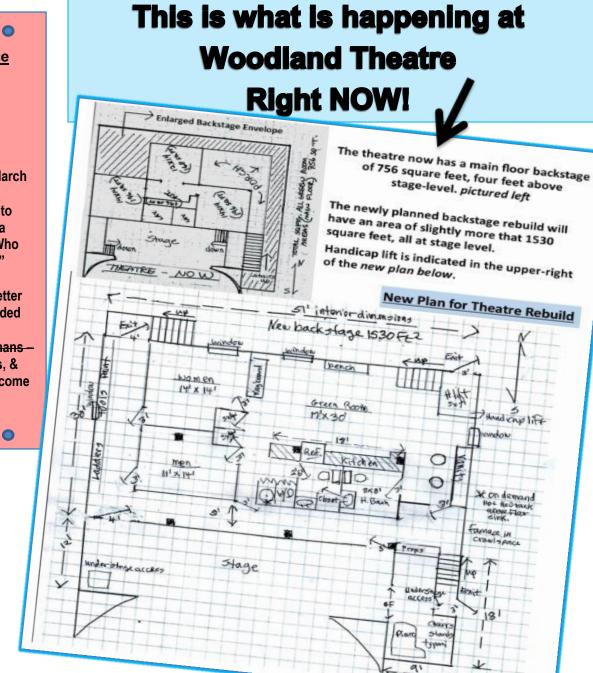
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Obtain your tickets now and Join with Woodland Theatre as we share a virtual presentation of May's Vote. Friday March 26 at 7pm.

Prim and proper Emma Smith DeVoe and outrageous, flamboyant May Arkwright Hutton worked side by side -- but seldom eye to eye -- to win the vote for women in Washington State in 1910. Suddenly May is gone, and Emma can't get her out of her mind!

Emma and May were as different as night and day. They agreed on "the one big thing -- on whether women should vote," but on everything else, including how to achieve their goal, they disagreed completely. Emma, based in Western Washington, was a professional suffrage organizer who had worked with Susan B. Anthony. She believed that in order to win the vote, it was imperative to approach men in a ladylike manner, "to persuade them, to convince them, to argue their resistance down." May, a Spokane millionaire who had struck it rich in the Idaho silver mines, believed that "you gotta . . . charm the pants off 'em. You don't focus on the issue; you distract 'em from it!"

May's Vote presents these two fascinating women from Washington's past from their childhoods through the successful fight for the vote despite their vastly different views on how to win it. Only after May's death does Emma realize that perhaps their differing approaches actually strengthened their cause.

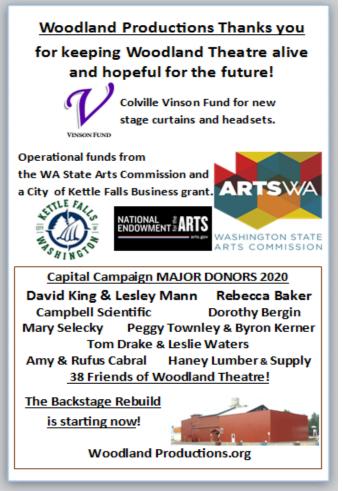
Sponsored by the Colville Branch of the American Association of University Women and the Colville chapter of the Rotary Club; the presentation commemorates the 100th anniversary of ratification of the 19th Amendment, which paved the way for women to vote in all U.S. elections. To reserve a virtual seat at this production, visit https://keycitypublictheatre.org/maysvote/ after March 6 to obtain your ticket and to make a donation to Woodland Theatre if you wish. The 45-minute play will be followed by a Q&A session with the actors.



The idea started out small enough....How do we let people who have never been to Woodland Theatre know about us? How do we get our story out, out to Steven's County and beyond? Then the thought came...."It's not <u>what</u> you know it's <u>who</u> you know"! So we are asking: would you send a letter...to a person <u>who</u> you know; a person that has influence or is famous? The letter is already written (there is a copy in this newsletter) all you have to do you is to put their name on it, sign it, and send it! Here's the kicker. We are not asking them for money....we are just asking them to tell their friends and acquaintances to check out our website. <woodlandproductions.org> On our website they can see how we are rebuilding and preparing to dance again, to sing again, and to tell our story's again. Maybe a lot of people will give a little donation when they learn about us. Because it will only take a little to make a lot of our dream come true.

If you have more than one person you can to write to, there is a link on our home page to a copy of the letter that you can print and sign. <woodlandproductions.org> Let's give this a try!? Thank you!

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This is the perfect time to become a Friend of Woodland Theatre, a Major Donor, or a Sustaining Member by making a tax-deductible contribution to Woodland Productions PO Box 524, Colville WA 99114. Classic Movies will be starting this March at Woodland Classic Cinema! Woodland Classic Cinema will first present Fritz Lang's film - Metropolis! Woodland Cinema is privileged to have received the rights to show a limited screening of this classic and fully restored film. There's no debate: *Metropolis* is the most influential science fiction film ever made! Metropolis will grab you from the start, with highly stylized visions of the future and a brilliant score! Just check out the reviews online! Grab lunch or dinner out and join us at Woodland Theatre KF. We would like to thank Robyn Westergard for sponsoring this rare and wonderful film. Saturdays March 20 & 27- 2pm and 7pm, and Sundays March 21 & 28 -2pm. Masks are required.

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Dear

I wanted to tell you about our town's community theatre. Woodland Theatre is located in Kettle Falls; the city of "1550 friendly people and one grouch". In this community all people, whether they are audience, actors, musicians, volunteers or ushers are an integral part of the family that is Woodland Theatre. I know you are a person of influence and you know a lot of people that is why I am asking you for a favor. Would you tell others about us and what we do? Take a look at our website and ask them to do so as well? <woodlandproductions.org>

We are restoring our building, restoring people's faith in the arts, and restoring our health as a community after covid. The more people who know about us, the quicker we will reach our goals. So we are asking and we are grateful that you are listening. Maybe a few people that you tell will contribute a little bit to help us. Because a little bit will go a long ways.

Many Thanks: