# ULTIMATE FALL CLOSING CHECKLIST FOR YOUR INGROUND POOL

Here are some tips to help you properly close your inground pool and ensure it and your pool equipment is in good condition when the next Summer comes! If you need help, or if this is your first time, let us know and we can help you. Feel free to contact one of our pool closing specialists by email, at: customerservice@poolsuppliescanada.ca

<b>EQU</b>	IPMENT YOU NEED		
	Pool Pump		Return Jet Plug & Skimmer (Gizzmo)
	Winter Cover & Water Bags		Air Compressor or Shop Vac
	(if applicable)		A Friend to Help
	Closing Chemicals		
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CLO	SE YOUR POOL		
	Inspect the Pool: Ensure your pool, liner and other equipment are leak-free, rust-free, and in good condition, and remove any obstructions from the pool area (i.e. steps, ladders, diving board, etc)		
	Add Closing Chemicals: Test your pH, total alkalinity, chlorine and/or salt water levels and ensure they are balanced. Allow closing chemicals to circulate prior to disconnecting equipment.		
	<b>Drain &amp; Blow Out the Lines:</b> Lower the water level until it is 6 inches below the skimmer opening. Hook up the compressor or shop vac to your return lines, and keep air blowing until bubbles come out. Then, tightly plug your return jet.		
	<b>Plug your Skimmer:</b> Remove your skimmer basket and blow out your skimmer pipes using your compressor or shop vac. Once your lines are clear, install your Gizzmo and plug the skimmer tightly		
	Winterize your Equipment & Install Your Winter Cover: Winterize your pool equipment (pump, filter, heater, etc) according to the corresponding owner's manuals. Then, install your inground Winter cover and secure in place		

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Are you in need of Winter Product, or are you looking to take your pool closing to the next level? Here are some products we recommend:



## **Safety Covers**

Safety covers are lightweight, yet extremely strong Winter Covers that secure the pool from accidental entry by children, pets or animals while keeping dirt and debris out.



### **Air Pillows**

Air pillows are great at reducing the stress of snow load on your pool and winter cover. Check out our selection of air pillows online!



### **Chemicals & Closing Kits**

Winterize the pool with ease using our Premium Closing Chemical Kit or the 4-in-1 formula of our Pool Closing Winter Pill

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