

Swim in Comfort in a Heated Pool

How often do you test the water in a pool — and then decide not to go for a swim because the water is too cold?

Today, more and more homeowners are solving that problem by heating their pools with gas.

Modern gas pool water heaters are small and compact, and many homeowners inconspicuously place them in a garage, bathhouse or in shrubs. Since most are finished with weather resistant materials and the controls are completely covered, no protection from the elements is required.

Before buying a pool heater, carefully consider the size of the pool, the temperature at which the water will be kept (most experts recommend 80° as ideal, and 78° as comfortably adequate), and the area's general climate.

Accurate heater sizing, the American Gas Association stresses, is important for getting the best buy in a gas water heater. A heater that is too big for the pool is a waste of money. A heater that



These swimmers aren't worried about ice-cold water ending their fun. The pool is equipped with a gas water heater, and the water stays comfortable even on cool days and chilly evenings.

is too small won't be able to keep the pool at the desired temperature even though it operates perfectly.

Accurate temperature control is vital, since fuel bills can increase rapidly when water temperatures rise even 1 degree. A.G.A. reports that

properly sized natural gas pool heaters are able to maintain water temperature with complete accuracy.

A.G.A. also recommends that the water be heated only when the pool is in use. By intermittent heating, fuel costs can be cut 30%

Sharpening Summer Shooting Skills Improves Hunting Marksmanship

Summertime is generally a sad time for the avid hunter for it means that, for the most part, the hunting season is over and he must wait until fall before he can once again pursue his favorite sport. But, this is no reason for him to put his firearms in mothballs. In fact, this is the time of year for him to sharpen his shooting skills and to improve his marksmanship for the next hunting season.

There are many ways of doing this. Some hunters take up the claybird shooting games of trap and skeet; others keep their eyes sharp by plinking at paper targets or tin cans. But, most hunters prefer to spend the off-season doing what they like best — hunting. That's right, hunting.

There are certain types of animals which are classified as vermin, or varmints, for which there are no seasons or bag limits. They are considered fair game all year long. And, best of all, they are of such a variety that the taking of them can appeal to every type of hunter.

The upland gunner can take his Model 1200 out to the fields and test his wing-shooting abilities on crows or magpies. The approach is much the same as duck shooting. Crows are best taken from a blind and are attracted by the use of crow call and decoys. Along with the crow decoys, an owl decoy should also be used. Owls and crows are deadly enemies and if crows see an owl surrounded by two or three crows, they will swoop down to join the fight.

Rifle shooters can also keep in practice with summertime varmint shooting. Woodchucks, prairie dogs and coyotes provide challenging targets and, in some states, foxes and bobcats are considered varmint species.

These animals may be stalked with a 22 rim fire rifle or taken at long range with a scope-sighted center fire Model 70. When shooting at long range, however, since these animals are extremely small, it is advisable to take along a pair of high-powered binoculars for use in scanning the fields.



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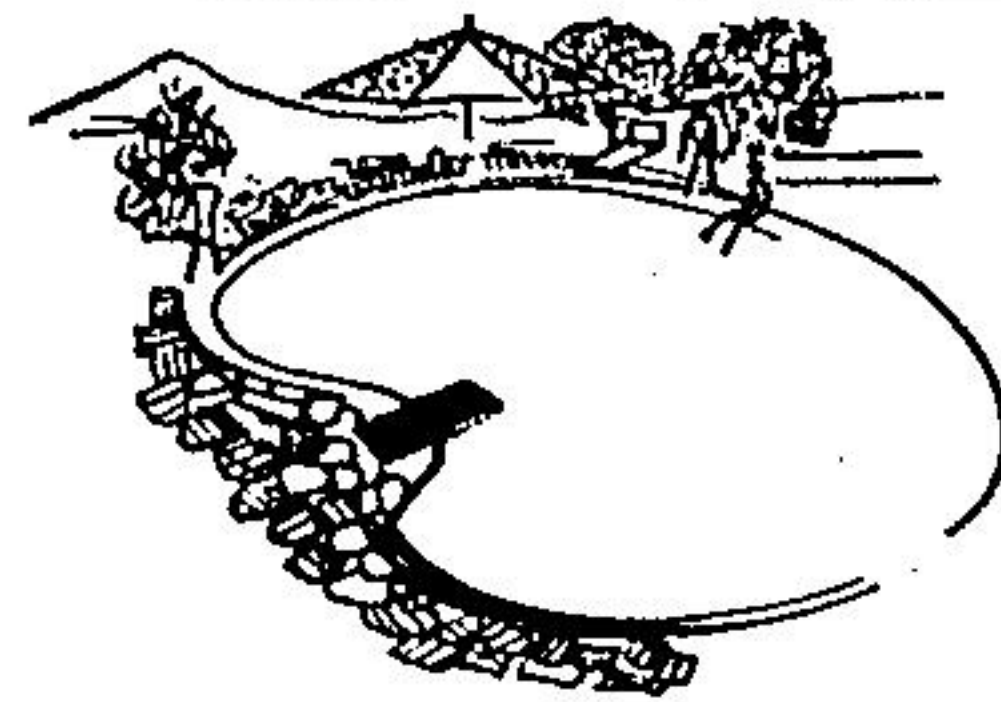
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