

Namco's Fun Pool Closing Supply Shopping List for Winterizing Your In-Ground Pool

Gather the following items for a smooth pool closing operation:

- 🔲 Pool Vacuum
- Pool Breeze Granular Shock or 12.5% Liquid Shock
- Blue Shield Winterizer
- Winterizing Powder
- 🗌 Blue Shield Winter Tabs
- Blue Shield Winterizing Kit (Optional: includes Winter Klear and Winter Klean)

- 🔲 Blue Shield Liquid Pump Protector
- Skimmer Plug (Plate)
- Winterizing Plug
- Shop or Canister Vacuum
- Ice Equalizer Pillow
- Pool Cover with Water Bag System Loop
- Cover Siphon or Electric Cover Pump



Instructions

1. Pool Prep Party

Vacuum your pool and balance the pH levels between 7.2 and 7.6. Add Pool Breeze Granular Shock or 12.5% Liquid Shock two days before the pool closure. Ensure there's no chlorine left before placing the cover.

2. Winter Magic Potion

The day before closing, introduce your pool to the Blue Shield Winterizer, Winterizing Powder, and Blue Shield Winter Tabs. The tabs should sit about 10-12 inches underwater.

3. Chemical Dance Party

If available, use the Blue Shield Winterizing Kit, Winter Klear, and Winter Klean to replace the chemicals listed in the previous step. Let your filter work for 6-12 hours for better circulation.

4. Corrosion Protection

Apply some Blue Shield Liquid Pump Protector through the skimmer.

5. Pool Art Exhibition

Remove the ladders, handrails, and spouts, and lower the underwater lights to the deep end if applicable.

6. Water Level Wisdom

Do not lower the water level. Instead, remove the basket and weir door from the skimmer and seal the skimmer opening with a Skimmer Plug (Plate).

7. Blowout Bash

Use a shop or canister vacuum to blow out all lines and seal all wall lines with a Winterizing Plug.

8. Heater's Hot Exit

Once the water conditions are set, there is a final step to complete before enjoying your pool. Set up routine sanitation at the start of the season to get into regular maintenance and ensure acceptable chlorine levels. Chat with your local Namco to discuss a regular maintenance plan.

9. Ice Equalizer Party

Inflate and fix the Ice Equalizer pillow at the center of your pool.

10. Magical Winter Cover

Place the water bag system cover for winter. Make use of the loops on the covers for easier placement.

11. Cover Watchdog

Use a Cover Siphon or Electric Cover Pump to prevent water from pooling on the pool cover during the winter.

