Automatic CVX Covers - Care & Maintenance Guide

An Automatic CVX Cover requires care and maintenance to achieve maximum life and to uphold the warranty. The following are recommended maintenance steps:

- 1. High chlorine levels will discolour, bleach, flake and breakdown the cover prematurely and will void warranty. Maintain free chlorine levels between 1ppm to 3ppm. For periods when chlorine levels exceed 3ppm, remove the cover until chlorine levels fall back to under 3ppm.
- 2. Covers can reduce the pools chlorine requirement by 50% therefore it is vital to turn the chlorinator/dispenser/doser (if installed) output down when the cover is on the pool.
- 3. Maintain pH level between 7.0 to 7.8 (recommended 7.2-7.6).
- 4. Regularly test your pool chemicals to ensure they are within the recommended parameters.
- Do not administer concentrated chemicals (e.g. chlorine) next to or on covers. Always remove the cover completely prior to adding chemicals to the pool.
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- 6. If the pool is to be superchlorinated, remove the cover prior and keep the cover off the pool until free chlorine dissipates back to recommended levels.
- 7. Every few weeks, uncover the pool to allow for proper ventilation and the release of an potentially damaging substances that may have accumulated.
- 8. Branches, leaves and any other debris on the cover should be removed regularly and before the use of the cover.
- 9. To preserve your cover it is important that the slats are cleaned on a regular basis. You can use a high-pressure cleaner for this (max. temperature of 60°C at a minimum distance of 50cm). Alternatively, you can use a hose and a soft brush. To address stubborn stains, create a mild diluted acid mixture by combining hydrochloric acid and water in a ratio of no more than 1 part acid to 10 parts water and use a stiff, non-abrasive brush. Limestone deposits on the cover can be cleaned with an anti-limestone product in the water.
- 10.Never use sharp or rough materials and tools to clean the cover.
- 11. Salt water chlorinators may lead to scale build up on the top surface of the cover. This is due to salt water evaporating from the covers top surface and leaving mineral deposits. This is normal and regular cleaning will prevent this from occurring.
- 12.Keep pit clean of leaves, debris and pool toys.
- 13. Before closing the cover make sure to remove all objects from the pool e.g. floating pool toys.
- 14.Please keep the external area of the control box clean from spiders and webs, we recommend that you do not open the control box.
- 15. If you require a service we recommend using a qualified professional.

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