

ROBELLE

WINTER POOL COVER

15-Year Limited Warranty and Service Policy

WARNING

AVOID DROWNING RISK - THIS IS NOT A SAFETY COVER.

STAY OFF COVER - WILL NOT SUPPORT WEIGHT. KEEP CHILDREN AWAY - CHILDREN OR OBJECTS CANNOT BE SEEN UNDER COVER. REMOVE STANDING WATER - CHILD CAN DROWN ON TOP OF COVER. REMOVE COVER COMPLETELY BEFORE ENTRY OF BATHERS - ENTRAPMENT POSSIBLE. NON-SECURED OR IMPROPERLY SECURED COVERS ARE A HAZARD.

NOTE: Before installing your new winter cover, be sure it is free of defects and is the correct size. ONCE INSTALLED, covers are **not eligible** for exchange for existing patent defects or incorrect size.

Robelle Industries, Inc. (distributor) warrants to the original purchaser of this product that it will remain free from defect in material and workmanship for a period of 15 (fifteen) years from the date of purchase. Such defects will be repaired or replaced at our option, for a fee as described below.

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During the first and second year, repair or replacement will be made at no charge. From the second year through the twelfth year, a service charge will be charged according to the chart below. The percentage due is based on the suggested retail price of the item in question at the time that the claim is made.

- First and Second Year - No Charge
- Third Year - 40%
- Fourth Year - 50%
- Fifth and Sixth Year - 60%
- Seventh thru Tenth Year - 70%
- Eleventh thru Fifteenth Year - 80%

TO FILE A CLAIM

No product will be accepted by the Warranty Repair Center without a **return authorization number**. To obtain this number, send a photocopy of the warranty and a copy of the original sales receipt to the address below. Include a statement describing the location and the nature of the problem and a photograph (nonreturnable) of the defect. Be sure to include your shipping address, a daytime phone number and email address. We will send you a return authorization number and directions on how to return the product.

Cover requiring warranty service must be received by us by June 30th of any year to ensure a timely return.

During the first 30 days from the date of purchase, you may contact the store where the product was purchased for service under this warranty. After this time, you must deal directly with the Warranty Repair Center at the address below. Please note: the health regulations prohibit us from accepting anything that is not clean dry and properly boxed. Remove all hardware, cable, water tubes and return only the cover.

FREIGHT

All shipping charges involved in returning defective products to the Warranty Repair Center, or in returning products to the purchaser, must be borne by the purchaser. All shipments to the Warranty Repair Center must be prepaid and C.O.D. shipments will not be accepted. Covers will be returned freight collect via the best possible carrier.

The only exception will be products that prove factory defective in the first 30 days from the date of purchase. Those items only may be returned to the store where originally purchased and the store will bear the cost of transportation from the store to the Warranty Repair Center and back to the store. Robelle will not be liable for transportation from the store to the customer's home.

EXCEPTIONS, LEGALITIES AND OTHER FINE PRINT

This warranty does not cover items subject to abuse, negligence, acts of God and normal wear-and-tear.

NOTE: Excessive abrasion, holes caused from wear and wind damage and grommets pulling out are specifically excluded from this warranty. In areas of high wind, the anchoring of the cover is most important. The anchoring should prevent any billowing of the cover. Sharp corners on your pool must be padded with a soft material, such as foam rubber. Failure to do so voids your warranty.

Neither manufacturer, distributor or dealer will be held liable, under any circumstances, for any labor, or any other replacement and/or any incidental or consequential cost, damages, installation or reinstallation of this product resulting from any defects in design, workmanship or material.

This warranty is not valid unless the registration form below is filled out within 30 days of the date of purchase and mailed to the address below.

ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE LIMITED TO THE FIFTEEN (15) YEAR PERIOD AFTER THE DATE SOLD TO THE ORIGINAL PURCHASER AND THEREAFTER ARE EXCLUDED.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights, which may vary from state to state.

Robelle Industries, Inc.

Warranty Repair Center, 131 Tosca Drive, Stoughton, MA 02072

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WINTER POOL COVER 15-Year Warranty Form

(Must be mailed within 30 days from the date of purchase)

Name _____ Date of Purchase _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone (_____) _____ email _____

Dealer _____ (Store) Purchase Price _____

Item No. (Printed on box) _____ Pool Size _____

I am signing this card to register my pool cover. I acknowledge I have read and fully understand this warranty.

original purchaser's signature _____

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Why did you buy this Robelle Product?

(Check as many as apply)

- Reputation
- Style
- Quality
- Selection
- Professional Sales Help
- Internet - Web Site:
- Advertising
- Warranty
- Price

WINTER POOL COVER INSTALLATION

Read all instructions carefully before installation.

Proper installation will ensure long use and trouble-free performance of your Robelle Winter Swimming Pool Cover.

FOR ABOVE GROUND POOLS:

1. Properly prepare your pool to receive the pool cover.
IMPORTANT: Before placing your winter pool cover on the pool, remove or pad all exposed sharp edges which could tear or otherwise damage your cover. This could be done with cloth tape, masking tape and foam rubber. Check top rail, deck, fence or any other area which could come into contact with your cover.
2. Inflate ice equalizer pillow (available from your pool dealer and secure in pool center by tying grommets to pool side wall. These support lines should not be too tight, but allow the equalizer to float up and down on the water. (figure 1.)
3. Before placing pool cover over the pool, pool water should not be less than 6" from the top of the pool. Where a through-the-wall skimmer is used, cover up the skimmer opening.
4. Place cover over your pool so it rests on the water surface and hangs over the sides of the pool about 12" to 18".
5. Lace the vinyl pool cover cable through the grommets around entire pool. (figure 2)
6. Insert one end of the cable through opening A and the other end through opening B. Bring both ends through opening C (tension drum) from opposite directions (see illustration). Pull ends through until cable appears reasonably taut around pool edge. (figure 3)
7. To keep cable from slipping back, and to apply additional tension on the cable, ensuring that pool cover is securely fixed for the winter, turn the tension handle clockwise until cable is tight. The ratchet lock will automatically maintain the tension on the cable. It is important that the cover be installed properly and snugly so that the wind will not get under it, causing it to billow or flap and damage the cover.
NOTE: To loosen cable tension, simply turn the tension handle clockwise about 14", lift and hold the ratchet lock out of its position and allow tension drum to unwind counterclockwise, releasing cable tension.

FOR INGROUND POOLS:

1. Properly prepare your pool to receive the pool cover.
All ladders, diving boards and other pool place accessories should be removed or, if not possible, padded to prevent the tearing of your winter pool cover.
IMPORTANT: Before placing your winter pool cover on the pool, remove or pad all exposed sharp edges which could tear or otherwise damage your cover. This could be done with cloth tape, masking tape and foam rubber. Check deck edging, fence or any other area which could come into contact with your cover.
2. Lower the water level in the pool below the skimmer (No more than 18 inches below the coping.)
3. Place cover over your pool so that it rests on the water surface and hangs over the pool deck about 2-1/2'.

4. Insert empty water tubes into loops. The water tubes must cover the entire perimeter of the cover to prevent wind from getting under the cover and causing the cover to billow or flap. **CAUTION:** Such billowing or flapping in the wind can cause serious damage to your cover. Therefore, be sure the water tubes are placed end to end as in figure 4.

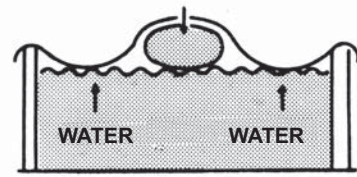
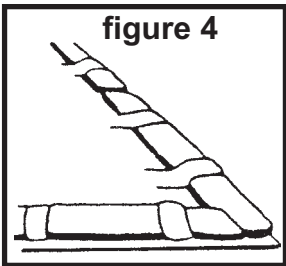


figure 1

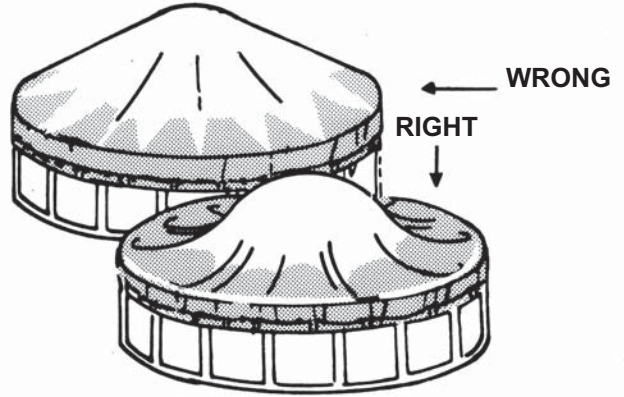


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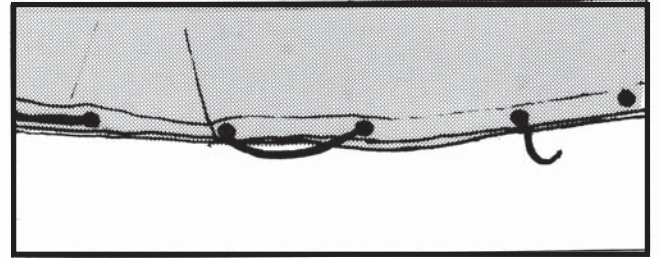
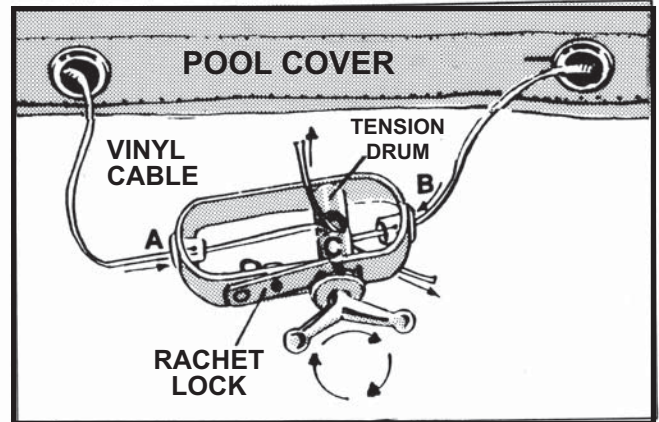


figure 3



5. Fill each water tube with water, to secure the cover to the pool decking. If you are in an area of extreme cold, fill the water bags only half full to allow for ice expansion.

During the winter months, we suggest that you check the tension of the cable (for above ground pool), and occasionally remove any excess water from the sides of the pool cover. If ice forms on cover, do not tamper with ice or attempt to remove it. Leave the ice until it melts.

Before removing the cover at the end of winter, be sure to siphon off all excess water resting on the pool cover. Your winter cover should be clean and dry before storing for the summer. Store in a cool dry area, to ensure its protective use for years to come.

Place stamp here

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