

How To Properly Winterize Your Hot Tub Or Spa

- 1. Start off by turning off the circuit breaker for the spa's electrical line, or if possible, unplug the unit. Then remove the cover and drain the spa.
- 2. Use a wet/dry shop vacuum to vacuum out all the water jets and air jets. And any other excess water in the filter area and in the foot well of the spa.
- 4. Leave a large terrycloth towel in a lump in the bottom of the foot well to soak up any additional water that might get in.
- 5. Turn off the circuit breaker that is used for the spa in your home breaker box. Also unplug the spa if it is a 110 volt unit.
- 6. Loosen or unscrew the fitting that attaches the plastic PVC pipe to the stainless steel heater. **See photo below.** In extreme cold the plastic will contract more than the steel and the plastic can crack.



- 7. Open the spa cabinet to access the water pumps. The pump consists of a motor and a wet end. The wet end is the part that spins the water. At the bottom of the wet end there is a nut, usually plastic, about the size of a dime. Unscrew that nut and vacuum the excess water out of the wet end. **See photo below.**



- 8. Make sure the Hot Tub cover is secure and you should be done. If you have any further questions call Whitehouse 651-251-8509 dave@whitehousedirect.com