**2006, 2007,2009, 2010 Recipient of Fox Pool Corp. Dealer Award of Excellence**

**2005, 2008, 2009 Recipient of Fox Pool Corp. Top Ten Award of Building Excellence Award**

**Our Inground Pools Include:**

***CONSTRUCTION:***

1. **Excavation**: Standard excavation of swimming pool site. Rock, hardpan, clay, water tables, shale are not considered standard excavation. Dirt removed is placed in yard, used for backfilling pool. Pool site is excavated to shape of pool and bracing, not beyond.

**2. 14 gauge galvanized Steel Panels**

**3. 14 Gauge galvanized Steel X - bracing**: Placed around pool every 4', regardless of pool size and shape.

**4. Foxite II Coping**: PVC coping placed on top of pool panels, locked into place by concrete perimeter walkway. Features include never worrying about corrosion as with aluminum, oxidation of metals as occurs with aluminum mixing with steel (on older pools used widely - coping also loosens with age). Easy to clean, no paint to peel off as happens with aluminum coping. Coping allows for a smooth finish, even with concrete. Dual track system allows for loc in cover to be used. Also, newest feature is receiver for fiber optic perimeter lighting.

**5. 3' wide perimeter concrete footing for panel base:** Unlike other pools not using X brace system; we pour a 3' wide perimeter footing. Other companies pour a collar beam, a 6" wide concrete collar around their panel base. Mix used in concrete is 3500 lb./in.

**6. Backfill of Pool:** Dirt used from excavation is placed around pool as backfill. A rough grade is done. Excess dirt remains in yard, is not hauled away, but can be placed in other areas of yard within reasonable distance of site.

**7. 3' wide, 6" thick concrete perimeter walkway:** Unique feature of pool is the ability to pour walkway immediately upon fresh backfill. X brace system and steel rerod support allow for completely self-supporting walkway. Concrete mix used is 3500 lb./in.

**8. Sand / Cement bottom:** This allows for a smooth even finish. Vermiculite is available, however our 32 years of experience show that vermiculite does not hold up as well as the sand cement bottom. Common occurrences of mold growth and pocking of the bottom occur approximately 7-15 years down the road.

***INTERIOR:***

**9. 24 mil liner:** Virgin vinyl, available in a variety of beautiful patterns, manufactured by FOX’s own liner shop. Liners are custom cut to pool shape, not a parachute liner as many companies use. The seams are lap welded, as most clothing seams are, not butt-welded which is a less expensive method.

**10. 6' wide stair:** Available in radius or curve, dependent upon pool shape. Flexible polymer, with textured surface is used for long lasting beauty, while withstanding heavy traffic. Flex in stair is forgiving versus the stiffness of acrylic, still used.

**11. Blockbuster Support Stair Kit:** Under stair tread support, with PVC columns leveled and anchored in concrete footing, giving permanent support to stair. Many competitors do not use, instead opting for timber, rock, or simple earth to backfill. Gives temporary support, but long-term disaster.

**12. Stainless Steel Rail Kit for Stairs**

**13. Stainless Steel, 3 tread ladder for deep end.**

***FILTRATION / SANITIZER:***

**14. Plumbing:** 2 returns, one skimmer, one main drain for pools under 800 sq. Ft. Above 800 sq. foot pools are sized accordingly. All lines are plumbed separately, with 2” plumbing used at the filtration site.

**15. Filtration System**: Includes filter, pump and motor, sized according to pool. You are given a choice of Diatomaceous Earth or Sand filter. See the filter guide in section 10 for more detailed maintenance information regarding filters!

**16. Auto Sanitation:** Frog mineral system used. Unique 1 1/2" flow thru allows for good filtration and sanitizer distribution. Less than 0.5 ppm is added into the water with this, the main source of sanitation being silver ions. Also, PH maintenance is kept to a minimum, allowing easy chemical maintenance of your pool. Other sanitation systems offer only 1/2" flow through, causing backpressure on filter.

**17.Starter Chemical Kit:** Frog mineral Pac (will last 6 months), Ph increase, Ph decrease, Chlorine Bac-Pac, 2lb. Shock, algaecide.

***SERVICE / MAINTENANCE:***

**18. Maintenance Kit:** Vacuum hose, head, vacuum pole (8' - 16’), leaf skimmer net, 18" brush, and thermometer.

**19. Winter Cover:** Delivered at time of closing.

**20. First Year Closing:** With your assistance, we show you the proper way of winterizing your new swimming pool at no charge.

**21.First Year Opening:** With your assistance, we show you the correct way to prepare your swimming pool for the summer season.

**22.Year of Free Service:** As a first time pool owner, you will have many questions. If a service call is necessary to aid you in pool operation, we provide this at no charge the first year. We do first attempt to step you through on the telephone, but if that doesn’t do it, we come out at no charge.

***SAFETY:***

**23. White Pool Light:** A bright light, yet low voltage for safety is included. This allows for beautiful night time viewing of the pool as well as safer swimming in the evening.

**24. Pool Alarm:** As New York now requires any new construction to include an alarm, we now include one as a standard item as well.

**25. Pump and Motor System:** Addition to the switch the pump and motor system we provide also offers a tremendous energy savings as it has four variable speeds.