



KOSHER SA
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KOSHER UPDATES & NOTICES

MARCH 2024

Dear Community Member,

Get ready to stay in the loop! We're excited to bring you the latest and greatest in new kosher products and kosher updates. From special announcements to Food Service showcases, we've compiled a complete rundown from the past month.

Don't miss out on what's new in our kosher universe... Take a deep dive below!

FROM ALL OF US AT KOSHER SA

CHAG PURIM SAMEACH



3 EASY MISHLOACH MANOT IDEAS

GAME TIME THEME

Our game night themed mishloach manot is packed with fun and flavor! Get your game faces on and let the good times roll! Include beer, chips and some biltong.



MILK & COOKIES THEME

Send sweet vibes with a milk and cookies themed mishloach manot! Get ready to dunk and devour this delicious treat! Include Hamentashen, flavoured milk drinks and some cookies.



MOVIE NIGHT THEME

Our movie night themed mishloach manot is ready to steal the show! Popcorn, sweets, and all your favorite snacks await – grab a seat, it's showtime! Include popcorn, a cold drink and some sweets.



NEWLY-CERTIFIED PRODUCTS

The following **Sir Fruit Smoothies** are now kosher certified.

*Green Smoothie Vegan - **Parev***
*Peanut Butter Smoothie - **Dairy***



The following **Homegrown Corn Chips** are now kosher **Parev**.

Samoosa Flavoured Corn Chips
Shisinyama Flavoured Corn Chips
Samoosa Flavoured Corn Chips
Chakalaka Flavoured Corn Chips



The following **Doubleshot** products are now kosher **Parev**.

SYRP - Rich Cacao
SYRP - Sticky Caramel
SYRP - Coconut Macaroon
SYRP - Vanilla Pod
SYRP - Toasted Hazelnut



PRODUCT UPDATES



SNOWFLAKE CREATIONS BROWNIE KIT

NOW PAREV

Due to changes in production, Snowflake Creations Brownie Kit changed kosher status from Dairy to **Parev**.



D'LITE 37% FAT SPREAD TUB

INCORRECT STATUS ON PACKAGING

D'Lite 37% Fat Spread Tub bears a dairy logo, but this product is **Parev**.



D'LITE 40% FAT SPREAD BRICK

INCORRECT STATUS ON PACKAGING

D'Lite 40% Fat Spread Brick bears a dairy logo, but this product is **Parev**.

ALERTS & NOTICES

PHYTO PRO PROTEIN POWDERS

NO LONGER CERTIFIED

Phyto Pro Protein Powders are no longer kosher certified. Accordingly, they do not bear the kosher logo.

A- Z SHOWCASE

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CHALAV YISRAEL

HOW TO CHECK BOK CHOI / CHINESE WHITE CABBAGE

Our simple guide to veg checking



METHOD A

Use the Micro-Cloth Method

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 assume the produce is clean.

METHOD B

Use only the sponge method.

Equipment:
Soft Sponge

1. Separate ALL the leaves. That means detach and completely open out every single one.
2. Rub each leaf on both sides with a soft, very soapy, sponge. Take care to wipe into all the folds. Discard any parts which you cannot reach with the sponge.
3. Thoroughly rinse both sides of each leaf under a stream of cold water. You do not need to visually check the leaves once this method has been used.

Message from **RABBI DOVI GOLDSTEIN**

Dear Community,

In this edition of the newsletter, we are thrilled to present you with some creative Mishloach Manot ideas to add a touch of excitement and spice to your celebrations, along with warm wishes for a Purim Sameach.

Discover our delectable array of new products, including nutritious drinks and snacks. Additionally, we're pleased to share updates on several products that are now Parev.

South Africa boasts a rich variety of Food Services, and in this issue, we're shining a spotlight on some noteworthy ones. Take the opportunity to explore and savour their offerings!

And last but not least, indulge in an Asian-inspired culinary experience with our Bok Choy checking guide as you whip up a delightful Asian stir fry.

Wishing you a joyous and flavourful celebration!

Warm Regards,



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