



KOSHER SA

A Division of the UOS

KOSHER UPDATES & NOTICES

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2023

Dear Community Member, in order to keep informed, please see below for the most recent Kosher product updates and alerts. Some products you may have seen but we like to do a summary of all the new products from the past month.



Look out for Shabbos Project meal specials at your local kosher restaurants and caterers.

<https://www.koshersa.co.za/kosher-shopping-dining/>



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Kosher Status:



Parev



Dairy



Chalav
Yisrael



Meat

FOOD SERVICES A - Z SHOWCASE

Gourmet Kosher Safaris (Formerly Africa Kosher Safaris)



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NEW PRODUCTS

Dolce Vita Non-Dairy Coneys are now kosher
Parev and Pas Yisrael, with the BD logo.



Woolworths Kids Low Fat Strawberry Choobes are
now kosher **Dairy** with the BD logo.



The following **NEW** flavours of **Woolworths Crisps & Sticks** are now kosher, with the BD logo.

Hand-cooked Crisps

Roast Lamb & Rosemary Flavoured Potato Crisps (**Dairy**)
Salt & White Balsamic Vinegar Flavoured Potato Crisps (**Parev**)
Sriracha Flavoured Potato Crisps (**Parev**)

Hand-cooked Sticks

Jalapeno & Sour Cream Flavoured Potato Sticks (**Dairy**)
Salt And White Balsamic Vinegar Flavoured Potato Sticks (**Parev**)
Sticky Ribs & Chilli Flavoured Potato Sticks (**Parev**)



Woolworths Rainbow Trout Nibbles are now kosher **Parev** with the BD logo.

Sir Fruit Smoothie Banoffee Pie Lux is now kosher **Dairy** with the BD logo.



PRODUCT UPDATES



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BEYOND IS BACK!



The **Beyond Meat** range is back in South Africa and available at select Woolworths and online. Look for the OK  kosher logo on the packaging.

Woolworths Full Cream Strawberry Ayshire Yoghurt 6x100g is kosher certified **Dairy** even without the BD logo.



KOSHER ALERTS



Woolworths Edamame & Cashew Nibbles are **no longer kosher** and current stock should not be used. The company has taken corrective action to remove the kosher logo.



Ace Instant Maize Porridge with Added Milk bears the incorrect parev logo. This product is **Dairy**. The company apologises for the error and corrective action has been taken.

OUR GUIDE TO CHECKING

BABY BROCCOLI

Note: Also known as longstem, tenderstem, broccolini, or baby broccoli. All baby broccoli needs to be checked with a micro-cloth. ONLY broccoli stems DO NOT require checking with a micro-cloth.



MICRO-CLOTH SYSTEM METHOD OF CHECKING FOR BABY BROCCOLI

Potentially infested produce is cleaned with soap and water to remove insects. The efficacy of the cleaning process is assessed by checking the cleaning-water for insects.

The cleaning-water is checked by filtering it through a specialised cloth and inspecting the cloth. If no insects are found on the cloth, we can be assured the produce is clean.

For the full micro-cloth checking method:

<https://www.koshersa.co.za/fruit-veg-checking/baby-broccoli/>

To order your checking kit:

<https://www.koshersa.co.za/veg-checking-box/>

MORE ABOUT BROCCOLI

REGULAR VS BABY BROCCOLI



REGULAR BROCCOLI



BABY BROCCOLI

REGULAR BROCCOLI FLORETS

Regular broccoli florets **may not be used** because it's virtually impossible to check or clean them practically and effectively.



BROCCOLI STEMS

Step 1: Ensure all the florets together with the small stalks that they are attached to are cut off leaving behind a smooth stem.

Step 2: Thoroughly rinse under a strong stream of cold water.



FROZEN BROCCOLI

Frozen Broccoli **may not be used.**



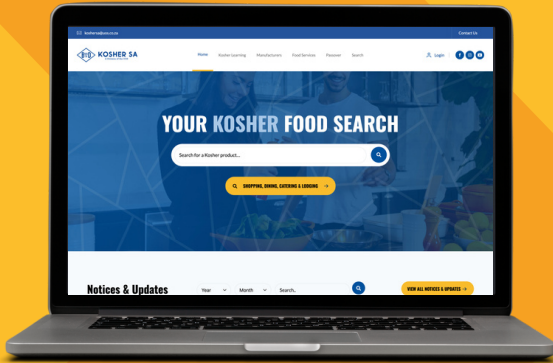
FOR MORE FRUIT & VEG CHECKING GUIDES

SEE OUR WEBSITE

HERE'S HOW TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR ALL OUR LATEST **NOTICES & UPDATES**

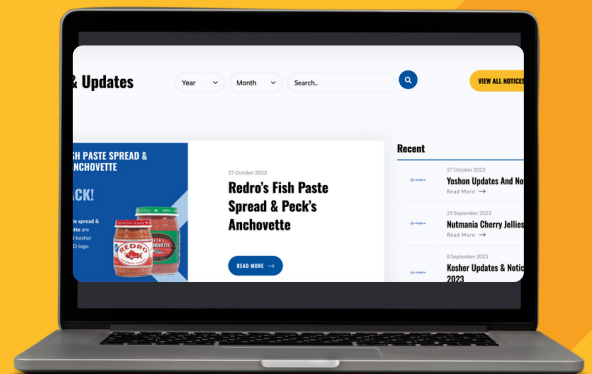
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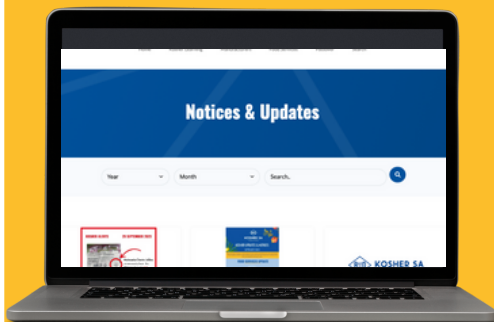
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Scroll down till you see the words “Notices & Updates”



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Message from **RABBI DOVI GOLDSTEIN**

Dear Community,

As we gather for another edition of our monthly kosher newsletter, we are excited to come together once more, strengthening the ties that bind us as a vibrant and supportive community. We are all in much pain from the recent events in Israel and our prayers are with the soldiers and people of our holy land and our brethren throughout the world!

This week we celebrate the 10th Shabbos Project so look out for community events and specials at your favourite outlets.

We are excited to introduce some new features on our newsletter. Each month, we will be showcasing various kosher food services, introducing new and exciting products, and providing informative how-to articles on using our website to make your kosher journey more user-friendly and enjoyable. This online platform is a treasure trove of resources and learning to enhance your experience within our kosher community.

Also please sign up for Yoshon info which you can find on our newsletter and website.

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Warm Regards,

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