

## Winterizing Your Nordic Hot Tub

While we feel that some of the best times to use your spa can be during the colder months, we understand that there can be a need for some owners to close their tubs during the winter months. We recommend that winterization should be left to the professionals, but if done carefully using the following instructions, your risk of damage from freezing can be minimized. **Please note, winter damage is not covered under any warranty.** We do not warrant against freezing damage in a tub that has been winterized, either by the owner or by any professional service center.

### THINGS THAT WILL BE NEEDED:

- Small Sump Pump
- 2 gallons of NON-TOXIC (RV type) antifreeze
- wet/dry vacuum with blower feature (shop vac)
- TIME approx. 1 hours

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- Drain the water in the tub with a small sump pump.
- With the wet-vac, vacuum out any remaining in the foot-well. Then with each jet in the open position, vacuum each jet nozzle until no more water comes out. **DO NOT FORGET** the small ozone jet in the foot-well.
- Disconnect the unions on Pump I and Pump II or heater (if applicable) and blow all of the remaining water back into your tub.
- Reconnect the unions and vacuum out all the remaining water.
- Remove cartridges, clean them, and place in storage until you restart your tub. Pour NON-TOXIC antifreeze into the filter canister until it runs out into the foot-well of your tub through the suction covers.
- Install the cover on the tub, and place a tarp over the tub and cover. Making sure to securely tie down the tarp. The tarp will help with keeping any water from getting into the hot tub and also reduce the amount of weather your tub is exposed too.