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GENERAL YOSHON NEWS

Chodesh Tov!

Our New Video Page Debuts Today!

We are pleased to announce our new “Yoshon Videos” page! There are four videos right now, but there are plans for several mini “Yoshon.com Video Tidbits” in the near future, BE"H. These will be short videos from one to five minutes with tips and training that can help everyone. Currently, we have two videos each from Rabbi Dovid Cohen of the cRc in Chicago, and Rabbi Yitzchok Yisraeli, the Chief Bucharian Rabbi of North America. (B"H, both of them give a mention of “Yoshon.com” in at least one of their videos! We couldn't be more honored.)

The “Yoshon Videos” page can be found in the menu under “Resources”, and at the following link: <https://yoshon.com/yoshon-videos/>. The TYNI Board of Directors had also voted to add several tools that will appear in the future under “Resources” as well, such as Julian Date Calculators, and other helpful items for figuring out date codes.



The First Yartzeit of Rabbi Yosef Herman zt "l

January 29, 2020 – Chodosh Bulletin Update on R' Herman's First Yartzeit

In honor of the first *Yartzeit* of Rabbi Yosef Herman zt"l on the 5th of Shevat, the Herman family put together a beautiful booklet describing a bit of his life and his mission to help others keep the *mitzvah* of *yoshon*.

This is the Direct Document Download Link to the Project Chodosh email if you would like to print it out:

https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/bulletin_update_29_january_20.pdf

This is what it said:

“R' Herman first Yartziet is Thursday night, Friday.

The Herman family asks that all those who are able to learn Mishnayos and/or do whatever they can לעילוי נשמתו.

Thank you to all those who have united together to complete Shas in time for the Yartzeit Thursday night.

Attached is a booklet I put together showing Rabbi Herman's connection to Project Chodosh.

May we share only simchos together.

Mrs. Roskamm”

The Booklet was sent as an attachment to this email in docx format, but we converted it to pdf for easier accessibility. This is the Direct Document Download Link to the *Yartzeit Booklet*:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/YartzeitBookRabbiYHermanZTL.pdf>

(Source: Project Chodosh)

RECENT YOSHON UPDATES

February 10, 2020 – Third Kemach Food Products Corp. Update of the Season

At last there is a date for Malt in Kemach's cereals, and there are several items that are still *yoshon*. Here is the Direct Document Download Link:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/KemachYoshon2020-2-10-20.pdf>

(Source: Kemach Food Products Corp.)



January 29, 2020 – MK Canada Update

As is customary, a day or two after the COR of Canada has an update, the MK has one as well. The Direct Download Link is below:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/MKYoshonUpdate3-for5780-1-29-20.pdf>

(Source: MK Kosher)



January 28, 2020 – Newly Updated Yoshon Flours List 5780

Some additional flours were added. The Direct Download Link is below:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/YoshonFloursList5780Updated-1-28-20.pdf>

(Source: TYNI)



January 27/28, 2020 – COR Canada Corrected Update

This update eliminates many Canadian cereals that were previously listed as being *yoshon*. It also adds a few new ones from the USA that were missed the first time around. Due to a typo, COR (Kashruth Council of Canada) sent out a corrected document of their major update from the day before. They highlighted the error in yellow- the cutoff date for Organic Whole Wheat Flour with a COR 285 Plant Code. The new Direct Download Link is below:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/CorrectedCORYoshonUpdate2-1-27-20.pdf>

(Source: COR Canada)

YOSHON PRODUCT OR ESTABLISHMENT ALERTS

February 24, 2020 – Anat Pita Alert from UOS

The UOS sent out their sixth Yoshon Alert for the season. This stated that Anat Pita was no longer using *yoshon* flour in their products from this date on. The Direct Download Link is below:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/UOSYoshonUpdate6for5780-2-24-20.pdf>

(Source: UOS)



February 21, 2020 – Streit's Minestrone Soup Alert

Brand: Streit's Product: Minestrone Canned Soup 15 Ounce

Issue: Streit's Minestrone Canned Soup with a Best By Date Jan 2023 is not *Yoshon* certified until after Pesach 5780. All other Streit's products certified under the KOF-K are certified as *Yoshon*.

(Source: Project Chodosh/Kof-K)



January 28, 2020 –COR Detroit Yoshon News on Greenfield Pasta

In their "Kosher Gram", COR (Council of Orthodox Rabbis of Greater Detroit) related the following news:

“**GREENFIELD NOODLE CO.** has exhausted its stock of Yoshon flour, and is now using *Chodosh* flour. *Chodosh* product will not state 'Yoshon' next to the expiration date.”

(Source: COR Detroit)

RECALLS AND ISSUES AFFECTING YOSHON OR POTENTIALLY YOSHON PRODUCTS

There is nothing to report this month.

OFFERS, PROMOS, AND DISCOUNT COUPONS

Coupons for Kellogg's and Morning Star Farms Products: This link offers a whole page of printable coupons. Of Kellogg's cereals, Crispix and Corn Pops are *yoshon*. Several Morning Star Farms items are *yoshon* as well, notably the three 1/4-pound Burgers: Veggie Lovers Vegan Burgers, Falafel Burgers, and Tex-Mex Burgers, Griller's Crumbles, and Chorizo Crumbles.

(Just ignore the non-kosher items on the site!) <https://coupons.kelloggsfamilyrewards.com/>

Wishing you all a Purim Sameach in a couple more weeks!

Kol Tuv,

The TYNI Staff

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