

## **POST VACATION CHECKLIST**

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| Bring in a water sample to get a<br>snapshot of the water balance in<br>the pool prior to swimming   |   |
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| If you arrive home and want to<br>swim that day check with test<br>strips at home before swimming<br>to ensure the pool has chlorine and<br>the water is relatively in balance | Make sure the<br>water level is in the<br>middle of the<br>skimmer (if it's<br>below the skimmer,<br>add water to the |
| Check chlorinators, feeders, and<br>skimmers to ensure chlorine is<br>being added to the pool  | pool because<br>otherwise the<br>pump can run dry<br>causing issues)  |
| Check skimmers and remove and<br>debris impeding water flow to<br>filter and pump  | Make sure to shock<br>the pool after<br>swimming  |
| Check that the pump and<br>filter are still running  | If you have a salt pool, put the  |
| You may need to clean cartridge<br>filters or backwash if you have a<br>sand or D.E. filter depending on<br>how long you have been gone for                                    | system into<br>super chlorinate<br>after swimming   |

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