



SPAZZETTE



SHOULD YOU USE YOUR SPA OVER WINTER?

How to Winterise your spa

As Winter approaches you may be thinking of what should you do with your spa?

Oasis Spas are one of the most lowest running cost spas on the market. Now the warmer weather has passed us its now time to consider 'should I drain my spa for winter?'.
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1. You can continue using your spa as you have been doing during summer. Winter is one of the best times to use the spa to warm up on cold winter days and nights, making winter an enjoyable time of the year to enjoy your spa.

2. Change the settings to keep the spa running, (but with low running costs) if you wish not to use it, as the instructions below:

ALTER SPA SETTINGS

a) You can turn your spa down to the lowest possible temperature setting.

b) As long as you continue to weekly maintain your chemical balance (ph, alkalinity and calcium levels) and sanitised your spa which are all important in order to keep your spa in good working order.

c) Oasis is one of the most affordable spas on the market to run. We can also Supply and install gas heaters and heat pumps if you require. Remembering Heat Pumps reduce your running cost by up to 75%.

3. Or you can drain your spa as the instructions below:

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DRAINING YOUR SPA

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- a) Firstly remove filter cartridges and set aside.
- b) Make sure that the level of water in the Spa Pool/Hot Tub is to the required normal operational water level.
- c) Add in required dosage of Crystal Waters Pipe Klenz for the litres of your spa, according to instructions on back of bottle.
- d) Run Spa Pool/Hot Tub for 2 hours to ensure all body fats etc. have been cleaned out of the pipes.
- e) Turn off all power to your spa.
- f) Drain Spa Pool/Tub through the drainage valve.
- g) Drain spa completely. PLEASE NOTE: Draining spa through drain valve may not drain spa completely so you may need to use a wet-vacuum or sponge to remove excess water out of the foot well and the seats.
- h) When the spa is completely empty, loosen all pump barrel unions and fittings to drain the spa completely. The idea is to try to eliminate water from any sealed areas in the system. Remember to tighten all barrel unions and fitting at the beginning of next season.
- i) Remove headrests and clean, be sure to return them to the spa to avoid you losing them.
- j) Clean your shell - Wipe down all surfaces using the Spa-Rite spa pad.
- k) Spray filter cartridges with Filter Cleanse or soak in Filter Degreaser and be sure to thoroughly rinse off. Remembering that if you have used the same filters for one whole season - 9000hours or one year replace them with new ones. Always throw out old filters so you don't not mix them up with new ones.
- l) Leave filters to dry and keep somewhere safe and do not put back into Spa until you are ready to fill.



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- m) Wipe down your Spas Hardcover inside and out.
- n) Cover your spa with its hard cover to protect against the weather and secure and lock straps. You can spray with 303 Aerospace Protectant, available at Spa-Rite to protect the hard cover from winter weather as well as the sun.
- o) In spring when you are ready to refill your spa, please follow instructions in Crystal Water's booklet "Treat new spa, swim spa or hot tub with crystal waters".
- p) Remember to prevent air locks you should fill the spa through the filter skimmer box.

NOTE: If you don't feel comfortable winterizing a spa yourself, you may wish to organise a Service contractor from Spa-Rite to do the job for you.



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