

Orange Is the New Black

by Piper Kerman

**Saturday, March 8
@ 7pm**

**Safe Streets Arts
Opening Reception***
Sharon Community Center
219 Massapoag Avenue

Browse and purchase
original art work by
prisoners.

Wine & cheese will be
served.

*In partnership with Sharon Adult
Center and Sharon Recreation
Department*

*Safe Streets Arts Foundation is a nonprofit, which is partially funded by the National Endowment for the Arts. It is committed to helping prisoners use the arts as a rehabilitative and therapeutic tool to develop self esteem and a positive attitude, vital for successful reentry into society. Proceeds are used for inmate art supplies and victim restitution.



Tuesday, March 11 @ 7pm
**Prisons, Justice, and Gender
Panel Discussion**
Sharon Public Library

Panelists:

- Deborah Becker** (Moderator): Award-winning Reporter/Host at WBUR, Boston's NPR news station, focusing on mental health, criminal justice, crime and education
- Erika Kates**, PhD: Senior Researcher at Wellesley Centers for Women; Founder Women's Justice Network
- Danielle Rousseau**, PhD LMHC: Assistant Professor Department of Applied Social Sciences, Director of Prison Education, Boston University

BOOK DISCUSSIONS



Friday, March 14 @ 7pm

Barnes & Noble, Walpole
with Vera Jordan, OBOT member,
and Marie Cerino, former Warden CT
Women's Prison and Assistant Deputy
Commissioner of CT Prisons



Wednesday, March 19 @ 6:30pm

Sharon Public Library
with Lanette Hart, Assistant
Director, Sharon Public Library



Sunday, March 23 @ 3pm
And Still We Rise
Unitarian Church of Sharon*
4 North Main Street

Performance & talkback by formerly
incarcerated people & their loved ones,
dedicated to healing, public awareness
& social change.

*In partnership with the Unitarian Church of Sharon
and the Social Justice Committee*

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Additional parking is available in the municipal
lots on High Street and in the lot behind the stores
on Billings Street. Parking is also available in the
Eastern Bank parking lot when the bank is closed.



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www.sharonpubliclibrary.org

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Save the date!

**Thursday, March 27
@ 7pm**

**An Evening with Author
Piper Kerman**

Sharon High School
181 Pond Street

Author Talk and Book Signing

\$5 General Admission
\$3 Students & Seniors

Tickets: www.onebookonetown.org
Questions: obotsharon@gmail.com

What is "OBOT"?

"One Book, One Town" is a reading program that encourages everyone in a community to read and come together to discuss the same book. The program takes the idea of a localized book discussion club and expands it to cover a whole city.

Sharon's past book choices include:

2013 Defending Jacob, by William Landay

2012 The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay, by Michael Chabon

2011 The Given Day, by Dennis Lehane

2010 The Things They Carried, by Tim O'Brien

2009 The Devil in the White City, by Erik Larson

2008 Water for Elephants, by Sara Gruen

2007 Peace Like a River, by Leif Enger