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## When to eat food of Eiruv?

	Eiruv Tavshilin	Eiruv Chatzeiros
Maharil & Maharshal	May eat Friday evening	May eat Friday evening
(14 & 16 century "poskim")	Best to wait until 3 <sup>rd</sup> meal	Best to wait until 3 <sup>rd</sup> meal
	Good to use a mitzvah for more mitzvahs	Good to use a mitzvah for more mitzvahs
Alter Rebbe's Code of Law	May eat Friday evening	May eat Friday evening
	Best to wait until 3 <sup>rd</sup> meal	Best to wait until Shabbat morning meal
Questions:		

- 1. Why Alter Rebbe differentiates between two Eiruvs?
- 2. Why is 3<sup>rd</sup> meal optimum time? It isn't even a mitzvah obligation to eat bread.

Reasons for Eiruv Tavshilin (Talmud):

Rav Ashi	Rava
Reminder of prohibition to cook on Yom Tov for weekday	Reminder to save good food for Shabbos
To honor Yom Tov	To honor Shabbos
Halachic difference:	
Eiruv can be prepared before Erev Yom Tov	Eiruv must be prepared Erev Yom Tov
Negative	Positive
Verses "hinting" ET:	
"Bake that which has been baked"	"Remember day of Shabbos"
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Alter Rebbe: One may eat Eiruv Friday evening	but better is to hold until 3 <sup>rd</sup> meal

Answers both questions above!