

## CHECK LIST FOR PESACH – 5786 (2026)

### BEFORE PESACH

- Arrange for the sale of your Chometz:  
This is best done by signing in person the Shtar allowing Rabbi Lieberman to arrange for the sale of your Chametz.  
Rabbi Lieberman will be available in his Shul office:
  - From Sunday morning 22<sup>nd</sup> March - Immediately after Shacharis and Mincha/Maariv
  - Motzai Shabbos 28<sup>th</sup> March from 21.30-23.00
  - Sunday morning 29<sup>th</sup> March from 10.00-13.00
  - Sunday and Monday evenings 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> March 20.00-21.30
- You can book an individual time to meet with Rabbi Lieberman for the sale by [clicking here](#).
- You can complete the Sale of Chometz form on line by [clicking here](#). If you choose the online option, it is still best to come around at one of times above to make a kinyan in person with the Rav.
- Give Kimche d'Pischa/Maos Chitin to the Shul Treasurers, the Rav or the Shul Office Manager.
- Funds can be donated online



Via EAYC at [www.eayc.org/KDP](http://www.eayc.org/KDP)



Or via Chai Institute [here](#).

### TUESDAY NIGHT 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH

- Do Bedikas Chometz when in Edgware, after 8.14pm. See the separate sheet for what to do if travelling.

### EREV PESACH - WEDNESDAY – 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL

- Tainnis Bechorim. Many fast if they have first born sons who do not yet fast themselves. Siyumim will be taken place after Shacharis at each minyan. If you are a Bechor, make sure to participate in the Seudas Mitzvah after the Siyum. You should participate in the Siyumim in person.
- Items made of ground matzah (for those who eat Matzah Shiruya) are permitted on Erev Pesach if they are boiled or deep fried, but baked matzah meal products may not be eaten Erev Pesach.
- Ashkenazim should not eat Matzah Ashira (eg Egg Matzos) from Erev Pesach morning throughout Pesach nor can one be Kovah Seudah on Matzah Ashira (if ill and permitted) unless one eats more than three whole matzos.
- Chometz is assur to eat from 10.55am
- The Chometz must be burned and the Biur recited before 12 noon
- All the Seder preparations, e.g., marror, charoses, lettuce, roasted egg etc. should be done before Yom Tov starts.
- If possible, the Seder room and table should be prepared well before Yom Tov.
- Remember to make an **Eruv Tavshlin**.
- Light a 48+ hour candle, from which to light the Shabbos candles on 2<sup>nd</sup> day Yom Tov evening.

### 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY PESACH - YOM TOV 1 – WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND THURSDAY – 1<sup>ST</sup> AND 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL

- Begin the first seder after 20.16pm and finish the afikomin before Chatzos at 1.04am.
- We complete saying of Mashiv Haruach with Mussaf.
- Take care not to eat too much this afternoon, so as to begin the 2<sup>nd</sup> Seder and eat the Matzah shel Mitzvah with an appetite.
- We begin counting the Omer tonight after Maariv.

### 2<sup>ND</sup> DAY PESACH - YOM TOV 2 – THURSDAY NIGHT AND FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> – 3<sup>RD</sup> APRIL

- Preparations and planning of any kind for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Seder or Yom Tov may be made only after the first day ends at **20.23pm**.
- Light the Shabbos candles from an existing flame **before** Shabbos begins at **19.22pm**, but not earlier than **18.15pm**

*Wishing all a נשמה ושמחה*  
*Rabbi Zvi H Lieberman*