



## Sunplash Market Guidelines for Shoppers

The Star-K has certified certain items at Sunplash Natural Food Market in the Colonial Village Shopping center for a number of years. This certification is provided as a service to the Baltimore community. We have been receiving an increasing number of calls from consumers expressing their uncertainty in determining what is certified by the Star-K and what is not. These guidelines should alleviate this confusion.

1. Our certification is mainly on those items sold in the bulk bins that are located along the rear wall of the store. **Only those items that appear on our kosher letter of certification are certified by the Star-K.** The letter of certification is displayed on the wall near the bulk bins.
2. The stickers that state "kosher" are not authorized by the Star-K. The store puts these on by themselves for the convenience of the customers. This does not mean that these items are not kosher, but it does mean that the Star-K takes no responsibility for these items unless they are also listed on the aforementioned kosher certificate.
3. In addition to the selected bulk items, the **Star-K also certifies the store-made natural peanut butter and the dry herbs** sold in bulk bins in the front corner of the store. They are located on the shelf labeled *Frontier*.

Consumers should check to make sure the other products they purchase in the store are reliably kosher certified.

## Consumer alerts and information

**General Mills Honey Nut Chex Cereal** - Due to a formula change (since the last time Star-K published a brochos list for cereals), the correct brocho for General Mills Honey Nut Chex is hoadama. The bracha achrona is borai nefashos.

**Sunshine® Cheez-it®** - Please be advised that Sunshine® Cheez-it® Double Cheese Baked Snacks Mix packages produced by Kellogg Company are mislabeled with an OK-D and are NOT Kosher. Unfortunately, a supplier's Kosher certification was called into question after some of this product was shipped to customers. Corrective action is being taken.

**Oreo Fudge Rings** - Oreo Cookies are certified OU kosher. Nabisco is introducing a new variety of Oreo brand cookies called Oreo Fudge Rings, which are currently not certified kosher. The Oreo Fudge Rings label does not bear the OU symbol.

**Herr's Kettle Cooked Potato Chips** - Cracked Pepper and Sea Salt flavored Potato Chips contains dairy ingredients as listed on the ingredient panel but the dairy designation has been inadvertently omitted. Future packaging will be revised.

**Tree Nut Allergy** - Changes have been made to the following Entenmann's products. Cashews, hazelnuts, walnuts, and pecans have been added:

- Raspberry Danish Twist
- Cheese Buns
- Cheese Danish Twist
- Cherry Cheese Danish
- Ultimate Super Cinnamons
- Cheese Filled Crumb
- Coffee Cake
- Cinnamon Hazelnut Ring
- Crumb Coffee Cake

Please read all labels carefully. If you have questions, you may call the company at (800) 984-0989.

Mincha at the STAR-K office building is Mon-Thur at 1:50 p.m.

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