

The Spa Shoppe

Durham's One Stop Hot Tub - Pool Supply Store

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Ahh Some Walk Through

1. Make sure water is balanced.
 - a. pH between 7.2-7.8 ppm
 - b. Chlorine/Bromine between 4-6 ppm
 - c. Alkalinity between 80-120 ppm
 2. Take out all filters, headrests/pillows, skimmer baskets
 3. Make sure all diverters are in the middle and water is going to all jets and any waterfalls. Make sure all jets are open and water is going through them
 4. Turn on all air controls
 5. Have sub pump/drain ready to go along with a hose (or ready to set up self-clean system)
 6. Turn on all pumps/jets, running on full blast
 7. Take ½ container to full container of Ahh Some product and add it into the water by picking it up with your fingers, putting it in the water and squishing it.
 - a. Note: for swim spas, may need to use 1-2 full containers
 8. Make sure your jets are running continuously for 1 ½ - 2 hours. Keep going out to the hot tub and turning the jets back on every 15-20 minutes to make sure that the water is constantly in motion.
 9. After the 1 ½ – 2 hours has finished, be prepared with the hose on and sub pump or drain system ready.
 10. Start the draining process right away, and as the water is draining take the hose and rinse down the walls of the hot tub to ensure the product does not stick to the sides of the walls as it is draining
 11. When the tub is fully drained, fill it with the hose, run it for ~30 min (Do not need to heat up or add chemicals) and then DRAIN AGAIN. This is to ensure you get ALL of the product out of the lines and that all the biofilm has been eliminated with it.
 - a. Note: this may not be necessary for Swim Spas
 12. Wipe down the walls with a shammy/microfiber cloth. (DO NOT USE ABRASIVE PRODUCTS) to make sure any left over product is gone
- Note : If product is stuck to the walls, you can take a bit of remaining product (blue goop) and mix it with water in a spray bottle and use it to spray the dried chemical to help get it off*
13. When all is said and done, fill up the tub again and wait for the water to heat up and go about initial balancing of water