Standard Closing Kit



For pools up to 7,500 gallons

Instructions:

NOTE: Temperatures should be consistently below 65°F before attempting to close your pool. For vinyl liner and fiberglass pools, follow the manufacturer's recommendations for winterizing.

- 1. Clean the pool. Remove large debris with a leaf rake or skimmer net, then brush all pool surfaces and vacuum the pool floor.
- 2. Pour 1 pint of MetalFree around the perimeter of the pool with the pump running on high speed.
- 3. With the pump running at high speed, balance your water according to the following recommended ranges. Remember to never mix chemicals, and always wait at least 1–2 hours between chemical applications. If you need to adjust Calcium Hardness levels, do not add a hardness increaser on the same day as sodium carbonate (Soda Ash) or sodium bicarbonate (Alkalinity Up).
 - Total Alkalinity: 80–120 ppm (exact range depends on sanitizer type)
 - pH: 7.4-7.6
 - Calcium Hardness: 200-400 ppm
- 4. Add 1 pint of **Leslie's Algae Control** to a bucket of water, then pour the mixture around the perimeter of the pool with the pump still running. Wait 1 hour.
- 5. Broadcast 1 pound of Leslie's Fresh 'N Clear across the surface of the pool with the pump running. Wait 30 minutes.
- 6. Bring your Free Available Chlorine level to 2.0–4.0 ppm if not there already. Broadcast **Leslie's Chlor Brite** (sold separately) evenly over a wide area in the deepest part of the pool with the pump running. Use about 1.5 ounces of Chlor Brite per 5,000 gallons to increase chlorine levels by 1 ppm. Keep the pump running, and wait for at least 8 hours.
- 7. Add your blue **WinterPill** to the pool according to manufacturer instructions. This product contains enzymes, so do not add it to your pool if chlorine levels are above the recommended range.
- 8. Proceed with winterization procedures as you normally would. Clean or backwash the filter, turn off the power, lower water levels below the skimmer (if applicable), winterize your equipment and plumbing lines, remove non-permanent items from around the pool, and install your winter or safety cover. Or, if you need help, schedule pool closing services with a certified Leslie's technician.

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