

# Hot Tub Chemical Sanitizing & Maintenance Routine

Proper water sanitizing & maintenance is a key element to your hot tub enjoyment, safety and the spa's longevity. The following is our recommended chemical maintenance routine for <u>400 gallons</u>.

### Step1. 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 if not all of the unwanted metals and sediments, then add 1 pint of Leisure Time Metal-Gon to sequester/chelate what remains, and wait until the next day before installing your Nature2 /ProClear /Sunpurity and going to step 2... If your make up water doesn't have these issues, put your new Nature2 /Sunpurity ProClear mineral stick in the filter and continue on to step2.

### Step2. Hot Tub chemical balance:

Test your hot tub water with AquaChek 6-in-1 spa test strips and adjust your alkalinity to the **High side** of **OK**, using Leisure Time Alkalinity Increaser. Alkalinity is where your Ph (potential hydrogen) comes from and is always the first thing you adjust in your weekly chemical routine. Also, always add any maintenance chemicals with your jets on high speed. Once Alkalinity is adjusted add <u>1.5oz</u>. Leisure Time Spa 56 and <u>2oz</u>. of Leisure Time Renew. If Calcium level is low, add Leisure Time Calcium Booster, per label instructions. Raise to "OK" range on test strip.

### Weekly hot tub maintenance:

Once a week test your hot tub water. Add Alkalinity first, if needed... <u>Add 1.5oz. Spa 56</u> and <u>2oz. Renew</u>. Always wait at least 1 hour after adding chemical, before entering the spa, or do your maintenance after you are done using the spa for the day & it will be ready for the next day.

### Daily hot tub maintenance:

Add <u>1.5 - 2 oz. Renew</u> after each hot tub use... Add **extra Spa 56** if there has been higher than normal hot tub use or more people than usual usage.

These easy steps will make your hot tub experience enjoyable without harsh chemical smell or that skin tightening feeling. Drain, clean and refill your hot tub every 3 - 4 months... Replace PROCLEAR/ SUNPURITY/ N2 every 3 - 4 months... Jet Clean twice a year.... Filters should be rinsed out every other week, soaked in Leisure Time Filter Clean every 2 - 3 months and replaced once a year. It helps to have two sets of filters... Check the equipment compartment once a month or so 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 if you have questions.

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