

## OPENING INFORMATION FOR ABOVE GROUND POOLS

- 1) **REMOVE POOL COVER**  
REMOVE DEBRIS AND WATER FROM TOP OF THE COVER.  
LOOSEN CABLE AND REMOVE COVER.  
REMOVE PILLOW FROM POOL.
- 2) **FILTER**  
MAKE SURE ALL PLUGS FOR THE FILTER TANK ARE WRAPPED WITH TEFLON TAPE OR PERMATEX, REINSTALL AND TIGHTEN. DO THE SAME FOR PLUG(S) ON THE BOTTOM OF THE HAIR AND LINT POT AND/OR THE PUMP. REPLACE SIGHT GLASS, PRESSURE GAUGE, HAIR AND LINT POT BASKET AND ANY OTHER ITEMS REMOVED FOR THE WINTER MONTHS.
- 3) **HEATER**  
REINSTALL DRAIN VALVES AND PRESSURE SWITCH. MAKE SURE HEATER IS CLEAR OF ALL DEBRIS. PRIOR TO LIGHTING HEATER, GAS SUPPLY WILL HAVE TO BE TURNED BACK ON.
- 4) **RETURN FITTINGS AND SKIMMER**  
REMOVE WINTER PLUG OR CAP FROM RETURN FITTING AND FROM ALL OTHER FITTINGS. REINSTALL RETURN EYEBALL AND ITS PARTS.  
REMOVE WINTERIZING PLATE FROM SKIMMER. REINSTALL SKIMMER BASKET AND WEIR.  
OPEN GATE VALVE FOR BOTTOM DRAIN AND ANY OTHER CLOSED VALVE IN THE SYSTEM.
- 5) **POOL LIGHT**  
REINSTALL LIGHT INTO LIGHT NICHE.
- 6) **OTHER ACCESSORIES**  
REINSTALL LADDER, SOLAR REEL, ETC.
- 7) **POOL CLEANING AND PRIMING PUMP**  
ACCESSORIES SUCH AS HEATERS, AUTOMATIC VACUUMS, ETC. SHOULD NOT BE OPERATED UNTIL THE POOL IS IN GOOD OPERATING CONDITION.  
POOL WATER SHOULD BE AT NORMAL SUMMER FILTERING LEVEL.  
REMOVE AS MUCH DEBRIS AS POSSIBLE FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE POOL WITH A LEAF RAKE.  
PRESEASON FILTER CHECK IS RECOMMENDED. OUR SHOP ALSO PROVIDES THIS SERVICE - CALL FOR DETAILS.  
PRIME FILTER BY FILLING HAIR AND LINT POT WITH WATER. START FILTER IN BACKWASH POSITION.  
BACKWASH YOUR FILTER. FOR MAXIMUM EFFICIENCY OVER THE SUMMER MONTHS, CLEAN YOUR SAND, EARTH OR CARTRIDGE FILTER WITH KLEEN-IT FILTER CLEANER.  
THE START UP CHEMICALS YOU ADD TO YOUR POOL WILL VARY ACCORDING TO THE CHEMICAL PROGRAM YOU ARE CURRENTLY USING. PLEASE CONTACT US FOR THIS INFORMATION. THE CHEMICALS YOU WILL NEED ARE AVAILABLE AT OUR THREE STORE LOCATIONS.  
VACUUM YOUR POOL. BRING IN A WATER SAMPLE (AFTER INITIAL CHEMICALS ARE ADDED) SO WE MAY ANALYZE YOUR WATER.
- 8) **BRING A SAMPLE OF YOUR POOL WATER INTO THE STORE TO GET A FREE WATER ANALYSIS!**

THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS ONLY A GUIDE AND GENERAL IN NATURE. PROCEDURES WILL VARY DEPENDING UPON INDIVIDUAL POOL SET UP AND EQUIPMENT. REFER TO INSTRUCTION MANUALS FOR DETAILED INFORMATION.

**WE HAVE A POOL OPENING SERVICE - CALL FOR DETAILS**