

Author **ANITA  
DIAMANT**  
will join us

as we celebrate CKI's  
130th Anniversary on  
September 9 -11, 2022



**Friday | September 9, 2022 | 7 pm**

Anita will discuss, *MY JEWISH LIFE – AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY IN SIX GUIDEBOOKS + A MIKVEH*. Services begin at 7 PM followed by an Oneg and her discussion.

**Saturday | September 10, 2022 | 7 pm**

We will again host Ms. Diamant at 7 PM to discuss, *WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A JEWISH NOVELIST?* *Havdalah* service will follow and her books will be available to purchase and have autographed.

**Sunday | September 11, 2022 | 1 pm**

The Gail Borden Library, 270 N Grove, Elgin, will host Anita at 1PM. Her topic will be, *A CONVERSATION WITH BEST-SELLING AUTHOR ANITA DIAMANT*.

Anita Diamant is the author of thirteen books, most recently **Period. End of Sentence**. The New Chapter in the Fight for Menstrual Justice. Her first novel, New York Times bestseller, **The Red Tent**, has been published in more than 25 countries. Her other novels include **The Boston Girl**, **Day after Night**, **The Last Days of Dogtown**, and **Good Harbor**. Diamant has also written six non-fiction guides to contemporary Jewish life and a collection of essays, **Pitching my Tent**. An award-winning journalist, her work has appeared in **The Boston Globe Magazine**, **Real Simple**, **Parenting**, **Boston Magazine** and WBUR's online magazine, **Cognoscenti**. Anita lives in the Boston area and is the founding president of **Mayyim Hayyim** Living Waters Community Mikveh and Education Center.

Make plans to attend all the events.  
Share the events with your friends.  
All events are free and open to the public  
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