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## **Recommended Hot Tub Chemical Routine**

Your Hot Tub's water chemistry is a key element to your enjoyment & safety and the hot tub's longevity. The following is our recommended chemical maintenance routine for **350 gallons**.

### **Step 1 - Initial hot tub filling:**

If you have metals in your make up water like iron, or sediment like rust, start by filling the hot tub with a pre-filter on your water hose. This will remove much of the unwanted metals and sediments. Add 1 pint of Leisure Time Metal Gon to sequester/ chelate whatever remains, then wait until the next day before going on to step 2. If your make up water doesn't have these issues, go ahead and install a Nature-2 or Proclear mineral stick into filter & continue on to step 2.

### **Step 2 – Initial hot tub chemical balance:**

Test your hot tub water with AquaChek test strips and adjust your alkalinity to the **high side of OK** using Leisure Time Spa Up. Alkalinity is where your Ph (potential hydrogen) comes from and is always the first thing you adjust in your weekly chemical routine. Always add maintenance chemicals with your spa's jets on high speed. Once Alkalinity is adjusted, add 1.5 oz. of Leisure Time Spa 56 and 2 oz. Leisure Time Renew.

### **Step 3 – Weekly hot tub maintenance:**

Once a week test your hot tub water. Add Spa Up first, as needed; add 1.5 oz. Spa 56 and 2 oz. Renew. If you do this after you are done using it for the day, it will be ready for use the next day. Depending on your Spa's filtration, filters should be rinsed well every 1 - 2 weeks, soaked in filter cleaner every 1 - 2 months and replaced yearly. It is best to have two sets of filters to rotate. Check your bromine floater and add tablets as needed.

### **Step 4 – Daily hot tub maintenance:**

Add 1.5 - 2 oz. of Leisure Time Renew after each hot tub use. Rinses filters if needed, and add extra Spa 56 when there has been high hot tub use out of your normal schedule... i.e. the kids have all their friends over, etc., give it an extra dose after this type of use.

These easy steps will make your hot tub experience enjoyable without harsh chemical smell or that uncomfortable skin tightening feeling... You'll need to drain, clean and refill your hot tub and replace the mineral stick every 3-4 months... Check the equipment compartment monthly to make sure everything is in order. If there are any signs of leaking give us a call to repair as soon as possible... Enjoy your Hot Tub and don't hesitate to ask us anything!

**Thank you from all of us at All Seasons Pool & Spa**