



6FT TURTLE QUICK UP POOL

FOR ABOVE GROUND SWIMMING POOLS



Important

Age: 6 years +

Assembly & User Instructions Please keep for future reference

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When installing and using this product, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS

Failure to follow these warnings and instructions can result in serious injury or death



DANGER	
<p>PREVENT DROWNING</p> <p>Watch children at all times. Follow all safety rules.</p>	<p>NO DIVING! NO JUMPING!</p> <p>Shallow Water - You can be permanently injured.</p>

WARNING	
<p>DO NOT SIT ON OR LAY OVER POOL WALL</p> <p>You can be permanently injured.</p>	<p>AVOID ENTRAPMENT</p> <p>Stay away from suction fittings. You may drown.</p>



Please read carefully and keep for future reference

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set up the pool only on LEVEL, STABLE, and COMPACTED soil. DO NOT set up the pool on sand surface. Excessive sand inside the pool will DAMAGE the pool liner and filtration system. <p>Failure to follow these instructions will void the warranty.</p>
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NOTICE: CUSTOMERS THAT PURCHASE POOLS MAY BE REQUIRED BY LOCAL OR STATE LAW TO INCUR ADDITIONAL EXPENSES WHEN INSTALLING A POOL, IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH STATE OR LOCAL LAWS REGARDING FENCING AND OTHER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS. CUSTOMERS SHOULD CONTACT THEIR LOCAL BUILDING CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE FOR FURTHER DETAILS. CHAD VALLEY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ADDITIONAL EXPENSES THAT YOU MAY INCUR.

WARNING

Carefully read, understand, and follow all information in this user manual before installing and using the swimming pool. These warnings, instructions, and safety guidelines address some common risks of water recreation, but they cannot cover all risks and dangers in all cases. Always use caution, common sense, and good judgment when enjoying any water activity.

Non-Swimmers Safety

- Continuous, active, and vigilant supervision of weak swimmers and non-swimmers by a competent adult is required at all times (remembering that children under five are at the highest risk of drowning);
- Designate a competent adult to supervise the pool each time it is being used;
- Weak swimmers or non-swimmers should wear personal protective equipment (PPE) when using the pool;
- When the pool is not in use, or unsupervised, remove all toys from the swimming pool and its surrounding to avoid attracting children to the pool.

Safety Devices

- It is recommended to install a barrier (and secure all doors and windows, where applicable) to prevent unauthorised access to the swimming pool;
- Barriers, pool covers, pool alarms, or similar safety devices are helpful aids, but they are not substitutes for continuous and competent adult supervision.

Safety Equipment

- It is recommended to keep rescue equipment (e.g. a ring buoy) by the pool;
- Keep a working phone and a list of emergency phone numbers near the pool.

Safe Use of Pool

1. Encourage all users especially children to learn how to swim;
2. Learn Basic Life Support (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation - CPR) and refresh this knowledge regularly. This can make a life-saving difference in the event of an emergency;
3. Instruct all pool users, including children, what to do in case of an emergency;
4. Never dive into any shallow body of water. This can lead to serious injury or death;
5. Do not use the swimming pool when using alcohol or medication that may impair your ability to safely use the pool;
6. When pool covers are used, remove them completely from the water surface before entering the pool;
7. Protect pool occupants from water-related illnesses by keeping the pool water treated and practising good hygiene. Consult the water treatment guidelines in the user's manual;
8. Store chemicals (e.g. water treatment, cleaning or disinfection products) out of the reach of children;
9. Removable ladders shall be placed on a horizontal surface (if applicable).
10. Selection of appropriate location to prevent the hazard of drowning of young children, install the mini-pool in a place where it is possible for the supervision to be constant.

Ladder (if applicable)

1. Check all nuts and bolts for tightness and tighten when required (if applicable).
2. Maximum allowable weight: 150 kg.
3. Ladder shall not be used for other purposes.

Safety Care for Children

1. Assign an adult to be responsible for watching children in the pool.
2. Pool presents a drowning hazard even during filling and draining of the pool. Maintain constant supervision of children and do not remove any safety barriers until the pool is completely empty and stowed away.
3. Children, especially children younger than five years, are at high risk of drowning. Drowning occurs silently and quickly and can occur in as little as 2 in (5 cm) of water.
4. Keep children in your direct sight, stay close, and actively supervise them when they are in or near this pool and when you are filling and emptying this pool.
5. When searching for a missing child, check the pool first, even if child is thought to be in the house.
6. Do not leave toys inside pool when finished using, since toys and similar items might attract a child to the pool. Position furniture (for example, tables, chairs) away from pool, so that children cannot climb on it to gain access to the pool. After using pool, remove water to a level of 1/2 in (1 cm) or less.
7. Locate pumps and filters in such a way that children cannot climb on them and gain access to the pool.

Swimming Pool Awareness

1. Assembled by adults only; care should be taken in unpacking and assembling the pool; this pool may contain accessible potentially hazardous sharp edges or points that are necessary for the pool.
2. The floor of the pool shall be visible at all times from the outside perimeter of the pool.
3. Never allow horseplay, diving, or jumping into or around the pool. Serious injury, paralysis, or death could result when this rule is disregarded. **DO NOT ALLOW** anyone to swim alone without supervision.

NOTE: This pool has a maximum water fill level marked on the inside wall. Do not overfill; drain to proper level.

EMPTYING POOL: Push down on side wall and/or lift up one side of pool to empty pool water.

- NOTE:**
1. Pool can be cleaned with mild soap and lukewarm water only.
 2. Make sure pool is completely dry before storing to help prevent mildew from forming.
 3. Store all parts in a dry heated area where temperatures do not go below 0°C (32°F).

Warning

TO AVOID DANGER OF SUFFOCATION: Keep the plastic bag used in this product away from babies and children; do not use the bag in cribs, beds, carriage, or playpens. The plastic bag could block nose and mouth and prevent breathing. The plastic bag is not a toy.

1. Only for domestic use.
2. Do not install the paddling pool over concrete, asphalt or any other hard surface.
3. Place the product on a level surface at least 2 m from any structure or obstruction such as a fence, garage, house, overhanging branches, laundry lines or electrical wires.
4. One person needed to install the product.
5. Installation time is around 15 minutes to 45 minutes (excluding earthworks and filling).
6. Prohibit running and lively games around the swimming pool.
7. Always maintain clear, healthy water.
8. Do not leave the drained pool outside. The empty pool is liable to become deformed and/or displaced due to wind.

Diving Risk

Do not dive into this pool. Diving into shallow water can result in a broken neck, paralysis, or death.

Electrocution Risk

1. Keep all electrical lines, radios, speakers, and other electrical appliances away from the pool.
2. Do not place pool near or under overhead electrical lines.

Special Warning

1. Local building codes may require obtaining a building or electrical permit. Users should follow regulations on setback, barriers, devices, and other conditions.
2. DO NOT attempt to assemble this pool in adverse weather conditions, windy conditions, or when the temperature is below 16°C (60°F).
3. This is a storable pool, which should be disassembled and stored when temperatures are expected to fall below 0°C (32°F).
4. For filtration, the safety instructions shall indicate that the pool must not be used when the filtration system(s) is/are damaged (if applicable).

Ensure that you have an accessible telephone close to the pool so that you do not have to leave your children unattended while you phone.

In the event of an accident;

1. Remove the child from the water as quickly as possible;
2. Immediately call the emergency services and follow the instructions they give you;
3. Replace wet clothing with warm blankets;
4. Memorise emergency phone numbers and display them near the swimming pool;
5. Fire brigade;
6. Emergency medical service;
7. Poison control centre.

As the pool owner, you are responsible for those persons who use your pool. Therefore:

1. Never leave your children and other non-swimmers unattended in and around the pool;
2. Ensure that the water is hygienically clean;
3. Refresh your knowledge of first-aid measures at regular intervals;
4. Store water treatment media out of the reach of children;
5. Discuss the rules of conduct with your children prior to them using the swimming pool and explain the risks that can arise when around water once they are of a sufficient age;
6. Contact your pool installer if you have any questions regarding safe use of the swimming pool.

The following items of equipment can provide additional pool safety. Your swimming pool specialist can advise you on:

- Safety cover;
- Fencing around the pool with a lockable gate;
- Pool alarm system;
- Enclosure.

The general safety information cannot account for all circumstances in individual cases. You are best aware of the swimming abilities and the conduct of your children and of other guests using your pool, as well as the site particulars. You should therefore employ further measures to ensure safety at the pool if necessary. Such measures may for example include additional supervisory persons if the pool is being used by a number of non-swimmers at the same time.

Pool Maintenance

1. Empty pool completely after each use and store the empty pool in such a way that it does not collect water from rain or any other source.
2. After using pool, remove water to a level of 1/2 in. (1 cm) or less.
3. Carrying out checks and maintenance of the main parts every hour.
4. These checks are not carried out the product could overturn or otherwise become a hazard.
5. Check all nuts and bolts for tightness and tighten when required (if applicable).
6. Check all coverings for bolts and sharp edges and replace when required (if applicable).
7. Replace defective parts in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
8. Change the water of product frequently (particularly in hot weather) or when noticeably contaminated.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

Before assembling your product, please take a few minutes to check the contents and become familiar with all the parts.

WARNING - DO NOT overfill the pool and/or allow people to lay over or sit on pool wall - DOING SO CAN CAUSE PERMANENT INJURY!

DRAIN pool to the proper level after a heavy rain.

TIP: It will be much easier to install your pool if you unfold it and let it lay in direct sunlight for about 2 hours prior to installation. This will help to ensure a wrinkle-free fit because the pool material will be more pliable, allowing it to form into shape during installation.

WARNING - VERY IMPORTANT! SITE MUST BE LEVEL, STABLE, COMPACTED SOIL.

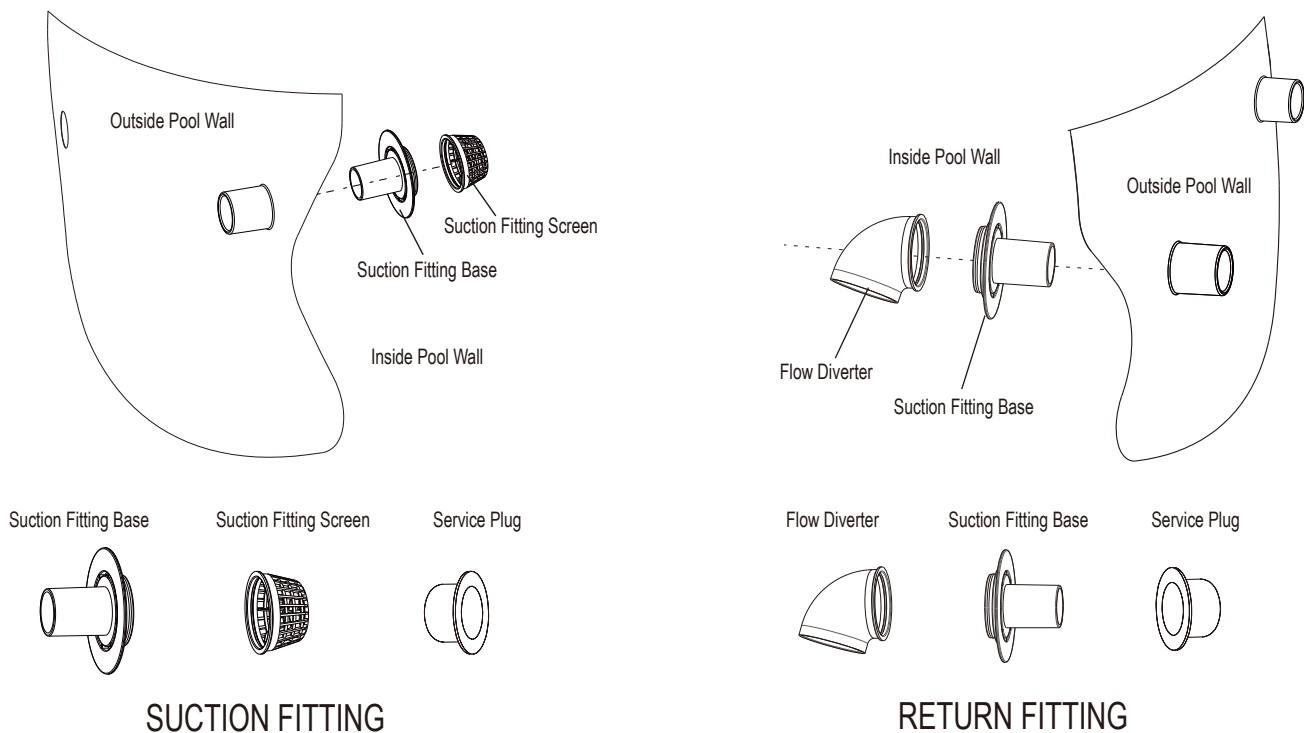
- The pool must be assembled on a smooth and level site of firm soil that is free of stones, gravel, sticks, blacktop or other oil-based compounds.
- Before setting up your pool, it is recommended that you clear the area of hardy grasses. Certain types of vigorous grasses such as St. Augustine and Bermuda can grow through the liner. A ground cloth or tarp may be helpful in preventing this from occurring. Grass growing through the liner is not covered under warranty.
- Do not install pool on a wooden deck or any type of wooden surface. You cannot use sand and/or uncompacted soil to provide a level surface for this pool; it will only wash out.
- FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS WILL CAUSE POOL TO COLLAPSE AND WILL VOID THE WARRANTY!

Site Preparation

1. Select a level area, and completely remove all debris, twigs, stones, etc. DO NOT select an area under overhead electrical lines, trees, or within 15ft (4.57m) of a house, building, etc.
2. The pool shall be located a minimum distance of 6ft (1.83m) from any electrical receptacle.
3. Contact your local utilities, checking that no underground cables, telephone lines, gas lines, etc. run beneath the area you have selected.

Setup Instructions

1. Carefully unfold the Quick Set® pool and inspect the seams for manufacturing defects. With the inflatable ring on the top side, and safety writing on the outside lay out the pool in the area selected, making sure the bottom of the pool is both flat and round.
 2. If your pool includes openings or you are going to purchase a filter pump system, position the Suction & Return fittings so they are 10 to 21 feet from the electrical outlet you plan to use for the pump.
- If your pool came with Suction & Return Fittings, install both to the pool wall before filling the pool:



Please Note: The Black Rubber gasket (Fitting Gasket) should always be slid over the threaded plastic suction or return fitting and be on the inside before the fitting is placed through the pool wall to make a watertight connection.

Make sure to put on the Water Cap and/or Service Plug from inside of the pool while you fill your pool without a pump or a filtration system.

Setup Instructions Continued

Inflating Instructions

CAUTION: Inflate by adult only. DO NOT overinflate, use high pressure air compressor to inflate, or exceed the recommended Design Working Pressure. Inflate with cold air only.

1. Locate a clean area free of stones or other sharp objects to inflate the pool.
2. Inflate the air chambers following the numbered sequence (if any) slowly with a manual/foot air pump.

The adequate air pressure: make sure the pool is firm to the touch but NOT hard – there should be small folds around the armrests, backrests and/or side edges, and below the cup holders (if any).

3. Close and press the inflation valves into the unit to get a flat surface.
4. Check regularly to ensure the adequate air pressure during each use, especially on very hot or cold days.

AFTER ABOUT 1 INCH OF WATER IS ON THE BOTTOM, STOP FILLING AND COMPLETELY SMOOTH OUT ALL WRINKLES FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE POOL, WORKING OUTWARDS FROM THE CENTER. BE SURE THE FLOOR OF THE POOL IS COMPLETELY ROUND AND FLAT.

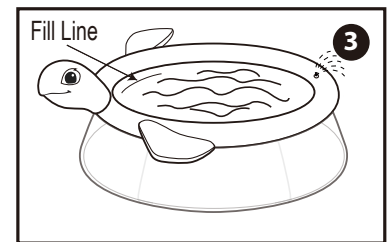
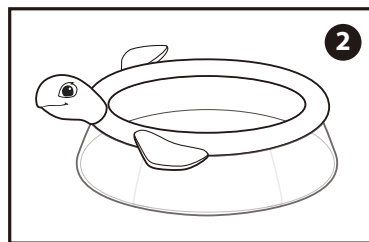
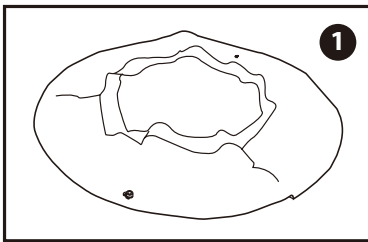
NOT FOLLOWING THIS STEP WILL MAKE THE POOL FILL UNEVENLY AND THE POOL MAY START TO LOOK LIKE AN OVAL OR LOOK MISSHAPEN. SEE FIGURE 2-3 YOU MAY NEED TO START OVER.

5. Pull all the outer walls up straight and make sure they are not under the pool floor. Also make sure to pull up the top ring, all around the pool, so that it fills evenly.

NOTE: IF MORE THAN 1-2 INCHES OF WATER COLLECTS ON ANY ONE SIDE BEFORE THE POOL STARTS FILLING IN THE CENTER, THE POOL IS NOT LEVEL ENOUGH, AND MUST BE CORRECTED. SEE "SITE PREPARATION" ABOVE.

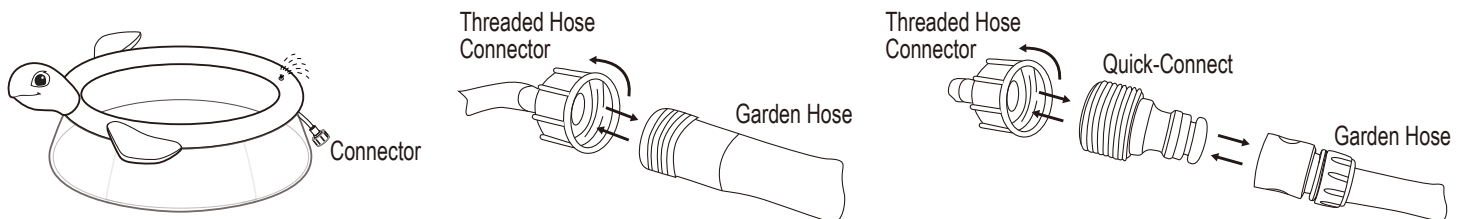
ADDITIONAL NOTE: THE WEIGHT OF THE WATER WILL MAKE ADJUSTMENT IMPOSSIBLE AFTER THIS POINT.

6. Now, as you continue filling, the inflated ring will rise as the water deepens. The Maximum Water Level FILL LINE is printed on the inside of the pool liner. Once this is done, if your pool included a filter/pump system please refer back to the "Swimming Pool Filter System" owner's manual and follow all instructions for the installation of the filter pump.



HOSE CONNECTION INSTRUCTIONS

1. For products with water sprayers or hose connectivity, tighten the threaded hose connector to a standard garden hose. Slowly turn the water on, and adjust to your desire spraying force by rotating the tap (if applicable).
2. For products with a Quick-Connect mechanism, tighten the mechanism between the threaded hose connector and a standard garden hose.



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CAUTION: ALWAYS FOLLOW THE CHEMICAL MANUFACTURER'S DIRECTIONS, AND THE HEALTH AND HAZARD WARNINGS.

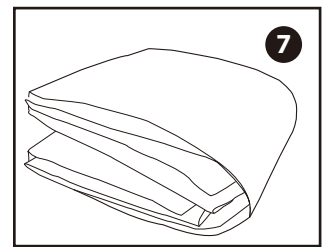
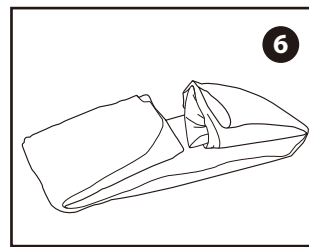
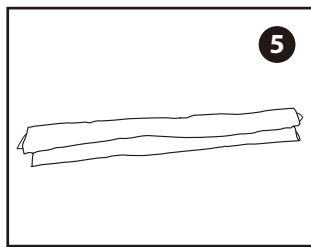
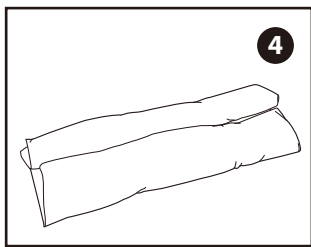
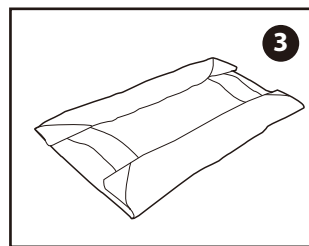
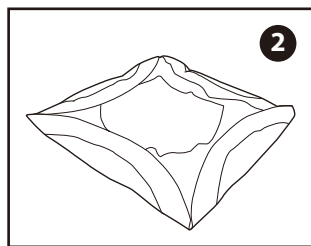
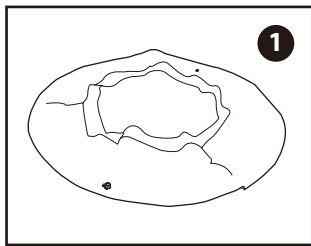
EXCESSIVE RAIN: To avoid damage to the pool and overfilling, immediately drain rain water that causes the water level to be higher than the FILL LINE.

How to Drain Your Pool and Long-Term Storage

1. Check local regulations for specific directions regarding disposal of swimming pool water.
2. Make sure the drain plug inside the pool is plugged in place.
3. Twist off the cap of the drain valve on the outside of the pool.

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4. Attach a 5/8" garden hose to the drain valve.
5. Place the other end of the garden hose in an area where the water can be safely drained away from the house and other nearby structures.
6. Unplug the inner cap of the drain plug to start draining the pool.
7. When the water stops draining, start lifting the pool from the side opposite to the drain valve to drain any remaining water and empty the pool completely.
8. Replace the drain cap on outside of pool.
9. Completely deflate the top ring, and remove all connecting parts.
10. Be sure that the pool and all parts are completely dry before storage. Air-dry the liner in the sun completely before folding (see drawing 1). Sprinkle some talcum powder to prevent the vinyl from sticking together and to absorb any residual moisture.
11. Create a square shape. Starting at one side, fold one-sixth of liner into itself twice. Do the same on the opposite side (see drawings 2 & 3).
12. Once you have created two opposing folded sides, simply fold one over the other like closing a book (see drawings 4 & 5).
13. Fold the two long ends to the middle (see drawing 6).
14. Fold one over the other like closing a book, and finally compact the liner (see drawing 7).
15. The liner and accessories must be stored in a dry, temperature-controlled storage location above 0°C (32°F) and below 40°C (104°F).
16. The original packing can be used for storage.



STORAGE & WINTERISING

This above ground pool cannot be winterised and must be drained, disassembled, and properly stored if you live in an area where the temperature drops below 0°C (32°F). If you are in a warmer environment, please follow the instructions below. After usage, you can easily empty and store away your pool in a safe place (see Long-Term Storage above). Some pool owners, in warmer climates however, may choose to leave their pool up all year round. In cold areas, where freezing temperatures occur, there can be a risk of ice damage to your pool. Leaving your above ground pool set up in areas where the temperature drops below 0°C (32°F) voids the warranty.

Winterising Your Above Ground Pool

1. Clean the pool water thoroughly.
2. Remove the skimmer (if applicable) or any accessories attached to the threaded strainer connector. Replace strainer grid if necessary. Be sure all accessories parts are clean and completely dry before storage.
3. Plug the Suction and Return Fittings from the inside of the pool.
4. Remove the ladder (if applicable) and store in a safe place. Be sure the ladder is completely dry before storage.
5. Remove the hoses that connect the pump and filter to the pool.
6. Add the appropriate chemicals for the winter period. Consult your local pool dealer as to which chemicals you should use and how to use them. This can vary greatly by region.
8. Clean and drain the pump, filter housing, and hoses. Remove and discard the old filter cartridge. Keep a spare cartridge for the next season.
9. Bring pump and filter parts indoors and store in a safe and dry area, preferably between 0°C (32°F) and 40°C (104°F).

Repair

1. Use a mix of liquid dish soap and water in a spray bottle, and spray over suspicious areas. Any leak will produce bubbles that will pinpoint the location of the leak.
2. Thoroughly clean the area surrounding the leak to remove any dirt or grime.
3. Cut a piece of repair patch (included) with a margin of 0.8" (2cm) larger than the damaged area, rounding the corners with scissors.
4. Place the patch over the centre of the leak, press down firmly, and squeeze out all air bubbles to the edges. You may want to put a weight on top to keep it in place.
5. Do not inflate for one hour after patching.

NOTE: if the patch does not hold, you can use the patch with silicone- or polyurethane-based glue designed for repairing camping mats, tents or shoes. Consult your local household/camping supply stores, and follow the instructions of the glue you've chosen.

POOL SAFETY SIGN

POST THIS WARNING NEAR YOUR POOL

 **WARNING**

**NO DIVING OR JUMPING
SHALLOW WATER**

DIVING MAY RESULT IN PERMANENT INJURY OR DEATH



- Be Safe. Swim with a friend.
- Children must be accompanied by an adult.
- Don't swim when using alcohol or drugs.
- Be familiar with the pool before swimming.
- No running, jumping, or horseplay in or around pool.
- No glass in pool area.



TO AVOID SERIOUS INJURY ALL POOL USERS MUST KNOW AND FOLLOW THESE SAFETY RULES.

POOL COVER SAFETY

IF YOU ARE GOING TO USE A POOL COVER, SOLAR COVER, OR SOLAR BLANKET, PLEASE READ THIS INFORMATION.

POOL COVER WARNING / SOLAR COVER WARNING / SOLAR BLANKET WARNING



WARNING

AVOID DROWNING RISK

STAY OFF THE COVER AND BLANKET - IT WILL NOT SUPPORT WEIGHT.

KEEP CHILDREN AWAY. CHILDREN OR OBJECTS CAN NOT BE SEEN UNDER COVER AND BLANKET.

REMOVE STANDING WATER - CHILDREN CAN DROWN ON TOP OF COVER.

REMOVE COVER AND BLANKET COMPLETELY BEFORE ENTRY OF SWIMMERS - ENTRAPMENT POSSIBLE.

NON-SECURED OR IMPROPERLY SECURED COVER AND BLANKET ARE A HAZARD.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN INJURY OR DROWNING.

THIS IS NOT A SAFETY COVER.

INSTALL COVER AND BLANKET WITH LABELS FACING UP.

USE DRAWSTRING TO SECURE COVER TO POOL. THIS COVER MEETS REQUIREMENTS DESCRIBED IN SPECIFICATION F-1346 (ASTM).

VERY IMPORTANT

DO NOT USE A POOL COVER, SOLAR COVER, OR SOLAR BLANKET ON THIS POOL IF IT DOES NOT HAVE THIS TYPE OF WARNING LABEL ON THE COVER.

DANGER:

Competent supervision and knowledge of the safety requirements are the only ways to prevent drowning or permanent injury in the use of this product!

Never leave young children unattended.