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#### EATING IN AND EATING OUT

Most Kosher consumers are very Makpid and careful that the Kosher standards in their home are of the very highest possible. Unfortunately, some find themselves inadvertently compromising these standards when eating out.

A non-Jewish executive from one of the largest supermarket chains in the world asked me to explain the following incident to him within the realm of Kashrus:

One of his Jewish managers proudly proclaimed to him one day that he "keeps strictly kosher". The boss was therefore confused when he was invited to a BBQ, held at the manager's home, hosted on his patio, where he saw shrimp cocktails, among other non-Kosher foods, being served. When he asked the manager about this contradiction he was told: "I keep strictly Kosher in my home, but that does not include the back porch or backyard".

As amusing and distant as this seems for most of the Kosher-observant population, unfortunately, there are questionable situations that do occur even among knowledgeable and caring Shomer Kashrus families. The following are some concerns:

#### AT HOME

(our own and those we are invited to)

BISHUL AKUM Chazal forbade eating many types of food that were cooked by a non-Jew to prevent intermarriage and Kashrus concerns.. Ashkenazim can rely on the Ramah that states when a Jew lights a fire (for cooking purposes), or even a pilot light, it is sufficient to negate Bishul Akum (non-Jewish cooking). If a Jew over the age of 10 is keeping an eye on the Kashrus of the kitchen we can assume that the light did not go out and was not relit by a non-Jew. Experience has shown that if left alone, many housekeepers will relight or restart a range or oven as well as cook their own food in the Kosher oven and clean up well afterwards, not appreciating the damage done. After a utensil has been used by a Non-Jew without Jewish participation, the vessel needs Kashering. It is imperative to convey to any non-Jew in our home the vital importance of not using the kitchen in our absence. This needs to be ascertained by a Jew overseeing the kitchen or at least have live cameras active and a Jew occasionally entering the kitchen unannounced.

#### **BOSOR SHNISALEM MIN HAAYIN**

(food that has lost the integrity of its Kosher status)

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As long as we treat our Kosher food protection as well as we do our other valuables, such as jewelry, the Kosher status will remain even in our absence.

**INSECT (TOLOYIM) CHECKING** Due to insect consumption consisting of 6 Lavin (Avairos) in the Torah (Vayikra 11:41), this is always a very serious concern. Even triple-washed leafy produce often still contain an unacceptable level of infestation.

Non-Toveled utensils There are those who are meticulous concerning their Kashrus observance unfortunately neglect the Mitzvah and necessity of being Tovel their Kailim.

Sefer Bamidbar Pashas Matos Perek 31 Posuk 22 states

אך את הזהב ואת הכסף את הנחושת את הברזל את הבדיל ואת העפרת

The next Posuk emphasizes

#### אך במי נדה יתחטא

These P'sukim are cited after the war with Midyan, that any utensils made of gold, silver, copper, iron, tin, lead and all types of metal, captured during the war, need to be Kashered first and then Toveled in a Mikvah before use (Gemorah Avodah Zara 75). Rashi understands this to be a general Mitzvah from the Torah, to be Tovel

utensils obtained from non- Jews. The Or Zarua also states that it is a Mltzva D"Oraisa, and Rav Shlomo Zalman Auerbach says that the Shagas Arye concurs with this opinion. The Ramban says that Tevilas Kailim in general is a Mitzvah from the Rabbonon, but not directly from the Torah. The Mishna B'Rura and Yechave Daas agree. Many Shuls have convenient special Mikvaos for Kailim (utensils) for public use.

STAM YAINAM If wine is not Mevushal (cooked) it too is considered a vehicle for intermarriage and is forbidden when touched by a non-Jew. Hence, Non-Mevushal wine left in a refrigerator needs to be well sealed, in a way that it clearly was not tampered with. According to Reb Moshe Feinstein wine is called Mevushal at a Pasteurization temperature of 175 degrees. According to Reb Elyoshiv and Reb Shlomo Zalman Auerbach the wine must be cooked at a much higher temperature to be called Mevushal. Most Kosher Grape Juice is Mevushal, with the exception of the 51 oz. glass bottles.

#### TERUMA/MAASER/SHMITTA ON

PRODUCTS FROM ISRAEL Due to the Kedusha of Eretz Yisroel, the produce requires additional procedures beyond produce from the rest of the world, such as bug infestation issues, before being ready to eat. The Torah instructs us to take of a certain amount of the produce for Kohanim, Leviim and the poor. The Rambam says that in our times this Mitzva is DeRabbonon. The Raavad disagrees and says that it is still a Mitzvah from the Torah. Therefore, one buying produce in Israel needs to be careful that is has a reliable Kosher certification that all Halachas of Kedushas Eretz Yisroel have been followed. When buying Israeli produce outside of Israel, all the above laws remain in effect. If purchased, one should consult a Rabbinic authority as to how to properly and halachically treat this produce. The Chief Rabbinate of Israel says that, unlike common misconceptions, they do not take Terumos and Maasros before exporting the produce. Since every seventh year in Israel has greater stringencies, the produce should not be purchased without a reliable Hechsher and if a person did obtain this produce they should ask a Rabbi how to conduct a proper disposal.

NON-RELIABLE KOSHER ITEMS With well over 1000 Kosher certifications worldwide, determining which have a reliable Kosher certification is a challenge that requires true dedication. There is a popular gelatin dessert in every market bearing a "K" which contains pork

gelatin. One should always consult their halachic authority to determine which Hechsherim meet their standards. A listing can be found at www. kosherquest.org.

**KITCHEN MIX-UPS** Entire sections of the Shulchan Aruch were written pertaining to kitchen mix-ups, such as Bosor B'Cholov, Taaruvos etc. It is beyond the scope of many people to apply all of these laws without having established a good connection to a Rabbi or organization who can deal knowledgably with it.

#### **OUT OF THE HOME**

## IS THE CATERER/RESTAURANT/ ACQUAINTANCE WHERE WE ARE GOING TO DINE AT THE SAME LEVEL OF KASHRUS

AS OUR OWN HOME? Most Kosher certified restaurants today will use buzzwords such as Glatt/Mehadrin etc. However one needs to know if the owner/manager of the establishment is Shomer Shabbos and on site at all times, or, in lieu of that, is there a Mashgiach Temidi (constant supervision) who is truly there all hours that the establishment is open. Generally, a reliable Hashgacha will take care of this. When invited to someone's house we need to determine if the atmosphere is wholesome and is the food truly Kosher (encompassing all of the concerns we have stated above).

#### WERE THE KAILIM TOVELED? A Jewish

caterer must be tovel all utensils that are used for his business. Often, caterers have a need to quickly purchase new items and do not have the availability to be tovel them. They often rely on what the Shulchan Aruch states: that if utensils are owned by a non-Jew, or even partially owned by a non-Jew, they do not require Tevila. Some caterers use a debatable method of forever "borrowing" the utensils from one of their workers.

#### IS INSECT CHECKING DONE AT YOUR

**DESIRED LEVEL?** In Parshas Shmini (Vayikra 11:41) and Parshas Re'ea the Torah tells us over and over that we cannot eat insects. Often, when eating a salad, if a person, for instance, consumes even one insect, it constitutes 6 Avairos from the Torah. During the times when DDT was allowed and commonly used as a Pesticide, Reb Moshe said in Iggros Moshe that insect consumption is not an issue in the U.S. However, now that the pesticides that are allowed to be used by farmers are much weaker, we find that insects have proliferated. Due to this severity and the difficulty of checking large amounts of produce, one must be

sure that a competent Yore Shomayim Mashgiach is on top of the checking. Needless to say, a vegetarian restaurant will need a very experienced Mashgiach, or will need to buy pre-checked and certified produce. Triple-washed produce is insufficient. Caterers and restaurants are under a great deal more pressure than a person at home, due to the volume and the immediate and constant need. Organic restaurants are an even greater concern as they generally buy produce that was not exposed to pesticide.

**BISHUL AKUM** All of the above concerns in a person's home are magnified in a restaurant/ catering if the Mashgiach or Jewish owner leaves for a while and puts the non-Jews in charge.

#### IS THERE BOSOR SHNISALEM MIN HAAY-IN? AIRLINE MEALS/ RESTAURANT DELIV-

**ERIES** Were the seals on the food intact when delivered? if not, see above. Numerous "Kashrus scandals" have occurred over the past few years by the lack of close, constant supervision over deliveries and shipments sent and received.

## IS THE YOGURT STORE CERTIFIED BY A MASHGIACH OR BY NON-JEWS? Aid Echad

Ne'Eman B'Issurim – One Shomer Shabbos Jew can attest to the Kosher status of a product. However, in most cases, a non-Jew does not share this capability. When a non-Kosher supervised yogurt store puts up signs claiming that they are using Kosher ingredients it is of course meaningless and usually not true. There are exceptions to this rule in other venues. These exceptions include unflavored water, pure fruits and vegetables, milk, franchise products and more. In those cases one can assume that what was claimed is accurate due to the compelling circumstances even when there is no local, onsite Mashgiach. Even in the above cases one should consult with their rabbi if and when they can use a product such as slurpees, fountain soda, coffee etc. without local Kosher supervision.

IS THE ATMOSPHERE KOSHER? I.E. CRUISE SHIPS, HOTEL, PARTY ETC. In Sefer Devorim Parshas Re'eh 14:8 the Torah singles out the pig as one of the animals that is not Kosher despite its "appearance" as Kosher, since it has split hooves. A common Yiddish idiom for a deceitful person is "Chazer Fissel", which means "pigs feet". The reasoning behind this is that at first glance the pig looks Kosher, as it seems to demonstrate by lying on its side, showing everyone its split hooves. However, upon closer inspection, one

sees what the Torah points out, that internally it does not chew its cud and therefore is not a Kosher animal. Chazal tell us to take the message from this that the Torah wants us to be Kosher externally as well as internally. This would preclude having a "food Kosher, but atmosphere traif" party/cruise/resort that is intrinsically not "Kosher" in other aspects.

**ARE THEY CAREFUL NOT TO MIX MEAT WITH FISH?** One of the more exciting culinary experiences at a Kosher resort/cruise is the Grand Kiddush, Midnight Shmorg etc. Extra care must be taken at these events to use separate plates for the fish and the meat. Mixing of the two is called by the Gemorah Pesachim (76B) Sakanta – dangerous to eat. The Shulchan Aruch in Yoreh Deah 116:2 says that for this reason. one must take a drink or eat something in between fish and meat. The Ramah forbids even cooking fish and meat in the same oven at the same time due to the vapors that would mix.

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Tel: (718) 578-4180 Israel: 054-732-867

www.jewishdiabetes.org www.kosherclub.com www.koshermart.com www.kosherdepot.biz www.kosherstarbucks.com

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Food Scientist - Kosher Food Specialist Scharf Associates P.O. Box 50 Sharon, MA 02067

Va'ad HaRabanim of Greater Seattle 5100 South Dawson St., #102, Seattle, WA 98118 Phone: (206) 760-0805 Fax: 725-0347 E-mail: Rabbiabk@seattlevaad.org www.seattlevaad.org

Publications: Quarterly Product Guide, Annual Pesach Guide

Vaad HaKashrus of Baltimore (Star K) Rabbi Moshe Heinemann, Rabbinic Advisor

411 Warren Road, Pikesville, Maryland 21208 (410) 484-4110 Publication - Kashrus Kurrents, Pesach Guide

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213-389-3382 562-286-5235 Fax info@rccvaad.org www. rccvaad.org

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Orthodox Union - O/U Kosher Hotline & Passover Directory 333 7th Avenue, New York, New York 10001 (212) 613-8241 Rabbi Menachem Genack www.ou/kosher.org

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Medicines & Cosmetics of Pesach by Rabbi Gershon Bess Kollel Los Angeles 223 South Formosa Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90036 (323) 933-7193

Chodosh Hot Line - Rabbi Herman (718) 305-5133

Pizza Nosh (Rabbi Ami Markel) 30313 Canwood Street (818) 991-3000

PSY Street Kitchen (O/K) 15030 Ventura Sherman Oaks (818) 917-9503

Street Café By Aroma (RCC) 18047 Ventura Blvd. Encino (818) 757-0477

Tel Aviv Fish Grill (RCC - dairy Cholov Yisroel) 19014 Ventura Tarzana (818) 774-9400

Tel Aviv Grill (Encino) (RCC) 17201 Ventura Blvd. Encino (818) 774-9400

Tel Aviv Grill (North Hollywood) (RCC) 12450 Burbank Blvd. (818) 766-6567

**The Grill Spot** (RCC) 17334 Ventura Blvd. (818) 945-2626

**Toast Café** (O/K) 15001 Ventura Blvd. (818) 522-2225

Unique Café (RCC) (Dairy - Cholov Yisroel) 18385 Ventura Blvd. (818) 757-3100

Yooshi Shoshi (RCC) 17942 Ventura (Encino) (818) 758-9595

#### **BAKERIES**

Continental Bakery (RCC) 12419 Burbank Blvd. (818) 762-5005

Krispie Kreme (KSA) 1521 N. Victory Pl., Burbank

Love Bakery (RCC) 17928 Ventura Blvd. (818) 881-1100

Nothing Bundt Cakes (RCC - dairy) 14622 Ventura Blvd. (Sherman Oaks) (818) 783-7800

Nothing Bundt Cakes (RCC - dairy) 6524 Platt Ave. (805) 340-0842

Renaissance Bakery (RCC) 14540 Friar Street (818) 778-6230

Sam's Kosher Bakery (O/K) 12450 Burbank Blvd. (818) 769-8352

**Schwartz's Bakery** (O/K) 12522 Burbank Blvd. (818) 766-2209

Unique Bakery (RCC) 18385 Ventura Blvd. (818) 757-3100

**Wildflour Bakery** (Earth Kosher) 29105 Canwood St. Agoura (818) 597-8774 NOTE: The Café/Restaurant at this location is NOT Kosher. They only bake their baked goods off-site and bring them in and the baked goods ARE under the Earth Kosher Hashgacha.

#### **BUTCHERS, FISH & MARKETS**

Cambridge Farms (RCC) 12341 Burbank Blvd. (818) 506-6661

Danielle's Glatt Kosher Meat (RCC)] 17263 Vanowen St. Van Nuys, Ca. 91401

Encino Market (RCC) 17977 Ventura Blvd. (818) 343-7900

Field's Market (RCC) 23221 Saticoy Street (818) 346-5117

Fish In the Village (RCC) 12451 Burbank Blvd. (818) 769-0085

Kosher Bazaar (O/K) 6846 Reseda Blvd. (818) 342-6666

**Le Market** (RCC) 12516 Burbank Blvd. (818) 763-5223

Mega Glatt Mart (RCC) 6114 Reseda Blvd. Tarzana (818) 578-5856

**Ralph's #6** (RCC & O/U) 17840 Ventura Blvd. (Encino) (818) 345-6882

Ralph's #63 (RCC & O/U) 12921 Magnolia Blvd. (Sherman Oaks) (818) 986-2292

Ralph's #222 14049 Ventura Blvd. (Sherman Oaks) (747) 233-6100

Super Sal Market (RCC) 17630 Ventura Blvd. Encino (818) 906-2815

Ventura Kosher Market (RCC) 18357 Ventura Blvd., Tarzana (818) 881-3777

Note: Glatt Kosher meat packages and Kosher Sushi packages bearing the RCC emblem are also available at designated counters in the following non-Kosher stores:

Fields Market (Meat)

Ralph's #6 (Meat) 17840 Ventura Blvd. (818) 345-6882

**Ralph's #63** 12921 Magnolia (818) 986-2292

#### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA KRISPY KREME:**

1521 N. Victory Pl., Burbank, Ca. (818) 955-9015

1024 W. Gladstone St. San Dimas (909) 599-4882

740 14 0 1 17 4 0 1 0 1 1 1 (664) 575 000

748 W. Rancho Vista Blvd. Palmdale (661) 575-9821

11050 Rancho Carmel Dr. San Diego (858) 521-9051

220 Riverpark Blvd. Oxnard (805) 278-0216

1548 Azusa Ave., City of Industry, Ca. (626) 964-5044

4034 Crenshaw Blvd., Los Angeles, Ca. (323) 291-4133

1199 W. Artesia Blvd., Gardena, Ca. (310) 532-5281

4750 Los Coyotes Diagonal, Long Beach, Ca. (562) 494-4662

25802 El Paseo Ave., Mission Viejo, Ca. (949) 348-8900 4485 Mills Circle, Ontario, Ca. (909) 476-8421 330 City Drive South, Orange, Ca. (714) 769-4330

#### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - ORANGE COUNTY

Coffee Bean All beverage drinks. Packaged food items with reliable certification.

**Gelson's Market** (in the mall at Alton & Jeffrey) (Irvine Vaad of Kashrus) Kosher prepared fish. Only the following fish are Kosher: Ahi Tuna, Albacore, Black Cod Chilean Sea Bass, Halibut., Mahi Mahi, Salmon, Trout, Whitefish, Wild King Salmon You must explicitly request the "Kosher prepared" fish.

**Albertsons Supermarket** Albertsons in Irvine and Yorba Linda carries fresh Glatt Kosher meat and Chai chicken. The stores are located at 20500 Yorba Linda Blvd. and 3825 Alton in Irvine as well as Albertsons at 3931 Irvine Blvd.

**Kosher Café at the JCC** Jewish Community Center in Irvine 1 Federation Way (949) 435-3400 **Kosher Food in Disneyland** There is some availability of airline style Kosher meals in certain restaurants throughout Disneyland and in Disney hotels. Meals in Disneyland Resort should be requested 24 hours in advance by calling (714) 781-3463. For more information visit

www.mouseplanet.com/drr/drrkosher.htm. Fresh fruit is available in different locations in the park. Los Alamitos Kosher Market (KSA) 1196 Los Alamitos Blvd. (562) 594- 4609

Mediterranean Farm and Market (714) 596-2023

Orange County Kosher Market & Deli (R.C.O.C) 688 El Camino Road, Tustin (714) 838-3108 Trader Joe's - Fresh chickens & fresh Glatt Kosher Meat are available at Trader Joe's Markets

#### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA OXNARD - MALIBU

Fish Grill (O/K) 22935 Pacific Coast Hwy (310) 456-8585 Gelson's (RCC Sushi Packages only) 15424 Sunset Blvd.

Tierra Sur (O/U) Herzog Wine Cellars 3201 Camino Del Sol, Oxnard (805) 983-1560

### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - PALM SPRINGS

THE FOLLOWING CARRY AN ARRAY OF KOSHER PRODUCTS: Albertsons 40101 Monterey Ave., Rancho Mirage (760) 674-4769

Clark's Natural Foods Market s 34175 Monterey Ave., Rancho Mirage (760) 324-4626 Chabad Bed and Breakfast

Clark's 34175 Monterey Avenue, Rancho Mirage (760) 324-4626

Jensen's 102 S. Sunrise Way, Palm Springs (760) 325-8282

Ralphs 1733 E. Palm Canyon Drive, (Palm Springs) (760) 325-5664

**Ralph's** 425 S. Sunrise Way (Palm Springs) (760) 327-4370

Trader Joe's 44-250 Town Center Way, Palm Desert (760) 320-4491

Trader Joe's 67720 East Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs (760) 202-0090

#### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - SAN DIEGO, LA JOLLA, RANCHO BERNARDO

#### RESTAURANTS, MARKETS, BAKERIES & CATERERS

Albertson's Markets (Rancho Bernardo) 12475 Rancho Bernardo Road (858) 385-9223

Catering by Charles Rubin (Vaad of San Diego) (619) 583-1636

Felicia G. (619) 457-3030

Morris - The Place Catering (858) 457-3030

Ralph's (Deli, Sushi, Take out) Kosher Experience, Coffee Bean etc.) 8657 Villa La Jolla Drive, La Jolla (858) 597-1550

**Kosher Food Truck** www.facebook.com/alaplanchaSD/

**Ralph's** 6670 Montezuma Road, San Diego (619) 463-8893

Simcha Kosher Catering (RCC) 9558 Camino Ruiz (858) 547-3793

Summer Grille at Chabad 1980 La Costa Ave. Carlsbad (760) 943-8891

The Place at JCC 4126 Executive Dr., La Jolla (858) 362-1353

The Place Catering (Vaad of San Diego) 4126 Executive Dr. In La Jolla (858) 362-1353

The Big Place at North Park Produce 4220 Balboa Ave., San Diego (858) 810-8228

Vons 6155 El Cajon Blvd. (619) 583-4142

Vons has many Kosher products. 6155 El Cajon Blvd. (619) 583-4142

## NORTHERN & CENTRAL CALIFORNIA - BERKELEY, S.F, OAKLAND, PALO ALTO, SACRAMENTO, SAN JOSE ETC.

#### **RESTAURANTS/ICE CREAM/WINES**

Aliza's San Jose Pizza Oven (Vaad of N. Ca.) Cholov Ylsroel & Yoshon Pizza (415) 205-4811

Aviya (Vaad of N. Ca.) JCC 3921 Fabian Way in Palo Alto (650) 465-7000

**Café 3 at Berkeley** (Vaad of N. Ca.) 2400 Durant Ave. in Berkeley. Cold Lunch and hot dinner Kosher meals for students and the general public. (510) 642-5392

Chabad S. Lake Tahoe (meals prepared) 900 Ski Run Blvd (530)539-4363

Covenant Winery Tasting Room (O/U) 1102 Sixth St. Berkeley (510) 559-9045

**Dandelion Chocolate** 2600 16th St. S.F. (415) 349-0942

Frena Kosher Bakery & Café (Vaad of N. Ca.) 132 6th St. San Francisco (628) 444-3666

Hagafen Winery Tasting and Tours (O/U) 4160 Silverado Trail Napa (707) 252-0781

Izzy's Brooklyn Bagels (Vaad of N. Ca) 477 California Avenue, Palo Alto (650) 329-0700

Izzy's Brooklyn Bagels (Vaad of N. Ca.) 2220 University Ave in E. Palo Alto (650) 322-5700

Oakland Kosher Market & Deli (Vaad of N. Ca) 3419 Lakeshore Avenue, Oakland (510) 839-0177

PAKT – Palo Alto Kosher Table (Chabad) (daily and Shabbos take-out) (650) 424-9080

Pars Market & Deli 3978 S. Bascom Ave. (408) 340-5443

Sabra Grill (Vaad of N. Ca.) 419 Grant Ave. (415) 982-3656

Stanford University Kosher Caféteria 565 Mayfield Ave. (650) 723-1602

Takara Sake Tasting Tours (O/U) 708 Addison St. Berkeley (510) 540-8250

Touro University (Rabbi Simkin) Lander Hall 1750 Club Dr. Mare Island VAllejo (707) 638-5505

#### **BAKERIES**

Frena Baked Goods (Vaad of N. Ca.) 132 6th Street in San Francisco, CA (628) 444-3666

Grand Bakery (Vaad of N. Ca.) 3264 Grand Avenue, Oakland (510) 465-1110

Hamati Bakery (Vaad of N. Ca.) 1192 Montgomery Ave. in S. Bruno (650) 490-0225

Irving's Premium Challah 1032 Irving St. in San Francisco (415) 753-5474

Izzy's Brooklyn Bagels (Vaad of N. Ca.) 477 California Avenue, Palo Alto (650) 329-0700

Izzy's Brooklyn Bagels (Vaad of . Ca.) 2220 University Ave. in E. Palo Alto (650) 322-5700

**Krispy Kreme** (only at the following locations, NOT Cholov Yisroel):

San Francisco Fisherman's Wharf 353 Jefferson St. (415) 775-1123

Mountain View: 2146 Leghorn St. (650) 254-1231

Vital Vittles Organic Bakery (Vaad of N. CA) 2810 S. Pablo Ave. Berkeley (510) 644-2022

#### **MARKETS**

Lucky's 200 El Paseo De Shopping Center, Saratoga (408) 364-8800

Lucky's 2175 Grant Road, Los Altos (650) 969-1326

Mollie Stone's (Vaad of N. Ca. - selected Kosher items, fresh meat, and fish) 164 California Avenue, Palo Alto (650) 323-8361

**Monthly Western Kosher Order** Place an order on WesternKosher.com and select do-op delivery to Chabad Palo Alto. Call (650) 424-9080 for more information.

**Oakland Kosher Market and Deli** (Vaad of N. CA) 3419 Lakeshore Avenue, Oakland (510) 839-0177 **Pars Market** (Vaad of N. Ca.) 3978 S. Bascom Ave., San Jose (650) 996-2742

**Safeway** 1530 Hamilton Ave. in San Jose (408) 264-1523. Small selection of different items including bread, frozen Empire chicken/turkey

**Trader Joe's** (Kosher meat and other items) 2625 Marconi Ave., Sacramento (916) 481-8797 and 1875 S. Bascom in Campbell (408) 369-7823

**Grass Roots Market Lake Tahoe** (many Kosher items throughout store, check for Hashgachas) 2040 Dunlap Drive, S. Lake Tahoe

Smart & Final Lake Tahoe 2061 Lake Tahoe Blvd. S. Lake Tahoe Ca. 96150 (530)541-3269

#### **CATERERS**

Dina's Kosher Catering (Vaad of N. Ca) 504 Yosemite Drive, S. San Francisco (650) 827-1309

Epic Bites Catering (Vaad of N. Ca.) 3778 Park Blvd. Oakland (646)-853-4630

Frena Kosher Catering 132 6th St. S.F. (628) 444-3666

Grand Bakery (Vaad of N. Ca.) 3264 Grand Avenue, Oakland (510) 465-1110

Izzy's Brooklyn Bagels (Vaad of N. Ca) 477 California Avenue, Palo Alto 650) 329-0700

Kosher Catering (Fred Zaghi) Sunnyvale (408) 373-5287

Oakland Kosher Catering (Vaad) 3419 Lakeshore Ave., Oakland (510) 839-0177

Sabra Grill (Vaad of N. CA) 419 Grant Street, San Francisco (415) 982-3656

Sunrise Kosher Sunrise Kosher has special arrangements with the following venues for Kosher food

to be served upon request:

Bancroft Hotel	(510) 549-1000	Marin Art & Garden Center	(415) 455-5260
Dancion Hotel	(310) 349-1000	Marin Art & Garden Center	(413) 433-3200
Beth Jacob Cong - Oakland	(510) 482-1147	Moscone Center SF	(415) 974-4000
Contemporary Jewish		Santa Clara Silicon Valley	
Museum SF	(415) 655-7800	Convention Center	(408) 748-7000
Craneway Pavilion Richmond	(510) 735-1133	Scott's Seafood	(510) 444-5969
Crowne Plaza Hotels		Banquets & Catering	(925) 934-1300
(Foster City, Palo Alto and Burl	lingame)	Temple Isaiah Lafayette	(925) 283-8575
Joshman Family Community		The Brazilian Room	(510) 544-3164
Center Palo Alto	(650) 223-8700	The Lawrence Hall of Science	(510) 642-5132
JCC Silicon Valley	(408) 356-4973	De Young Art Museum SF	(408) 750-3600
JCC San Francisco	(415) 292-1200	Fairmont Hotel in San Jose	(408) 998-1900
Marriott Oakland	(510) 451-4000	Hilton Hotels SF	(415) 771-1400
Marriott Hotels San Ramon	(510) 867-9200	Hyatt Regency SF	(415) 788-1234

Yes Catering (Vaad Of N. CA) 739 Colorado Avenue, Palo Alto (650) 630-5486 or (650) 456-7000

#### NORTHERN & CENTRAL CALIFORNIA - YOSEMITE / FRESNO

**Chabad** (559) 432-2770 (catering and for Yosemite trips)

#### NORTHERN & CENTRAL CALIFORNIA - MONTEREY / CARMEL

For Kosher food and meals call: (831) 643-2770 Rabbi@Chabadofmonterey.com Rocky Mountain Chocolate Factory (many products under O/Ud) Cannery Row Ghirardelli Chocolate & Ice Cream (many products certified Kof Kd) Cannery Row

#### **ALASKA - ANCHORAGE**

#### **MARKETS**

**Carr's/Safeway Market** Diamond Blvd.& Seward Hwy. Anchorage, Alaska (907)3411020, (907)3411000 This market carries some Kosher breads - but no Challahs) Many other markets in Anchorage (i.e. Safeway, Fred Meyer etc.) carry many reliably Kosher food products. Kosher wine can be purchased at Carr's Oaken Keg Liquor Store. There are no Kosher delis, restaurants or other establishments in Alaska. There is also no Cholov Yisroel available.

**The Esformes Jewish Campus of Alaska** (Chabad Center) 1117 E. 35th Ave. Anchorage, Ak. (907) 279-1200 e-mail: www.alaskajewishcampus.org.. Chabad conducts a minyan every Shabbos morning at 10:30 a.m. Friday night dinners offered to tourists take place at the Rabbi's home at 1210 E. 26th Ave. for groups smaller than 20 people. For larger groups dinner will take place at the Center at 1117 E. 35th Ave. The Center offers full course, homemade Shabbos meals served at the Center.

Fred Meyer Carries an assortment of prepared Kosher products

**Natural Pantry at the University Center** A Kosher section was established at the Natural Pantry 3680 Barrow St. Anchorage (907) 770-1444 **Walmart** Kosher food available

#### RESTAURANTS

**Chabad Bed & Breakfast** - Chabad of Alaska offers lodging with breakfast Location: Midtown Anchorage, Alaska The Chabad Center offers full Shabbos meals (including Fri. night and Shabbos lunch) Hashgacha: Chabad of Anchorage. (907) 279-1200 or lubavitchofak@gci.net

#### ALASKA - JUNEAU

**Safeway** 3033 Vintage Blvd. (907) 523-2000

This supermarket contains an extensive natural foods section with a number of products with reliable Hechsherim. A number of vegetarian Kosher products can also be found in the freezer sections.

Rainbow Foods 224 4th Street (907) 458-6476

Rainbow Foods is a natural foods health food store with many recommended Kosher food products. In addition, Kosher organic breads in both fresh and frozen forms are available.

#### ARIZONA - PHOENIX / SCOTTSDALE

#### **RESTAURANTS/CATERERS**

613 Grill (Vaad, Glatt) 6219 E. Glendale Ave. (602) 274-4444

Fresh Mint Restaurant (480) 443-2556 13802 N Scottsdale Rd. #161 (Thai, Vegan )

Imperial Bagel and Café (Vaad of Phoenix) 737 E. Glendale Ave (602) 285-6999

Imperial Market and Deli 737 E. Glendale Ave. (602) 285-6999

Kitchen 18 (Chabad – Glatt) 10211 N. Scottsdale Rd. (480) 315-8333

La Bella Pizzeria & Restaurant (Vaad - Cholov Yisroel) 6505 N. 7th St. (602) 354-7002

Levi Catering and Bakery (Vaad) 3375 E. Shea Blvd. Phoenix (480) 251-6745

Manhattan Plzzeria and Catering (Chabad) (Cholov Yisroel) 5224 North 7th Street (602) 248-8086 Milk + Honey Espresso Bar & Eatery (Vaad, Cholov Yisroel available) Located in the Valley of the Sun JCC. 12701 N. Scottsdale Rd. in Scottsdale (408) 566-9020

Samarkand 7823 N. 19th Ave. Phoenix (602) 331-8991

Segal's Oasis Grill & Kosher Foods (Vaad of Phoenix - Glatt) 4818 N. 7th Street (602) 285-1515

Simply Scrumptious and Catering (602) 939-7309

**Zoyo Neighborhood Yogurt** (Vaad - Only the yogurt and toppings in the center island are certified kosher. The toppings on the shelf along the wall and drinks are NOT certified kosher.) 1139 E. Glendale Ave. (602) 265-6060

#### **MARKETS**

**101 Kosher** (Vaad, meat market) 8357 N. 7th St. Phoenix (602) 326-2074 **Imperial Kosher Market & Deli** (Vaad of Phoenix) 737 E. Glendale Ave (602) 285-6999 **Segal's New Place** (Chabad) 4818 N. 7th Street (602) 285-1515

#### **BAKERIES**

Alpine Valley Bread 300 W. Southern Ave. Mesa (490) 483-2774

Levi Catering & Bakery 3375 E. Shea Blvd. Phoenix

New York Bagel 'N Bialys (Bakery only) 10320 N. Scottsdale Rd. in Scottsdale (480) 483-6922 Nothing Bundt Cakes (480) 502-8900 17025 N. Scottsdale Rd. Suite 110 Scottsdale, AZ

The Baking Studio (602) 859-3554

#### ARIZONA - TUCSON/FLAGSTAFF

#### **RESTAURANTS/ICE CREAM**

**Twirls Frozen Yogurt** (all frozen yogurts are Kosher and dairy. All sorbets are Kosher and non-dairy. Toppings are Kosher unless specified on the non-kosher toppings list. 3587 E. Broadway Blvd. Tucson

(520) 325-3155

#### MARKETS/BAKERIES

Albertson's (carries a variety of Kosher foods) 2854 N. Campbell Tucson
Fry's (carries some Kosher items) 201 N. Switzer Canyon Dr. Flagstaff (928) 774-2719
Nadine's Pastry Shoppe/Bakery (Rabbi Becker) 4553 East Broadway Blvd. (520) 326-0735
Sprouts (carries a variety of Kosher foods) 1560 Riordan Ranch St. Flagstaff (928) 679-6000
Trader Joe's (Variety of Kosher products) 1101 N. Wilmot Road (520) 733-1313
Whole Foods (carries some Kosher Foods) 320 Cambridge Ln. Flagstaff (928) 774-5747

#### COLORADO - DENVER / BOULDER

#### **BAKERIES**

Bagel Store Breads & Pastries (Scroll K Pas Yisroel) 942 South Monaco (303) 388-2648
King Scooper Stores (locations below) (Bakery items with the Scroll K symbol only. Breads are pareve, pastries are dairy- Cholov Stam - or made on dairy equipment)
1725 Sheridan Blvd. - (303) 237-4988
890 S. Monaco Pkwy - (303) 333-1535
4600 Leetsdale Dr. (Glendale) - (303) 320-3100
6470 East Hampden Ave. - (303) 758-1210
4910 S. Yosemite - (303) 793-9080
Boulder - 1650 30th St. - (303) 443-9622

#### **MARKETS & GROCERIES**

Arctic Pacific Fisheries (Scroll K) 3910 West Colfax (303) 534-4772
East Side Kosher Deli (Scroll K) 499 South Elm Street (303) 322-9862
King Scooper Stores (Bakery Items with Scroll K only)
1725 Sheridan Blvd. (303) 237-4988
890 Monaco Pkwy (303) 333-1535
6470 East Hampden Ave. (303) 758-1210
4600 Leetsdale Dr. (303) 320-3100
1650 30th St. (303) 443-9622

**RESTAURANTS/ICE CREAM & CATERERS** Bliss Caterers (Scroll K) (303) 250-8520 Bonnie Brae Ice Creams (Scroll K) 799 S. University Blvd. (303) 777-0808 Brooklyn Pizza (Scroll K) 890 S. Monaco Pkwy (303) 355-5777 Callaloo Catering (Scroll K) (303) 370-6740 Catering By Design (303) 762-7304 Cinnaholic Catering 3000 E. 1st Ave. (303) 209-2175 Dining with Finesse (Scroll K) (303) 746-7681 East Side Kosher Deli (Scroll K) 499 South Elm Street, Denver (303) 322-9862 **Epicurean Catering** (Scroll K) (303) 770-0877 High Point Creamery (Scroll K) 215 S. Holly St. Denver (720) 420-9137 **La Vie Catering, Mary Fabrikant** (Scroll K) (303) 370-6740 or (303) 521-6343 Mark Millenson Catering (Scroll K) (720) 839-7383 Occasion By Sandy (Scroll K) (303) 789-1867 Westin Tabor Center (Scroll K) (303) 572-7213 **Yaffa Savory** (720) 971-4088

#### **HAWAII**

**Chabad** serves gourmet, home-made meals for Shabbos (Friday night and Kiddush lunch). The Chabad school and offices are located at the Ala Moana Hotel 410 Atkinson Dr. in Waikiki, Kona Tower, Suite 2E1. Office hours: 9:00- 5:00 Mon-Fri, (808) 735-8161. To order Kosher meals call (808) 735-8161.

To order Challahs call (808) 736-8161.

Deli sandwiches, burgers, fries and falafel, meats poultry and other Kosher foods are all available for purchase at **Oahu Kosher** and is all Glatt under the supervision of Rabbi Krasnjansky. (808) 888-4949

Costco (Kahului, Kihei, Wailuku) Sabra Chumus, Lox, Rye Bread and more Kosher products

Mana Foods (Health Food Store in Paia) Huge variety of Kosher Pareve products.

Safeway (Kahului, Kihei, Wailuku) has small Kosher section

The **Hyatt Regency** in **Maui** offers Prepackaged Kosher food at their luau. Also, the Chabad Shluchim in Kona have a take-out menu option, including Shabbos and weekday meals.

Whole Foods carries regular kosher products at most of their locations (Kahala Mall or Ward village)

For food on the **Big Island call Chabad at (808) 499-4573** or check their website at

http://www.kosherinhawaii.com/

There is one **Kosher caterer** who does takeout/deliveries on Oahu. His number is (808) 888-4949. He will also prepare Kosher food for neighboring islands.

#### **IDAHO**

**Albertson's** has a minimal Kosher section (dry goods only) They carry such items as Manischewitz wine, grape juice, Shabbos candles, Yahrzeit candles, Matzo etc.

Albertson's at 1219 Broadway Ave. in Boise. This Albertson's has a decent selection of kosher products and even a small freezer section as well.

**Boise Co-Op** carries a selection of Kosher wines.

Fred Meyer Supermarkets carry a limited selection of Kosher shelf items.

**Trader Joe's** in downtown Boise carries fresh Kosher chicken and beef (raw) as well as Kosher wine. Pas Yisroel Babkas and black & white cookies (O;/U) and Cholov Yisroel feta Cheese.

Tres Bonne Cuisine carries Kosher Wines

**Walmart** Some Walmart stores carry Bartenura Moscato Kosher Wine and Pas Yisroel bagels. **Whole Foods** (downtown Boise) carries Kosher frozen turkey and chicken. 401 S. Broadway Ave.

For more information on Kosher food in the Boise area contact Chabad at f(208) 853-9200

#### **KANSAS**

**Bagelworks Bread and Catering** (Vaad of Kansas City) 1523 S. 45th St. (913) 789-7333 **Berbiglia** (Supermarket, sizeable selection of Kosher wine) 1114 W. 103rd St. (816) 942-7144 **Costco of Overland Park** Carries a variety of Kosher fresh and frozen grocery items as well as cheese, beef and chicken 12221 Blue Valley Parkway, Overland Park (913) 217-2050

**Hen House Market and Kosher Deli** (carries fresh Kosher meat, chicken and deli) (Vaad of Kansas City) 11721 Roe Ave., Leawood KS (913) 338-0600

**Hy Vee** (carries a comprehensive Kosher selection of Kosher foods) 8501 W. 95th St. Overland Park (913) 894-1983

**KC Kosher Co-Op** www.kckoshercoop.com A local service that distributes Kosher products (meat, cheese, baked goods etc.) in sealed packaging with common hechsherim

Kim Matsil (Caterer) (972) 742-2556

**Kosher Connection Catering** (913) 492-7812

**Linda Silver** (Caterer) (913) 642-1837

**Liz Kaplan Catering** (913) 638-8525

Lucas Liquor Superstore (many Kosher Wines) 7541 W. 119th St. Overland Park (913) 451-8030

Marsha Johnston Catering (816) 797-0715

Metcalf Discount Liquors (MDL) (carries a wide variety of Kosher Wines)

Michele Goldman (Design Catering) (913) 888-5794

**One Nineteen** (carries fresh Kosher and organic chicken and turkey. Currently, the Kosher symbol on the beef they carry is not recommended)

**Princess Gardens Restaurant** (Vaad HaKashrus of Kansas City) 8906 Wornall Rd. in Kansas City (816) 444-3709 This restaurant regularly schedules Sunday evening events where diners can choose to eat in or take out (Chinese food).

Rachel's Café (Vaad HaKashrus of Kansas City) 5500 W. 123rd St., Overland Park (913) 266-8421

Sheraton Crown Center (includes off-site catering) (816) 391-4412 Silver Catering (Linda Silver) (913) 642-1837 or razelrosey@aol.com

Smitty's Wines and Spirits (carries a wide variety of Kosher Wines)

Steve Ellenberg (Bagel Works) (913) 789-7333

Succotash (Beth Barden) (816) 810-0394

**The Jewish Heritage Center** Located within the Jewish Community Center Offers lunch Mon-Fri at noon, to adults 65 & over and their companions Must reserve in advance by calling (913) 327-8043 **The Rams Café** (Vaad HaKashrus of Kansas City) Located within the Jewish Community Center 5801 W. 115th St. Overland Park (913) 327-8000 Open Mon-Fri during the school year (closed holidays and school vacations) (913) 327-8207

Trader Joe's (carries Kosher chicken and turkey 119th and Roe Leawood

Trader Joe's (carries a selection of Kosher wines) Ward Parkway and 89th Kansas City

Ward Parkway Center 8600 Ward Pkwy (816) 333-5322 (Selection of Kosher Wines)

Westin Crown Center Off Site Catering (816) 391-4412

#### MONTANA

Kosher food is available through Chabad of Montana, located at 8755 Huffman Lane, on the East side of Bozeman. You can contact Rabbi Chaim and Chavie Bruk at (406) 585-8770. Place your orders by calling Chavie at (406) 585-8770 or by email: Chavie@JewishMontana.com

The following supermarkets in the Bozeman area carry Kosher items:

Albertson's Belgrade 6999 Jackrabbit Land Belgrade (406) 388-0901

Albertson's Bozeman 200 South 23rd Ave. Bozeman (406) 586-4785

Community Food Co-Op 908 West Main St. Bozeman (406) 587-4039

The Wine Gallery 2320 W. Main St. (406) 586-8828. Kosher wine can be purchased at this location.

#### **NEBRASKA**

Bagel Bin (Vaad Hakashrus of Omaha) 1215 South 119th St. Omaha

Star Catering and Star Deli of the Rose Bumkin Jewish Home (Vaad HaKashrus of Omaha) 323

South 132nd St. Omaha

**Krispy Kreme** (3 locations) (Vaad HaKashrus of Omaha)

2715 South 120th St.

707 South 72nd St.

2420 West Broadway Council Bluffs, IA

#### **NEVADA - RENO / LAS VEGAS**

#### CATERING

Kosher Catering (Chabad) mashpia@yahoo.com

**Trader Joes** has Kosher meat products

For information on Kosher availability in the Reno area contact Chabad at (775) 825-8928

**Rafi's Catering** (Hashgacha: Chabad of Las Vegas)

Meat deliveries to hotels for Shabbos and weekdays

Las Vegas Call Shoshana: (702) 348-8778

#### RESTAURANTS/CATERING

Kosher food in Reno is limited to basic supermarket products. These can be found at Whole Foods, Trader Joes (which has Kosher Meat and Cholov Yisroel Cheese) and Walmart in Southwest Reno. Challahs and Kosher meals can be ordered by email at chabadnn@gmail.com (Challah orders should be placed by Thursday). Food ordered through Chabad is available in Reno, Incline Village, Squaw Valley, Northstar Village, Truckee and Lake Tahoe.

Ace of Steaks (Va'ad) 5825 W. Sahara Ave. (702) 899-4223

Haifa Restaurant (Chabad-Va'ad HaKashrus) 900 E. Karen, Ste. (702) 940-8000

Hummus Vegas & Grill 418 W. Sahara Ave. Las Vegas (702) 385-0006

Jerusalem Grill (Chabad) 4825 W. Flamingo Rd. (702) 341-5555

King Solomon's Table (Chabad – Va'ad) 4561 W. Flamingo Rd. (725) 244-4034

Kosher Experience Deli (at Smith's Market) 2211 N. Rampart Blvd. (702) 256-5200

**Rafi's Catering** (Chabad) (702) 348-8778

Sababa Mediterranean Grill (Chabad-Va'ad HaKashrus) 3220 S. Durango (702) 547-5556

**Shawarma Bar** 3100 S. Durango (702) 586-5036

Shawarma Vegas (Chabad) 2521 S. Fort Apache Rd. Las Vegas (702) 651-1818

**Simon & Joe's Pizza Eatery** (Chabad-Va'ad HaKashrus - Cholov Yisroel) 3720 W. Propicana Ave. #3 Corner of Valley View and Tropicana (702) 759-0333

#### **MARKETS**

Albertsons' Market 2550 S. Fort Apache (at Sahara) (702) 242-1138

Smith's Food and Drug 2211 N. Rampart Blvd., Las Vegas (702) 256-5200

**Aviva Glatt Kosher Grocery** (Rabbi Avrohom Teichman) Park 2000, 2520 E. Sunset Road #16, Las Vegas (702) 891-0671

Kosher 2U (they shop and deliver to you) (702) 804-5845

Raley's Supermarket 8570 W. Lake Mead Blvd. (Lake Mead and Rampart)

**Trader Joes** (carries many Kosher products)

Wal Mart (carries many Kosher products)

#### **NEW MEXICO - SANTA FE**

Albertsons some Kosher foods, frozen Empire poultry. 3001 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe (505) 992-8663 Cliff's Liquor Store (some Kosher wines) 675903 Old Pecos Trail, Santa Fe (505) 988-1790

**Kaune Food Town** Small, upscale store with a variety of Kosher items throughout the store (can include hard cheeses) 511 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe (505) 982-2629

Malka's Kosher Emporium (Chabad) 4000 San Pedro NE, Albuquerque (505) 880-1181

Smiths small selection of Kosher items 2110 S. Pacheco St. (505) 473-5560

Cerrillos Rd. at Lujan

Trader Joes wide selection of Kosher products 30 West Cordova Rd. (505) 995-8145

#### **OKLAHOMA**

**Homeland Grocery** (May carry some Kosher dry goods, frozen Meal Mart dinners and Kosher Cheese Products) 9225 N. May Ave. (at May Ave. and Britton Rd. in Oklahoma City) (405) 751-7595 **Wal Mart Supercenter** (May carry some Kosher dry goods) 2000 W. Memorial Rd. in Oklahoma City (405) 753-9407

#### OREGON - PORTLAND/EUGENE

**Café at the J** (Oregon Kosher) This Is the only full service kosher restaurant In Portland. It is open to the public Sunday - Friday. Dairy (mostly Cholov Stam). On Tuesday evenings the Café shuts down Its dairy kitchen and instead operates out of the catering kitchen, offering a large meat menu. 6651 SW Capitol Hwy (503) 535-3630

Century Catering (Oregon Kosher) Allen Levin (503) 849-2605 centurycatering@msn.com

Dairy Hill Ice Cream (Oregon Kosher - see in store certificate for certified items) 6352 SW Capitol Hwy,
Portland, OR 97239 (503) 246-2374

**Holy Smokes** (Oregon Kosher) 3975 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy. Kosher Food Cart serves an array of Glatt Smoked BBQ Foods.

Krispy Kreme (Oregon Kosher - see in store certificate for certified items) 16415 NW Cornell Rd. in Beaverton (503) 645-2228

**Safeway** (Kosher Bakery - Oregon Kosher - Many prepackaged Kosher items) 8145 SW Barbur Blvd. in Portland

**Trader Joe's** (offers many Kosher products such as chicken and cheese) In Portland and Eugene

#### TEXAS - DALLAS/FORT WORTH/PLANO

#### **BAKERY**

Benny's Bagels 6911 Frankford Road @ Hillcrest (972) 964-3451

Tom Thumb Bakery (Dallas Kosher) 11920 Preston Road, Dallas (972) 392-2501

Tom Thumb Bakery (Dallas Kosher) 1380 W. Campbell, Richardson (972) 680-6010

#### CATERING/MARKETS

A Taste of the World Catering (214) 736-9043 website: www.atasteoftheworld.com

**AKC** (972) 400-8356 or (972) 380-1010

**Albertsons Market** Store carries a full line of Kosher dry goods, dairy products and prepackaged meat and poultry. The store also offers many pareve baked goods, breads and Challah. 7007 Arapaho Road (972) 387-8996

**DK Community Kitchen** (Dallas Kosher) 6324 Churchill Way (972) 404-8980

Danelo Catering 7114 Campbell at Hillcrest (469) 899-6844

Fairmont Hotel of Dallas (Kosher events supervised by Dallas Kosher) 1717 N. Akard (214) 720-2020

Fino! dairy catering CAll Joey at (972) 931-9500

Holy Dooghnuts (Dallas Kosher) Cart that travels to your location. (972) 330-0376

Kent Rathburn Catering (Dallas Kosher) (214) 619-3555

Kosher Palate 7989 Belt Line Rd. (469) 601-1002

Meat Point Catering 7114 Campbell at Hillcrest (972) 380-1010

Milk & Honey (Dallas Kosher - Meat and Pareve) 420 N. Coit Rd. Richardson (972) 404-0704

**Nosh Nook** (Dallas Kosher) JCC-based catering service, including Shabbos meals, Meals to Go, Deli Platters etc. (214) 239-7149

Renaissance Dallas Richardson Hotel (Dallas Kosher) 900 E. Lookout Dr., Richardson (972) 367-6349

**Simcha Kosher Catering** (Dallas Kosher) 3230 Towerwood Drive (972) 620-7293

Texas Kosher BBQ (Dallas Kosher) A portable Smoker trailer that will travel to you. (469) 601-1002

**Tom Thumb Bakery, Deli & Fresh Meat Market** 11920 Preston Rd. in Dallas (972) 392-2501

**Tom Thumb Bakery, Deli & Fresh Meat Market** 1380 W. Campbell Rd. in Richardson (972) 680-6010

Westin Galleria Hotel of Dallas Galleria at Alpha and Tollway (972) 450-2994

Westin Park Central 12720 Merit Dr. (972) 385-3000

**Whole Foods** 11700 Preston Rd. (214) 361-8887 There is a variety of Kosher shelf items as well as fruit platters.

#### ICE CREAM/CANDY/GIFT BASKETS

#### ALIZA'S PERSONALIZED PERFECTION (214) 641-0693

Gooey's Treats Yogurt Shop (Dallas Kosher) 11700 Preston Road (214) 691-9319

Monster Yogurt 1360 W. Campbell Rd. (972) 234-4966

Smallcake Cupcakery and Creamery 14856 Preston Rd.

#### **RESTAURANTS**

Aderet (Dallas Kosher - Meat) 13410 Preston Road at Dillbeck (972) 726-9800

Benny's Bagels (dairy restaurant and coffee shop) 6911 Frankford Rd. at Hillcrest (469) 444-5434

Fino! Italian Kitchen (Dallas Kosher - Dairy) 7522 Campbell (972) 931-9500

Danelo Dairy (Dallas Kosher) 7114 Campbell at Hillcrest on the SE corner (972) 380-1010

Jewish Community Center (Dallas Kosher) 7900 Northaven (214) 739-2737

**Kosher Palate** 7989 Belt Line Rd. Suite 154. Catering & sit-down deli, grocery and BBQ. (469) 601-1002

Meat Point (Dallas Kosher) 7114 Campbell at Hillcrest on the SE Corner (972) 380-101

Midtown Pizza (Dallas Kosher) 13331 Preston Rd. (972) 980-8707

Milk & Honey Jerusalem Market & Grill (Dallas Kosher) 420 Coit (972) 404-0704

**Texas Kosher BBQ** (469) 601-1002

**The Market Local Comfort Café** Breakfast and lunch. 13534 Preston Rd. Dallas (954) 483-1310

#### TEXAS - HOUSTON / AUSTIN/SAN ANTONIO

#### RESTAURANTS, ICE CREAM/NUTS & CATERERS /MARKETS

Note for caterers: Most caterers listed below provide catering both with and without supervision. Be sure to ask for the HKA hashgacha. These caterers are only certified as Kosher with a mashgiach on site. There have been numerous instances of food prepared in kosher kitchens and reheated in non-Kosher ovens without Kosher supervision. Kosher caterers must have a mashgiach at the event to be considered Kosher, even if prepared in a Kosher kitchen.

AustiNuts 2900 W. Anderson Lane Austin

**Andalucia Nut Co.** (713) 977-9090

Belden's Market 99 Braeswood Square (713) 723-5670

Benny Katz (HKA and Chabad) (281) 460-4844

Cafe at the J/Laykie's Gourmet LLC 5601 S. Braeswood (832) 408-3516

**Cake Creations** 947 Pinemont (713) 263-1952

Costco (Galleria) 3836 Richmond Ave. HOuston (832) 325-5850

**Chef Smirnov** (713) 838-2433

Dino's Mediterranean Cuisine 9419 Glenfield Ct. Houston (832) 667-8592

Edible Arrangements (713) 218-7100

Fredlyn Nut Co. 9350 Westpark Dr. (713) 781-2710

Fresh Foods Catering (Kosher catering is available upon request only - under HKA) (713) 484-9000

Four Seasons – Downtown 1300 Lamar St. (713) 652-6279

Fresh Green Delights 10103 Fondren Houston (346) 223-2887

Garden Kitchen Vegan Café 10480 Main St. Houston (832) 350-7534

Genesis Steakhouse & Wine Bar 5427 Bissonnet St. Houston (713) 665-2222

Green Vegetarian Cuisine 6720 Chimney Rock Rd. (832) 649-4184

Gourmet Kosher Bakery (located in Randalls Supermarket) 5311 Balcones, Austin

**HEB Pantry Foods** 5417 S. Braeswood (713) 721-8781

Hillel Kitchens of University of Texas (Dallas Kosher) 2105 San Antonio St. (512) 476-0125

**Hilton** Houston Post Oak Contact: Matthew Finnan, Director of Catering 2001 Post Oak Blvd. (713) 968-1327

Hilton Americas – Downtown Contact: Matthew Finnan 1600 Lamar St. (713) 557-6054

Houston Pecan Co. 7313 Ashcroft (713) 772-6216

Jenny Travor Catering (Kosher catering available upon request only - under the HKA) (713) 542-6530

Jewish Community Center 5601 S. Braeswood (713) 729-3200

Katz Coffee 2400 Karbach St. Houston (713) 864-3338

Kroger's (#313) Meyer Park Store 10306 Post Oask (713) 721-7691

Kosherama (216) 854-3722

Laykie's Gourmet (713) 283-4030

Madras Pavilion Restaurant 3910 Kirby Dr., Houston (713) 521-2617

Marriott - Medical Center 6580 Fannin St. (713) 796-0080

**Maui Wowi/Smoothies on the Go** (mobile catering: smoothies, blends, hot chocolate etc.) (713) 467-1234

Menchies Frozen Yogurt 5122 Bissonnet St., Bellaire (713) 660-0606

My Pita Bakery & Deli 9804 Hillcroft, Houston (713) 283-9200

Nekter Juice Bar 6700 Ferris St. (713) 492-2033

New York Bagel 9724 Hillcroft (713) 723-5879 Note: Coffee shop next door is NOT Kosher

**Nosher** 5601 S. Braeswood, Houston (713) 729-3200

Randall's Meyer Park Store 4800 W. Belfort (713) 721-0011

Randall's Memorial Store 14610 Memorial (281)497-0630

**Rosemary Catering** (713) 796-2680

**Royal Sonesta Hotel Houston** 2222 West Loop South Ed Boden, director of Special Events (713) 627-7600

Saba's Kosher Kitchen 9704 Fondren Rd., Houston (713) 270-7222

Sabas Wok & Grill 5413 S. Braeswood Blvd. (832)834-5595

Suzie's Catering 8402 Hillcroft, Houston (832) 428-7071

Shosh and Chookie's Fresh-Mex (832) 409-4760

**The Grille Catering** (713) 588-0823

The Kosher Store 7025 Village Center Dr. Austin (512)502-8459

**Three Brothers Bakery** 4036 S. Braeswood (713) 666-2551 Only the Braeswood location is under HKA supervision.

Tony's Catering (713) 622-6779 ext. 111

Westin Galleria & Oaks 5060 W. Alamama St. contact: Belen Sosa (713) 960-6530

#### **BAKERIES & MARKETS**

Belden's 99 Braeswood Square, Houston (713) 723-5670

**Cake Creations** (HKA) 947 Pinemont (713) 263-1952

H-E-B Pantry Foods 5417 S. Braeswood, Houston (713) 721-8781

H-E-B Supmarket 7025 Village Center Dr. (512) 502-8459

Hardie's Fruit & Vegetable Co. 3137 Produce Row (713) 926-4445

Kroeger's (Meyer Park Store (HKA) 10306 Post Oak (713) 721-7691

Madras Pavillion (HKA) 3910 Kirby Drive (713) 521-2617

Memorial Store 14610 Memorial (281) 497-0630

Meyer Park 4800 W. Belfort, Houston (713) 721-0011

My Pita Bakery & Deli 9806 Hillcroft, Houston (713) 283-9200

New York Bagel (HKA) 9724 Hillcroft, Houston (713) 723-5879

Randall's Meyer Park Store (Texas K) 5311 Balcones Dr. Austin (713) 721-0011

Three Brothers Bakery (HKA) 4036 S. Braeswood (713) 666-2253

Whole Foods Bellaire (713) 667-4090

#### TEXAS - SAN ANTONIO/EL PASO

Aroma Grill Israeli Grill (Uptown) (Chabad) 14375 Blanco Rd. (210) 764-0979

**Green Vegetarian Cuisine** Dairy Restaurant (Downtown) (Vaad Hakashrus of San Antonio) 10003 NW Military Hwy. (210) 233-1249

**Green Vegetarian Cuisine** (Alon Market) Dairy Restaurant (North Central) (Vaad Hakashrus of San Antonio) 200 E. Grayson St. (210) 320-5865

**Earth Burger Veggie Burger Stand** (only this location) 2501 Nacogdoches Rd. San Antonio (210) 476-5010

Heb Alon Market - Grocery Store & Bakery 8503 NW Military Hwy. (210) 479-4300

NW Military Alon Market (210) 479-4300

Nili's Place (Chabad) 6519 North Mesa St. (915) 581-1234

S.A. Kosher Meals (Chabad) www.SAKosherMeals.com

#### **UTAH**

Fresh Market (Chabad) 1638 South 900 East, Salt Lake City (801) 484-8741

**Kosher on the Go** (Chabad of Salt Lake City) (meat sandwiches, matzo ball soup, complete Shabbos meals prepared) 1575 S. 1100 East, Salt Lake City (801) 463-1786

Smith's Market (many Kosher food items) 3215 South Valley St., Salt Lake City (801) 486-7514

#### WASHINGTON - SEATTLE/SPOKANE

**Bamboo Garden** (Vegetarian - dairy - Chalav Stam) (Vaad of Seattle) 364 Roy (Seattle Center north of downtown) (206) 282-6616

**Dalia's Catering** - (206) 551-9800 or email at jamon18@msn.com

**Einstein Bros. Bagels** (Vaad - Bread, Challah, Bagels are Pareve Pas Yisroel. Menu items Dairy Cholov Stam). This is the only Einstein Bros Bagels outlet that is Kosher supervised by the Seattle Va'ad. 2746 NE 45th St. Seattle, Wa. (206) 522-1998

Island Crust Café (Vaad - Cholov Yisroel) 7525 SE 24th St. Mercer Island (206) 232-7878

**KoGo Food Truck** (Vaad) www.Kogoseattle.com (425)429-7260

**Krispy Kreme** (Vaad - Check the Certification for Kosher items) 1900 First Ave S. Seattle (206) 625-1552

Leah's Catering (206) 985-2647

**PCC Natural Markets** - The Bulk Food section at this store is under the supervision of the Vaad of Seattle. Bins containing Kosher products are labeled with a Vaad sticker. Some items are Kosher dairy or dairy equipment and are labeled D or DE accordingly

6514 40th Ave. NE (206) 526-7661

3610 S. Edmunds St. (206) 466-6182

**Pabla Indian Cuisine** (Vaad - Dairy - Chalav Stam) 365 Renton Center Way SW Renton (425) 228-4625 **QFC #839** (Kosher Fish, Deli Meat, Bakery and Sushi Section - Check for Vaad Certificate) Mercer Island 7823 SE 28th (206) 230-0745

**QFC #807** (Kosher Fish, Deli Meat, and Sushi Section - Check for Vaad Certificate) University Village 2746 NE 45th St. Seattle (206) 523-5160

**Teapot Vegetarian House Restaurant** (Vaad) 15230 NE 24th St. Redmond (425) 747-8881 **Summit at First Hill** (Seattle Vaad) - lunches available (206) 652-4444 1200 University St. **University of Washington Hillel** 4745 17the AVe. NE Seattle

#### WYOMING

Co-Op (Chabad) Check www.JewishWyoming.com for information on how to order Kosher meals

#### CANADA - VICTORIA, CALGARY, WINNIPEG EDMONTON

#### **RESTAURANTS / CATERING / BAKERIES & MARKETS**

**Aubergine Specialty Foods** (check for some products under Chabad Hashgacha) 1308 Gladstone Ave., Victoria, BC

Bakery Bliss Baked Goods 10710 142 St. Edmonton AB (780) 453-0101

Café Levi West Edmonton Mall Entrance #1 (780) 443-8235

**Calgary Co-Op Oakridge Centre** (This store carries a variety of Kosher products - Check for Hashgachos) 2580 Southland Drive SW Calgary (403) 299-4355

**Carriage House Inn** (CK) All bread and pastry products in this inn must have a "CK" label on them. Challah on Friday does NOT need a "CK" label. Challah is taken. All Kosher bakery products are Pas Yisroel. When ordering bread, you must request that the bread is sliced on the Kosher bread slicer. 9030 Macleod Trail South Calgary (403) 253-1101

City Bread 238 Dufferin

**Co-Op** Oakridge (2580 Southland Dr. SW)

Fairmont Hotel (Kosher affairs available) 2 Lombard Pl., Winnipeg (204) 957-1350

Falafel Plus & Catering (BCK) 446-W 8th Avenue, Vancouver (604) 677-3985

Four Seasons Hotel (BCK) 791 W. Georgia Street

Garden Café Kanee Centre & Sharon Home South, Winnipeg (204) 586-9781

IGA 9106 - 142 St. Edmonton (780) 483-1525

Italian Centre 9919 Fairmount Dr. SE

**Kalinka Store** (This market carries a variety of Kosher products – Check for Hashgachos) 8, 7400 Macleod Trail SE SW Calgary (403) 457-0990

**Karen's Café** located in Calgary JCC offers dairy/pareve meals & snacks In addition to catering service. 1607 - 90th Ave. SW

Metropolitan Conference Centre does kosher catering. 333 4 AVe. SW (403)266-3876

Real Canadian Superstore #100, 20 Heritage Meadows Way SE Calgary

Real Canadian Superstore - Calgary Southport (10505 Southport Road SW Calgary (403) 225-6223

**Safeway** Glenmore Landing, 1600 90th Avenue SW Calgary (403) 255-2755

Schmoozer's Café (dairy)123 Doncaster St., Winnipeg (204) 477-7418

**Sobey's** Bridlewood (2335 162nd Ave. SW) and 1030 Webber Greens Edmonton (780) 489-7762 **Superstore** 10505 Southport Rd. SW and 17303 Stony Plain Rd. Edmonton (780) 486-8452

Viscount Gort 1670 Portage Ave., Winnipeg (204) 775-0451

#### CANADA - VANCOUVER

## RESTAURANTS / CATERING / BAKERIES & MARKETS CAFÉ FORTY ONE (CHALAV YISROEL) 5750 OAK ST. (604) 563-4141

Garden City Bakery (pareve) (BCK) 360-9100 Blundell Road, Richmond (604) 244-7888

Gwen Secter Creative Living Centre (meat) 1588 Main St. (204) 339-1701

Kosher Food Warehouse (BCK) 612 Kingsway, Vancouver (604) 709-9889

Maple Grill (BCK) 1967 W. Broadway, Vancouver (604) 568-4885

**Market On Millestream** (Carries a variety of Kosher products) 125-2401C Millstream Rd. Vancouver **Nava Creative Kosher Curisin** (not Cholov Yisroel) (BCK) 950 West 41st Avenue, Vancouver (604) 676-7579

Omnitsky Kosher Deli and Catering (BCK) 5775 Oak St. Vancouver (604) 321-1818 Sabra Bakery (meat & Israeli also) 3844 Oak St. (604) 733-4912

Shuk Eat & Play (BCK) (604) 563-4141

#### The following stores carry a variety of Kosher products - Check for Hashgachos:

Pepper's Grocery (Chabad of Vancouver) 3829 Cadboro Bay Road, Vancouver

Real Canadian Superstore (Chabad) 835 Attree Avenue, Langford, BC

Real Canadian Wholesale (Chabad) 846 Viewfield Road, Vancouver (250) 381-8266

Sabra Bakery (meat & pareve - BCK) 3844 Oak Street, Vancouver (604) 733-4912

Safeway (Chabad) 1950 Foul Bay (250) 370-1669

Shuk Eat & Play 5750 Oak St. Vancouver (604) 563-4141

Simon's Pizzeria (Cholov Yisroel) (BCK) 3844 Oak Street, Vancouver (604) 879-7100

The Market on Yates (Chabad) 903 Yates Street, Vancouver

Thrifty Foods (Chabad)

Winnipeg Convention Centre 375 York St. (204) 956-1720

Zaatar Mediterranean Hummus Bar 809 Davie Street, Vancouver (604) 800-8489

#### MEXICO - TIJUANA, MEXICO / BAJA, C.A.

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#### AMUSEMENT & SPORT PARKS IN CALIFORNIA

#### DISNEYLAND

Kosher meals are available at all of the Disneyland hotels as well as at many of the restaurants in the park. Check at www.mouseplanet.com/drr/drrkosher.htm for current availability. At the end of Main Street there is a cappuccino stand which uses Le Sirop de Monin (KSA). Fresh Fruit and drinks can also be found throughout Disneyland. Fresh pineapple spears and pineapple juice is available at the entrance to the Tikki room. Mickey's Shortbread cookies are under the O/Ud and available on Main Street. Finally, full airline Kosher meals can be obtained by calling Disneyland ahead at (714) 781-3463. Be sure that the wrapper stays on when they heat it in the microwave.

#### UNIVERSAL STUDIOS

Haagen Dazs Ice Cream, M&M candies, Lays Potato Chips & Cracker Jacks are some examples in addition to soda in the park. Many restaurants are available in Valley Village, about ten minutes away.

#### **UNIVERSAL CITY WALK**

Ben and Jerrys, and a Starbucks (see article in this magazine on coffee shops)

#### **DODGER STADIUM**

There is a kosher stand behind right field plaza by Jeff's Gourmet Sausage. It is closed on Shabbos and Yom Tov. It is under the hashgacha of the OK. Assorted candies from Hershey Co., peanuts in the shell, beer, soda, frozen Minute Maid Yellow Ices and Lays Potato Chips.

#### STAPLES CENTER

The Outtakes concession provides packaged sandwiches (from Emuna catering) in the Staples Center. These sandwiches are RCC supervised, but must display the RCC logo on the wrapper.

#### SEA WORLD (SAN DIEGO)

Abba Zabba candy and Reese's candy can be found in a candy store in Sea World.

Also their ice cream bars (manufactured by Weils dairy) sold in stands and shows (Shamu Whale shaped) are under the O/U.

Bomb Pop popsicles can be found in the park and are certified O/Ud.

Cookies n Cream ice cream is also available certified O/Ud.

Pepsi is available throughout the park as well as bottled water, coffee, beer and apple juice (in the Coconut Bay Cafe).

Fresh fruit can be purchased in the Deli and throughout various locations in Sea World. In the Plaza Espresso, coffee may be purchased with flavorings from Torani syrups (O/K). Check for Hashgacha on the label.

#### **MONTEREY BAY AQUARIUM**

Pete's Coffee Stacy's Soy Crisps (O/U) GenSoy Soy Crisps (O/U) Haagen Dazs Ice Cream (O/U) Clover Chocolate Milk (Half Moon Kd) Silk Soy Milk (Scroll K) Nestle Ice Cream (O/Ud) Starbuck's Ice Cream (O/Ud) Odwalla Bar (O/Ud) Odwalla Juice (O/U) Kettle Chips (Kof K) Starbuck's Frappuccino Bottles (K - Rabbi Charlop) Minute Maid Apple Juice Fresh Fruit Cocoa Pete's Chocolate Bar (O/Ud)

#### ALERTS:

#### O/K:

Montes brand Andinetas Mix (Chocolate Flavored Gems), sold at Sam's Club locations in

Mexico, have been mistakenly labeled with a plain O/K symbol. These products contain milk and are certified Kosher DAIRY.

BMA USA Oils and Vinegars are being sold bearing the Heart-K kosher symbol. BMA USA has not been certified by O/K Kosher since November 30, 2017.

A limited number of Snapple Diet Cranberry Raspberry 6 packs (16 oz. bottles) were mistakenly printed with the O/K Kosher symbol on the outer cartons. This product is NOT Kosher certified and the actual bottles do NOT bear the Kosher symbol.

Supremo Italiano Mozzarella, sold by Restaurant Depot, bears an unauthorized O/K symbol on the back label. This product is NOT certified by the O/K certification.

Moe's Ice Cream Truck, doing business in and around Deal, Long Branch and Neptune in New Jersey Is displaying an unauthorized O/K Kosher symbol on the outside of the truck.

The Ktchn Restaurant, located in Los Angeles is no longer certified by O/K Kosher certification.

Princess Nut Vienese Finger biscuits and Classic Tea Biscuits bear an unauthorized O/K Kosher symbol.

#### O/U:

The O/U certifies Splenda sweetener as an O/U pareve product. Some Splenda bags include sample Iced Tea Concentrate drink pods and Strawberry Watermelon Concentrate Drink Pods, which are certified by the O/U as O/Ud (dairy). The outer bags are labeled with both an O/U symbol and an O/Ud symbol. The O/U symbol pertains to the Splenda sweetener itself, while the O/Ud (dairy) symbol pertains to the drink pods.

The label on Borenstein's Vegetable Lasagna states "O/U Glatt Kosher and O/U Pareve". The ingredient panel correctly lists dairy Ingredients. Consumers should be alerted by any contradiction in the labeling and examine the contents of the meal before eating.

The O/U does not certify Le Tanou restaurant in France. They are displaying the O/U symbol

without authorization.

The O/U does not certify Kroger Sherry Cooking Vinegar. Some labels bear an unauthorized O/U symbol.

The O/U certifies Gefen Hungairan Sour Cherries as an O/UP product. Some cherries from a particular batch were found to have worms. This product is being withdrawn from the market-place.

The O/U does not certify Harris Teeter Cranberry Black Cherry Juice Cocktail. Some labels bear an unauthorized O/U symbol.

The O/U certifies many varieties of Apple & Eve Juices. The certified products are labeled with an "O/U" symbol. Some of the 36 Count Variety packs do not bear an O/U symbol and states "made in Canada." The non-certified variety packs are sold in Costco and Sam's Club. Please always check for the O/U symbol before buying Apple & Eve Juices.

The O/U does NOT certify Korger brand Sherry Cooking Vinegar. Some labels bear an unauthorized O/U symbol.

The O/U does NOT certify Harris Teeter Cranberry Black Cherry Juice Cocktail. Some labels of this product bear an unauthorized O/U symbol.

The O/U will no longer certify Gerber Apple Banana with Oatmeal Cereal as a result of changes in production. The certified Apple Banana with Oatmeal Cereal has an O/U symbol and the noncertified product does NOT. Consumers should be careful to look for the O/U symbol prior to purchase.

The O/U does NOT certify California Classic Italian Style Dressing & Marinade. Some bottles were labeled with an unauthorized O/U symbol. This product contains a non-Kosher cheese and is being recalled.

#### FROM THE KVH:

Sabra Food Products (manufactured by International Food Products, Inc.), including Hummus, BabaGhanoush, Tahini Sauce, Tabouli, Black Bean & Wheat Pilaf, Grape Leaves, Cracked Wheat Salad and Mediterranean Salad bear an unauthorized KVH Kosher Symbol.

Please Note: Sabra Food Products from Nor-

wood, Ma. is NOT affiliated with Sabra Dipping Co. in White Plains, N.Y., which remains under O/K/Rabbi Weissmandl certification for most of its hummus and guacamole products.

#### STAR K:

#### **Rosh Hashanna Reminders:**

**Dates:** It is recommended that one open and do a visual inspection on a few out of each container. If no insects can be seen, one can assume the rest are insect-free.

**Figs:** Open each one and check carefully for Infestation (typically wasps, beetles or worms).

**Leeks:** Examine the outside for any leaf minter trails. Check in between the leaves for thrips or other insects.

**Black Eyed Peas:** Dried peas should first be boiled in water. After they have been fully cooked, allow the peas to soak in the water for 2-3 hours. The peas will then swell and the peel will become translucent.

Canned or frozen peas may be checked straight out of the can/bag. There is no need to boil or soak.

To check, take the peas and inspect for holes or dark-colored stains as this may indicate an insect beneath the thin peel. If there is a dark spot on the peel, remove the thin skin and check if there is a cavity with a bug in it.

Baskin-Robbins new "non-dairy Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Frozen" and "non-dairy Chocolate Extreme Frozen Dessert" bear a star-d symbol due to dairy equipment, and may be eaten after meat, but not with meat. In addition, the following Baskin-Robbins ices and sorbets bear a star-d due to dairy equipment and may be eaten after meat. Daiquiri Ice, Horchata Ice, Watermelon Splash Ice, Miami Vice Sorbet and Raspberry Sorbet ("sorbet" should not be confused with sherbet, which contains actual milk ingredients).

**Cuisinart** brand oven mitts, product of China, with label stating "100% Polyester Filling" contain a shatnez filling. They are not pure polyester as they contain wool and linen. In general, oven mitt fillings should be checked for shatnez, especially if they are made in China. Silicone mitts without a filling do not require checking.

Safir Canned Tomatoes with Tomato Juice & Basil, a product of Tunisia, bear an unauthorized Star-K sticker.

COR:

Sardo brand Antipasto Jalapenos Stuffed with Feta Cheese bears an unauthorized COR. This product Is NOT KOSHER even when bearing a COR 77 symbol.

#### RCC:

As of Sunday, September 15, 2019, Santa Monica Glatt Market will no longer be under the Kashrus Certification of the RCC. No Kashrus violations were found.

#### **CAPE TOWN BETH DIN:**

Rice Krispy Toasted Rice Cereal Bar with melted marshmallow erroneously bears a Beth Din logo. This product is NOT Kosher.

Cape Dried Fruit Packers Wasabi peanuts Is Incorrectly labeled Pareve. The product is actually dairy.

Cape Dried Fruit Packers Bar Snack Mix is incorrectly labeled Pareve. The product is dairy.

#### **EARTHKOSHER:**

EarthKosher has received and independently verified reports of consumers finding Insects In packages of dried goji berries, to include the following lots of goji berries sold by Sunfood Superfoods. These lots bear the EarthKosher symbol and are not certified. Lot# 190701 (8 oz.) and 190628 (1 lb.).

#### **UPDATES:**

#### O/U: NEWLY CERTIFIED

Old Elk Bourbon is now certified kosher under o/u supervision.

The following products, manufactured by Puffworks, are now certified Kosher under O/U supervision. These products are all pareve: Honey Peanut Butter Puffs, Original Peanut Butter Puffs, Baby Peanut Butter Puffs and Dark Chocolate Peanut Butter Puffs.

The following products, manufactured by Dapple Co. are now certified Kosher under O/U supervision: Bottles & Dishes Liquid/Apricot, Toys & Highchairs Spray, Bottles & Dishes Foaming Liquid and Everything Spray/Lavender

#### **RCC: NEWLY CERTIFIED**

Dr. Sandwich Beverly location (Beverly Blvd and Gardner in Los Angeles), a versatile Mediterranean/American restaurant is fully operational for dining and occasions.

Darna In the Kineret Restaurant, located on Ventura Blvd. in Woodland Hills, Ca. is under new ownership and continues to operate under RCC certification.

#### STAR-K: NEWLY CERTIFIED

The following products, manufactured by "The Bakery" are now certified Kosher under Star-K supervision: Babka, Challah, Chocolate Cake, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Cranberry Nut Bread, Jewish Apple Cake, Raisin Nut Bread, Sour Cream Coffee Cake.

The following products, manufactured by Ahmetoglu are now certified Kosher under Star-K supervision: Black Olives in Brine, Capers in Brine, Carrots in Brine, Garlic In Brine, Gherkins in Brine, Green Olives in Brine, Olives Stuffed with Garlic In Brine, Olives Stuffed with Pepper in Brine, Pepper Paste, Pepper Sauce, Peppers in Brine.

Chefs Quality and Sunfield Pineapple Products are certified Kosher under Star-K supervision.

Kirkland Signature brand Organic Coconut Water is now certified Kosher under Star-K supervision.

#### RCC: NEWLY CERTIFIED

Street Café by Aroma (18047 Ventura Blvd., Encino, Ca) is now an exclusively Chalav Yisroel Café and Restaurant, available for dining and occasions.

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