

## LINER INSTALLATION & AFTERCARE

Thank you for choosing Pool Doctors for your new swimming pool liner. Below you will find some key notes regarding the installation process and how to properly care for your new liner.

### INSTALLATION

Upon the liner being installed, liner vacuums will be placed in between the liner and the wall of the pool to ensure a snug fit as the water level fills up. The crew will place a small mark on the liner to indicate where the water level should be once the pool is filled back up.

**IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT THE LINER VACUUM AND WATER HOSE BE LEFT ON UNTIL THE WATER LEVEL REACHES THE FILL LINE.**

*It is the client's responsibility to watch the water level.* Once the water level reaches the fill line, please turn the hose and the liner vacuum off. Please contact our office to let us know the water is ready by emailing us at [team@pooldoctors.ca](mailto:team@pooldoctors.ca)

Our team will then return to complete the cut out of the skimmer, return jets and continue to fill the pool. *It is the client's responsibility to watch the water level and turn off the water source once it reaches operating level (mid to upper skimmer).* At this point the pool pump and any other equipment that has been turned off, can be turned back on again.

### AFTERCARE

Once your pool is running, you will need to balance the water as soon as possible. Your pool chemistry is extremely important to the way your pool operates and functions. Not only can the water chemistry effect the equipment and plumbing lines, but can also jeopardize the integrity of the liner thus leading to wrinkles and fading. This is true particularly in pools that show high levels of chlorine or bromine during testing.

It is **important** to follow the guidelines below to ensure a properly balance pool

\*Water testing kits are available from our store upon request

**pH** – 7.2-7.8

**Total Alkalinity** – 100-150ppm

**Chlorine** – Total – 1-3ppm

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**Stabilizer** – 30-50ppm

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**Salt** – 2700-3400ppm

If your pool has one, please continue to use your sump well and pump to mitigate ground water that could potentially lead to wrinkles in your liner.

\*Pool water should be tested weekly, especially if you are using the pool often. Pool Doctors offers a weekly water testing service that includes testing and balancing. Inquire for further information.