

# POOL OPENING INSTRUCTIONS



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- 1 Remove any water and debris from on top of the winter cover.
- 2 Unsecure and carefully remove cover from pool, preventing any residual debris to enter the pool water below.
- 3 If using a safety cover, allow to air dry and roll or fold cover into storage bag. If using a tarp cover, allow cover and water tubes to dry completely before folding and storing.

**CAUTION:** Do not leave any cover on grass in direct sunlight or for extended periods as it may damage the grass.

- 4 Re-attach any deck accessories (diving boards, ladders, handrails, etc.). Re-install any lights, baskets; return jet eyeballs, gauges, plugs, caps, etc. Apply **LUBE TUBE** lubricant to all O-Rings and rubber gaskets and use Teflon tape on all threaded fittings.  
  
All gas-fired heaters should be restarted and inspected annually only by a licensed gas technician.

- 5 Upon refilling the pool, add **WAVE STAIN AND SCALE** as directed on the bottle. Next day: add **WAVE SPRING AND FALL** to the pool as directed on the bottle.

- 6 Once the pool has been refilled, prime the pump by pouring water into the pump's strainer housing, close lid and start pump. Be sure to shift the filter valve from "Winterize" to "Filter". Once pool is circulating, add **WAVE NOW** to the pool as directed on the package.

- 7 Vacuum the pool. If you experience heavy amounts of fine sediment or dead algae on the pool bottom, it is suggested to vacuum to waste/drain quickly while minimizing water waste. It is not recommended to use a suction type automatic pool cleaner while unattended since the buildup of sediment may back up filters and re-enter the pool. Robotic pool cleaners with a self-contained pump & filter are preferred.

- 8 Bring a fresh water sample to Discounter's Pool & Spa Warehouse for analysis. Please advise sales associate if you are experiencing algae or cloudy water conditions. Balance water as prescribed by the water test results and recommendations.