



Passover at Ohavi Zedek Synagogue



*Pesach 5777 OZ Community Passover Seder
Tuesday, April 11 6:00 pm (Second Night)*

Choice of Vegetarian, Fish or Brisket Entree

RSVP to Tari by April 4*

Tari@ohavizedek.org or 864-0218 x-21

Members

Adults - \$40

Ages 5-17- \$18

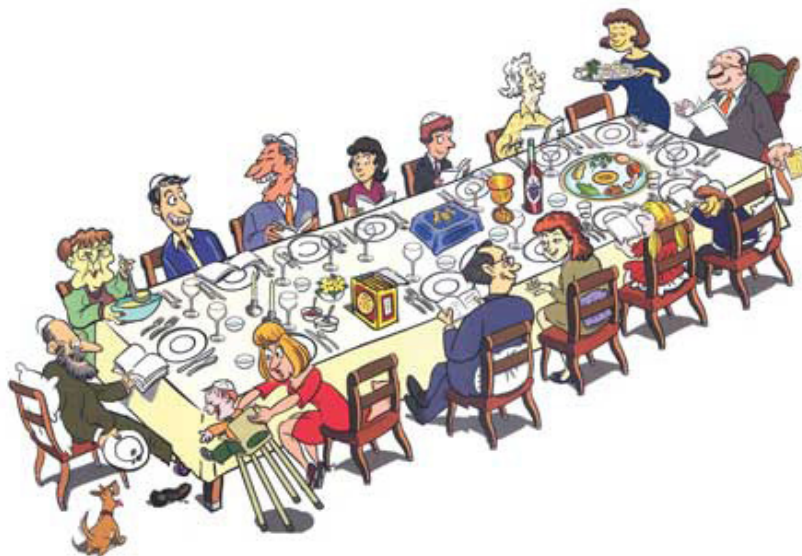
Under 5 - Free

Non-Members

Adults - \$50

Ages 5-17- \$25

Under 5 - Free



*If you are hosting a first night Seder dinner and can add in a chair or two at your table PLEASE let the office know. Or if you are looking for a place for a first night Seder, let the office know.

*Can you sponsor a family or plate at the OZ Seder?

Disposal / Sale of Hametz

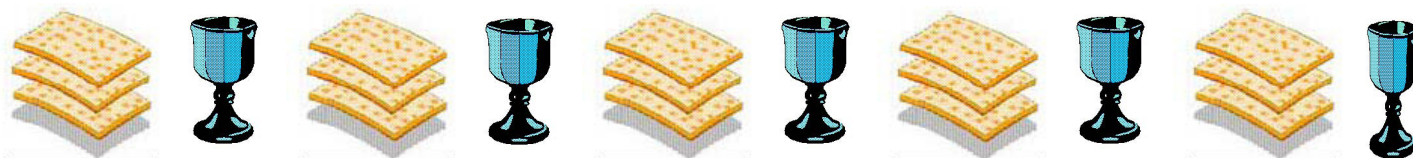
The disposal of leaven (*hametz*) before the advent of the Passover Festival requires the removal or storing of all *hametz*. ([Visit ohavizedek.org for the full kashrut guide or you may pick one up in the OZ office.](http://ohavizedek.org))

Therefore, in order to enable us to fulfill these requirements, Jewish law provides for technical procedure whereby we are able to sell all *hametz* in our possession for the duration of the holiday. This is known as *Mechirat Hametz*, the sale of *hametz*.

Rabbi Amy will be happy to assist you with the sale of *hametz*, thus enabling you to have a kosher home for Passover. In addition, by making a contribution to the ***Mechirat Chometz Fund*** in conjunction with selling your *hametz*, you help us provide Seder for Jews who need help this time of year. Please contact Rabbi Amy no later than April 6 regarding the sale of your *hametz*, either by calling 864-0218 or by mailing in the form at the bottom of the page.

The Torah commands us to banish all signs of leaven (*hametz*) from our homes before Pesah. Therefore, after cleaning, we search thoroughly to make sure that even the smallest crumb isn't overlooked. This final search is performed as a small ceremony, after dark on April 9. With the aid of a candle, a feather and a spoon, we search the house for any signs of *hametz*. The crumbs are collected in the spoon and burned the next morning, April 10.

The first-born child in each family is required to fast *Erev Pesah* (the eve of Passover) in commemoration of the saving of the first-born Israelites traditionally in Egypt. However, one is permitted to partake of food after participation in the *Siyum* (a short study session), held this year after services on April 10, which begins at 7:30 AM.



Dear Rabbi Amy:

I authorize you to sell all hametz in my home and/or business.



Name: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____

Donation to the Mechirat Chometz Fund of \$ _____ enclosed.

Please return by Monday, April 6.

Passover Service Times

Mon, April 10	Erev Pesah	Shaharit and Siyyum No evening minyan Candle lighting	7:30 AM 7:14 PM
Tue, April 11	Pesah 1	Pesah 1 Morning Service Community Seder No evening minyan	9:00 AM 6:00 PM
Wed, April 12	Pesah 2	Pesah 2 Morning Service No evening minyan	9:00 AM
Sun, April 16	Erev Pesah 7	Morning Minyan Candle Lighting	8:45 AM 7:21 PM
Mon, April 17	Pesah 7	Pesah 7 Morning Service Candle Lighting No evening minyan	9:00 AM 8:30 PM
Tue, April 18	Pesah 8	Pesah 8 Morning Service with Yizkor No evening minyan Havdalah (home observance)	9:00 AM 8:31 PM

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