

Tips for Operating Your Aqua Rite™ System



Operating ~ Utilizing the “AUTO” Functionality

The ideal daily filter operation of your pool should be approximately 8-10 hours per day with a salt reading anywhere between 2700-3200. The Cycle Mode Switch, which is located on the left side of the panel on the Aqua Rite, should be in the “auto” position for everyday Chlorinating. The desired output function can be located in the middle, and this feature allows you to control how much Chlorine is getting into the pool. Your Aqua Rite runs on a 100 minute cycle, and your desired output function is where you control how many minutes out of the 100 minute cycle that it actually generates Chlorine. We suggest that you keep the desired output dial between 30 and 40.

Shocking ~ Utilizing the “Super Chlorinate” Functionality

The “super chlorinating” position on the Cycle Mode Switch is a method of shocking your pool. In this process the Aqua Rite overrides the desired output and chlorinates the pool for the full 100 minute cycle. This cycle should be left on for approximately four to five hours and should be done once every seven to ten days. After the cycle is done, simply reset the Cycle Mode Switch to the “auto” position and resume your normal chlorinating processes. However, if the pool is left on “super chlorinating” for an extended period of time, it will only process for the first 24 hours. After 24 hours, it automatically returns to the “auto” feature whether or not you reset the Cycle Mode Switch to the “auto” position.

Stabilizing your Water

The salt generator produces chlorine for your pool that is not stabilized. The water should be analyzed on a regular basis to make sure that the chlorine that is being generated is not being dissipated by the sunlight. An easier way to detect a stabilizer issue in the pool is with either the test strips and/or the testing kit. The test strips have a color block to measure the ideal level of stabilizer for your pool. The test kit can be used in a different way. The stabilizer can be checked by merely comparing your salt reading on the Aqua Rite and the Chlorine reading on the kit. If the salt is at an ideal level on the Aqua Rite, and you are not getting a reading of chlorine in the pool with the test kit, there is not enough stabilizer in the pool to maintain the ideal chlorine level. On the other hand, Stabilizer is not an easy chemical to work with and should be tested by a pool chemist as frequent as once a week. If the level of stabilizer is far too high; you may have to drain a portion of the water in the pool. Prior to doing so, please contact one of our pool specialists to ensure that action is necessary.