

# Pool Cleaning Tips

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With the pool cleaning system on, skim the pool water surface with a deep net. Brush the swimming pool walls from the top of the pool water line down towards the swimming pool floor. Vacuum the pool floor. Turn the pool cleaning equipment off. Empty and clean out all baskets and traps. Start up the pool cleaning equipment assuring all pool equipment parts and mechanical components are providing adequate filtration and circulation to the swimming pool. Backwashing and recharging the pool filter when pressure gets as high as 18-20 p.s.i. assures good water circulation. Test, add and adjust all pool water chemical levels. Balance the chlorine, ph and sanitizer levels all year around. Don't neglect your pool during the winter months because you don't use it. Many think since they don't use their pool for 6 months that this is a good time to save money and get rid of the pool service guy. The plan then, is to dump a gallon of chlorine in every few weeks to keep the water from turning green. Some go as far as to not run the pool cleaning equipment. Well, guess what? High pH levels causes the plaster to oxidize and erode making it difficult to keep clean as the surface becomes porous and pitted. Stains start to appear more often and become more difficult to remove. You start going through pool service companies because their work appears to be bad when in fact the decision to save money during the winter months brought on the real problem. The need for a re-plaster job comes sooner than later. Keeping your pool water chems balanced year around adds a lot of years to you plaster and makes your swimming pool easier to keep clean. Ask your pool service technician about adding conditioner during the winter months. Select a pool service person that has your interest in mind.

The video link below contains helpful information about what it takes to maintain a well operating pool system.

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