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Mission Statement:
To provide “Only Quality Work”
by taking care of each pool as
if it were our own and treating
each customer like family.

Family owned and operated since 1971

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HOW TO OPERATE AND CLEAN YOUR CARTRIDGE FILTER

When installing your filter for the first time or at the beginning of each season, we suggest that you remove and clean your cartridge at least once a week for the first week or two of operation. Your water may look clean, but this will help polish it.

At the end of each season, remove the filter top and clean the cartridge with “Filter Cleaner”, do not use muriatic acid, which is harmful to your cartridge and the environment.

When the reading on the pressure gauge rises more than 10 P.S.I. in 24 hours or the water flow into the pool (return) decreases, it is time to clean your cartridge. It is recommended that you clean your cartridge at least once during mid-summer months as a maintenance cleaning

* Note pressure gauges are not always accurate, for best results take note of the flow of water back into your pool thru your return.

CLEANING

1. Turn off the electricity to the pump motor. (on aboveground pools) close off the water flow through your skimmer and return line by using your Aquador and winter plug (or close shut off valves).
2. Loosen the air vent at the top of the filter tank.
3. Remove the drain plug at the bottom of your filter. This will drain the water from your tank.
4. Open your filter, following manufacturers recommended instructions.
5. Remove the lid (this may require a screw driver to pry the lid off).
6. Remove the cartridge, rinse off thoroughly with a medium pressure spray to remove any debris (DO NOT USE A POWER WASHER, this will damage the cartridge). Cartridge wands may be purchased in our retail store.
7. Prepare your “Filter Cleaner” Solution. Using a rubber trash can with clean tap water, pour 32 oz of “Filter Cleaner” for every 5 (five) gallons of water.
8. Submerge the cartridge, at least overnight, in the solution. (24 hours for optimal cleaning)
9. Rinse the cartridge thoroughly with water (at the end of the season, let air dry before storing for the winter.)
10. Reassemble your filter.

Sunshine Pool Company offers filter cleaning service for a fee. You can bring your filter in and pick it up when it is ready or have our service department pick it up and deliver it back to you.