

Water Features

Periodic maintenance of your water feature is important. On a weekly basis it is best to peak on your water feature to make sure it is performing at its best. Some of the items to check and take care of are:

- Clearing debris from basins, drains and skimmers
- Skim the surface of the water feature of trash and debris.
- Check water levels and proper flow of water.
- Listen for a gurgling sound that could be a pump malfunction or low water.

This will keep the water clean and prevent clogging and overheated water pump.

If your water feature comes with a bromine feeder, check the feeder every couple of weeks and add bromine tablets, if required.

- If the water in your feature is green increase the amount of bromine in the feeder
- If the water is frothy or sudsy decrease the amount of bromine in the feeder

At certain times of the year, such as when it is windy, or in the fall when leaves are dropping, you should inspect your drains and baskets more often and clean them out as required.

If you plan on draining your water feature and shutting it down during the winter make sure you know how or contact the Landscape Connection for service before starting in order to minimize potential damage. While each water feature may have similar components, each feature is unique and may require special consideration.