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TMPORTANT SAFETY TIPS

TO ENSURE YOU HAVE A

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WHEN SEARCHING FOR CHOMETE

- Keep candles away from all flammable materials (curtains, sofas, clothing etc.)
- Do not place used candles in paper bag with chometz

WHEN BURNING CHOMETZ

- Once fire is lit, do not add any fire enhancing agents (gas, lighter fluid etc.)
- Keep fire away from structures, cars, trees & wires
- Never burn plastic or explosive materials
- Light candles out of children's reach and where they cannot be knocked over!
- Participate in a community chometz burning if available

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WHEN LIGHTING CANDLES

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Place candle on a sturdy heat resistant surface away from flammable materials including walls, curtains, cabinets, wooden and plastic tables, tablecloths etc.
 Keep surfaces and surrounding areas clear of burned matches and other debris Never leave Yom Tov/ Shabbos candles unattended or go to sleep while they are burning

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Use extra caution when using 24 hour yartzeit candles, keep on a heat resistant surface away from flammable materials

WHEN COOKING E KOSHERING

- Set appliances back on counter to avoid accidental burns & spills
- Designate ovens, stoves and heat containing appliances as a "NO GO ZONE" for children
 - Position blech so that heat can escape from all sides without heating walls, cabinets, and counters
 - Never cover oven vents with aluminum foil Keep pot handles turned inward and away from the edge of the stove
 - Never move pots of boiling hot liquids while uncovered, and use caution when carrying hot food around children

Treat burns immediately by cooling with cool

water and call your local emergency number

ALWAYS REMEMBER

- Supervise children at all times, especially around lit candles, flames, and hot appliances
- Have working smoke detectors
- Have/and practice a family fire emergency escape plan with a designated family meeting area outside of house
- Proper fire safety planning and prevention
 can help keep you and your family safe

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