

BREAD & WATER PRISONERS, INC.

Bread & Water Prisoners, Inc. is proud to announce a Writing Contest, featuring cash awarded prizes.

1st Place = \$100.00 2nd Place = \$50.00 3rd Place = \$25.00

Winners will be announced in a future newsletter, along with their prize winning submission. All wishing to participate must choose from one of the five listed topics below. All written submissions must be typed and no longer than two full pages. All entries must be sent in no later than November 1, 2016. Please send your typed work to:

Bread & Water Prisoners, Inc.
PO Box 84
Hopedale, MA 01747

Topic Questions:

- 1) What do you think about the healthcare provided by the DOC? If you could fix it what would you do?
- 2) As far as programming goes, what do you think is the greatest need that we are currently lacking in order for inmates to better their chances for a successful return to society?
- 3) Prisoners in Massachusetts are not allowed to vote. How does that make you feel? Why do you think it is important for those of us currently incarcerated to get the vote back? Or do you?
- 4) If you could pick the members of the Parole Board, what would you require of them as far as experience and training, and why?
- 5) Explain the importance of education and whether or not it should be made mandatory for those men and women who come into the system and cannot read or write and lack either a G.E.D. or High School diploma?

Good luck! We are looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Your friends at Bread & Water