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COMPLETE GUIDE TO WATER CARE



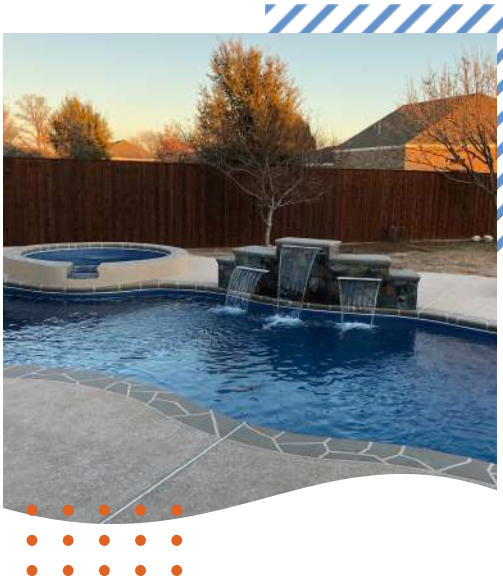
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As you enter the thrilling world of pool and spa ownership, you're also taking your first steps into discovering all that is involved in keeping water clean and safe. Diving into the incredible world of water care may seem daunting at first, but rest assured that with proper care and maintenance (and some friendly assistance from the professionals at David Pool and Spa) your swimming pool or hot tub will hold the cleanest, clearest, safest water.

YOUR WATER AND YOU:
GETTING STARTED

SALTWATER VS. FRESHWATER

Saltwater systems provide a more gentle and natural way of keeping pool or spa water clean compared to freshwater systems. Saltwater pools and spas use salt-chlorine generators that utilize electrolysis to convert the salt into chlorine, which sanitizes the water naturally. This process helps balance the pH levels, reduce odors, and leaves users with a feeling of swimming in softer water than a regular chlorine-treated pool.



Freshwater pools and spas, on the other hand, use liquid or granular chlorine, bromine or biguanide compounds to sanitize the water. With quality products, a chlorine or chlorine-alternative aquatic space can also be maintained beautifully.

We recommend saltwater cell generators for all of our swimming pools.

WATER TESTING AND ADJUSTMENT

Water testing is the most important step to preserving your pool or spa's cleanliness and health. Water testing should be done on a regular basis (at least once a week) using test strips, digital meters, or chemical kits. We recommend having your water professionally tested at least twice a month during your busiest swimming and soaking seasons.



Once you've tested your water and determined what levels need to be adjusted, you can use a variety of chemicals to bring the pH and alkalinity levels back into balance. Water hardness should also be checked regularly, as this affects the effectiveness of sanitizers and other chemicals used in water care maintenance.

TYPES OF CHEMICALS

SANITIZERS	clean your water, killing bacteria, algae, and other contaminants
OXIDIZERS	remove unwanted organic waste and matter from the pools (such as suntan lotion, leaves, etc).
BALANCERS	Balance out chemicals like pH, calcium, alkalinity, and stabilizer.
SPECIALTY PRODUCTS	For special uses such as preventing algae or binding contaminants for easier removal.

CHEMICAL LEVEL GOALS

CHLORINE	2.0 to 4.0 ppm
OXIDIZERS	7.2-7.8
ALKALINITY	80-120 pm
CALCIUM HARDNESS	200 to 275 ppm
SALT FOR SALTWATER POOLS	3000-4000 ppm

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Has all this information you just read started to rack your brain? Making you ask questions about whether it was worth it to tackle chemical maintenance on your own? This is the exact reason why we have decided to start providing professional water care. Now you can spend more time at home doing the things you love and less time doing the things you don't, so give us a call at **432-563-3335**.

MAINTAINING WATER QUALITY

So, why do you have to consistently maintain your water? At David Pool and Spa, we like to compare water maintenance to that of washing the dishes in your kitchen. If you clean your plates, pots, and pans after dinner, you can rest easy knowing your kitchen is clean and the chore only took a few minutes. However, if you let them pile up into the breakfast dishes, well then, you've got one big mess and much more work ahead of you.

By maintaining your water quality, it's easier to catch problems while they are still small and easier to rectify. As your pool or spa's water becomes contaminated with oils, body lotions, hair products, and other organic materials, there are a few things to do outside of testing the water to help maintain its clarity.

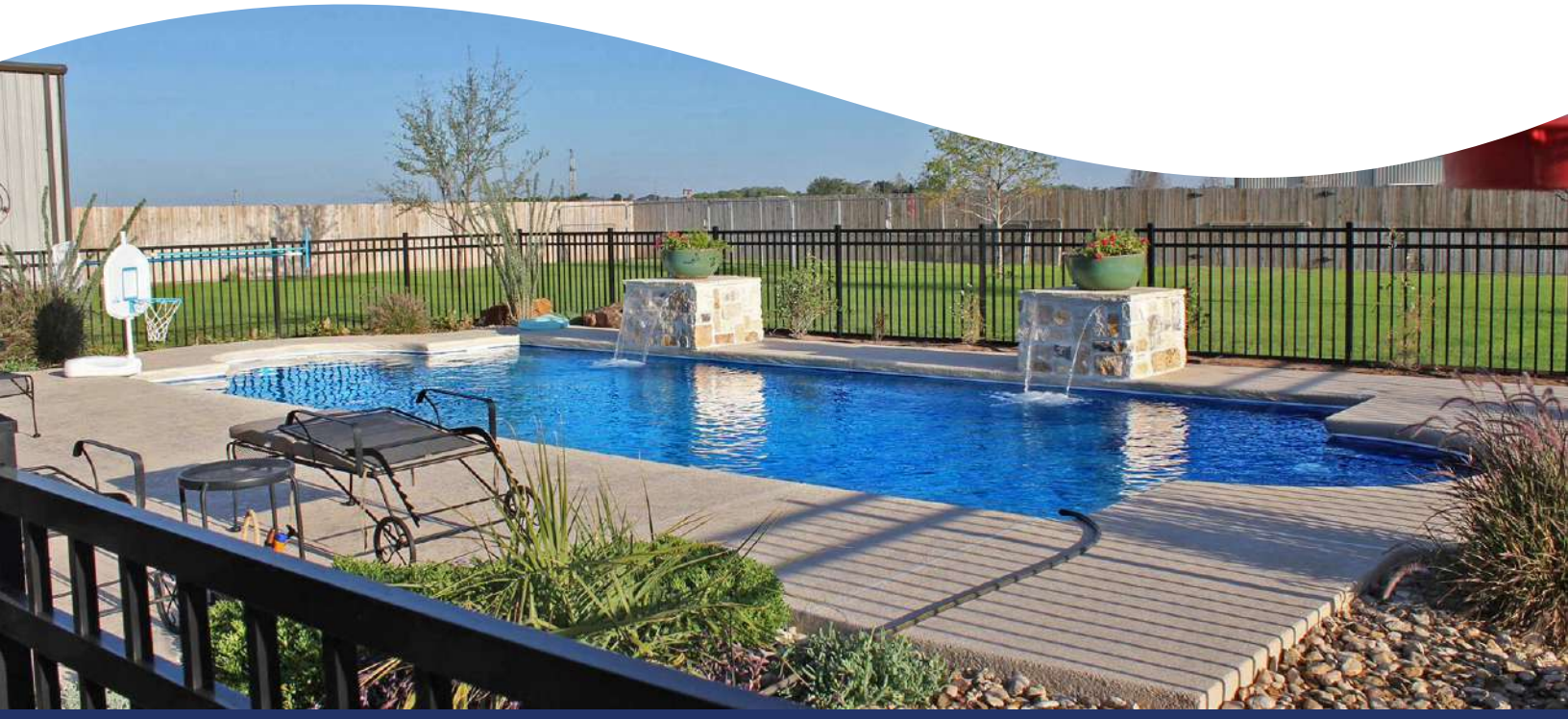
Adding shock to the water on a regular basis helps reduce contaminants. Weekly skimming of the pool surface should be done to keep debris from settling at the bottom of the pool. And, because every floor needs a good vacuuming, a weekly session (or more often depending on usage level) can also help maintain cleanliness and clear water in both a pool and hot tub.

By following these simple steps, you can ensure that your pool or spa will always be ready for the next adventure.

STILL WITH US? WE'RE HAPPY YOU'RE HERE, AND WE WANT TO HELP.

TROUBLESHOOTING: THINGS TO LOOK FOR

Sometimes even with the best of care, problems arise. If you happen to notice anything abnormal, whether it's water clarity, color, or odor, the best thing to do is contact your trusted professionals. Our incredible team at David Pool and Spa has extensive experience in not only testing water, but finding solutions for imbalances or other issues. We're just a phone call away at **432-563-3335.**



HOW WE CAN HELP

Whether it's your first year as a fully fledged pool and spa owner, or your tenth year swimming laps or leaning back in luxurious spa comfort, the importance of trusting professionals to test and maintain pool and spa water cannot be overstated. Water chemistry is a complex science that requires expertise to ensure the safety of swimmers and soakers, as well as the longevity of your pool or spa. Our professionals can assess your water quality quickly and accurately and make the necessary recommendations for adjustments that are needed. With regular testing and maintenance, you can rest assured that your swimming pool or hot tub will be clean and safe.



At David Pool and Spa, we have the knowledge, skill, and experience to help keep your pool or spa in tip-top shape, including the right products for all of your water care needs.

SIGNING UP FOR A SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE

For added convenience, we also offer a Water Care Subscription Service. With this service, you'll receive all of your regular pool or spa maintenance products delivered to your home each quarter or season, so you don't have to worry about running out of the chemicals needed to maintain proper water balance.



THE PERFECT PRODUCTS FOR POOLS AND SPAS

BIOGUARD SYSTEMS MAKE WATER CARE EASIER THAN EVER

At David Pool and Spa, we've partnered with BioGuard®, one of the most trusted brands in pool- and spa-care products. The simple processes BioGuard systems use are as easy as 1, 2, 3! They work together to create a sustainable maintenance routine even the busiest pool and hot tub owners can use.



BioGuard also offers some pretty incredible salt products with their Mineral Springs® line, as well as SpaGuard® chemicals to help clean and maintain all types of water. You can find these and other BioGuard products in our retail store or by signing up for our subscription service.

POOL PROFESSIONALS YOU CAN TRUST

Pool and spa ownership is a long-term investment in a glorious lifestyle dream. That's why it is so important to find professionals in the pool and spa industry you can trust for the highest level of maintenance assistance of your water.



Our experts at David Pool and Spa have been in the water care game for years, and we want to establish a lasting relationship with all of our customers. We can tailor your water care to your specific needs, even if your needs change over time. Contact us today with any questions or concerns regarding your water care or stop in-store to see our selection of incredible water care products for yourself. We would love to meet you and discuss how we can help make your pool and spa ownership as enjoyable and stress free as it can be.

That wasn't so bad, was it? Pick up that phone and give us a call at **432-563-3335!**



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