Empty inflatable pools after every use

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What this infographic says

Even shallow pools are a drowning risk for young children.

- Empty small wading pools and put them away when not in use.
- Large inflatable pools that stay filled need a fence on all four sides.
- A child can drown in as little as 2 inches of water.
- 69% of drownings of children 4 and younger happen when they are not expected to be in the water.

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