

Chametz after Pesach

GROCERY STORES

Based on our research, Chametz from all major grocery stores is permitted to be purchased after Pesach this year. Almost all stores in our area have no Jewish ownership, and the ones that have Jewish ownership have divested themselves from owning Chametz for the duration of Pesach according to Torah law. For those that prefer not to rely on any sale of Chametz, the following are the best options:

BJ's

Costco

CVS

Trader Joe's

Wegman's

Whole Foods

All KVH Kosher Certified Establishments have divested themselves from owning Chametz for the duration of Pesach according to Torah Law.

PLEASE NOTE: While Ocean State Job Lot appears to be under Jewish ownership, KVH Kosher has not been able to verify the ownership status, nor whether the chametz was sold or not. Please consult your local Rabbi regarding purchasing chametz there during the next couple of months.

LIQUOR STORES

A serious concern has come to light in that many local liquor stores, as well as major liquor distributors in the Greater Boston Area are under Jewish ownership. Therefore, until the end of June, Chametz beverages should be purchased only in one of the grocery store chains mentioned here, any liquor store which is verified as not being Jewish-owned, or one of the following:

All Star Liquors

15 McGrath Highway Somerville MA

Fresh Pond Liquors

233 Alewife Brook Parkway Cambridge MA

Gary's Liquors

655 VFW Pkwy, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467

Gordon's DTX

39 Temple Place, Boston, MA 02111

Gordon's Main St

894 Main Street, Waltham, MA 02451

Gordon's Moody St

599 Moody Street, Waltham, MA 02451

Gordon's Newton

31 Austin Street, Newton, MA 02460

Gordon's Watertown

51 Watertown Street, Watertown, MA 02472

Locke Liquors

48 Broadway, Malden, MA

Murray's

747 Beacon Street, Newton Centre, MA 02459

MVP Liquors

2153 Mystic Valley Parkway Malden, MA

The Butcherie

428 Harvard St, Brookline, MA 02446

Whiskey & Wine

207 Market St, Brighton, MA 02135

Zaydes Market

15 Washington St, Canton, MA 02021

