

Benefits of Keeping Your Pool Open All Year Round

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The beauty of living in the Tennessee Valley area is our pool-friendly weather happens over 70% of the year. Having more beautiful warm days gives you options to continue enjoying your family fun in the pool much longer than average homeowners.



Suppose the weather is unbearably cold for some time during the year; it is common to assume there is no option but to close your pool during the off-season. This preventive measure is especially imperative for those without an automatic freeze protection system. However, even if you don't, you can keep your pipes from freezing by running your pump during freezing temperatures. There are multiple benefits of having your pool open all year round. Here are the benefits of keeping your pool open all year around:

- 1. Your Landscape Aesthetic** – As a pool owner, you know how attractive your yard looks during the summer. Looking out the window and seeing a gray sky and a large pool cover is a dreary reminder that summertime fun is over. Imagine looking outside to see your beautiful, crystal-clear pool surrounded by snow—an undeniably more pleasant view.
- 2. Swim All Year** – An even better reason to keep your pool open all year. If you already have a pool heater or plan to purchase one, you'll have a much more enjoyable winter. Who says swimming is only allowed during the summer? News flash: Swimming is fun regardless of the season, and it's an excellent way to make sure your family stays active while having fun.
- 3. Save Money** – If you keep your pool open all year, you'll avoid the hefty pool-winterization bill and the just-as-hefty pool-opening bill a few months later.
- 4. Avoid Complications** – If you're a pool owner, you're probably used to dealing with obstacles or setbacks during the opening and closing seasons. Problems arise and pile on when you don't look at your pool for months. Our recurring services ensure smooth sailing when it's time to jump back in.
- 5. Stay Ready for Swim Season** – If you're not swimming all year, you can jump in when the sun comes out. If you are, the pool party never has to end!
- 6. Cleanliness** – Pools are easier to keep clean during the cooler months because cold temperatures make it harder for algae to grow. Ongoing light maintenance of your uncovered pool will prevent you from having to clean a green, full-of-debris pool.
- 7. Pool Scouts Specialty** – Believe it or not, Pool Scouts specializes in year-round pool maintenance. Like always, your satisfaction guarantee is our priority.
- 8. Health and Exercise** – Having access to a pool year-round encourages regular physical activity. Swimming is a low-impact exercise that offers various health benefits, such as cardiovascular fitness, improved muscle strength, and flexibility.



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