



## Fencing your pool





*Sit back, relax and  
just enjoy life.*

In Australia today, more and more families are choosing the relaxing and healthy lifestyle that comes from owning your own pool. The choices of pool styles are endless and the poolside area quickly becomes the new focal point for entertaining family and friends in the comforts of your own backyard. There is no better place for family fun than around your own pool, and with the addition of decorative features such as a stylish fence, lighting and landscaping, you can transform the area into your own private retreat.

## Safety and Security

It is compulsory in Australia to make your swimming pool safe for children.

- All A.R.C. pool fences are made to meet the stringent Australian Standard AS1926.1 “Fencing for Swimming Pools” regulations for design, construction and performance requirements.
- Testing is conducted in a NATA (National Association of Testing Authorities Australia) accredited laboratory under controlled conditions. This involves pushing a pre-determined load through a fence in an upright position to simulate a child trying to push through the fence.
- Request a compliance certificate and always check with your local council before installing your fence.
- Refer to the “Pool Safety Checklist” inside this brochure for some important safety guidelines.

## Strength and Reliability

All A.R.C. pool fences are designed with strength and robustness to provide families with a safe and secure pool environment.

- A.R.C. Fences set the industry benchmark by using 8mm diameter vertical wires in all wire-based pool fences.
- The *‘through-rail’* designed tubular fencing range consists of vertical tubes welded and passed through the horizontal rails, instead of simply being face-welded.
- Corrosion resistance is achieved through galvanised finishes for steel fences as well as our complete range of aluminium fencing.

## Style and Choice

- Choose from the most extensive range of pool fences and safety gates to suit your taste and budget.
- Options available include: wire, tubular steel, tubular aluminium, and glass fencing in a variety of colours, styles and finishes.

## Warranty

A.R.C. Fences is proud to provide you with a comprehensive warranty, ensuring that your new fence is the best quality fence available.\*

- 3 year warranty for pre-galvanised pool fencing.
- 5 year warranty for hot-dipped galvanised pool fencing.

\*See back of brochure for full warranty details.

## Dependability

- A.R.C. Fences have been manufactured in Australia for Australians since 1920.
- You can choose with confidence knowing that an A.R.C. Fence will add value to your home and give you peace of mind for years to come.

## Environmentally Responsible

- All wire-based pool fencing is manufactured from 100% recycled steel.



*The kids can't wait to get home  
from school. I love listening to them  
laughing and having fun.*



Lassiter in Cream.



Bourke in Blue.



Lawson in Black.



Sturt in White.

## Tubular Fencing

Both a classical and contemporary look can be achieved with A.R.C. Fences Tubular Fence Range. Tubular designs are available in a host of materials, finishes, sizes and colours.\*

**Steel styles:** Lawson, Sturt, Blaxland, Bass, Lassiter, Leichardt, Bourke, Oxley, Wills, Jardine

**Aluminium styles:** Portsea, Hayman, Keppel, Noosa, Eden, Byron, Lorne

**Panel size:** 2.4 metre or 3.0 metre lengths

**Heights:** 1200mm

**Tube size:** 16mm or 19mm diameter vertical tube

Tubular fencing incorporates a **‘through-rail’ design for maximum strength and robustness.**

The vertical tubes are strengthened by passing them through the top and bottom rails of the fence.

This eliminates the need to have the tubes face-welded, where by the welds and tubes are exposed to possible breakage when repeatedly pulled or leaned on.

What’s more, there is no front or back of the fence, so you’ll be able to enjoy the fence from both sides. Tubular designs are available in a wide variety of finishes including galvanised, aluminium or powder-coated\*.



Bass Fence through-rail design for maximum strength.

\*Options may vary from state to state. Please check with your local A.R.C. Fences representative on 13 15 57.



Willow in Cream.



Wentworth in Green.



Wattle in Manna Red.



Reef Glass Panels.

## Glass Fencing

The A.R.C.Reef Glass Panel Fence\* delivers a sophisticated and elegant look to the pool area. The panels do not have rails, which creates a look of continuity with the pool and its surroundings. The fence consists of 8mm toughened glass panels as specified in the Australian Standard AS2208 regulation.

**Lengths:** 816mm, 1016mm, 1216mm, 1316mm & 1416mm

**Height:** 1140mm

## Wire-Based Fencing

Wire-based A.R.C. Fences are **manufactured using 100% recycled steel**.

The range of styles provide distinct and elegant lines for your home and pool area.

Strength and security is achieved with the use of **8mm diameter vertical wires**, making these the most robust wire-based pool fence design in the market.

Designs come in both a galvanised and powder-coated finish.\*

### Styles and Sizes:

- Willow, - 2.4 metre or
- Wattle 3.0 metre lengths
- Mayfair, - 2.5 metre or
- Wentworth 3.0 metre lengths



100% RECYCLED STEEL



*I love to watch the light reflecting off the water. What a lovely way to while away an afternoon.*



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*You can't beat spending time by the pool.  
What better way to spend an afternoon*



Extensive range of accessories available.

## Gates and Accessories

A.R.C. Fences can cater to all your fencing needs, offering total fencing systems over and above the fencing panel itself.

Standard and made-to-order gates are available as well as posts and accessories such as post caps, spears for tubular fencing and latches.

A choice of safety gate latches are available from A.R.C. Fences and can be fitted to pool gates where child safety is important. Choose the configuration that best suits your requirements.

The Guardian Double Lock Safety Latch features a one-piece cartridge, which is located inside the gate post. The locking mechanism is based on a pendulum action and a rare earth magnetic latch to ensure a positive gate closure. A second lock with a removable key also assures complete safety.

The Magna Latch® is fitted to the outside of the gate and the locking mechanism is designed around the use of 'permanent magnets'. It includes a 'Top Pull' release feature and is key lockable for added safety.



Guardian Safety Latch.



Magna Latch®.



Authentic A.R.C. Fences sticker.

## Quality Assurance

When purchasing an A.R.C. Fence, look for the authentic A.R.C. Fences sticker. The sticker appears on the underside of the top rail on tubular A.R.C. Fences and on the underside of the bottom rail for wire-based A.R.C. Fences with top and bottom rails.

## Pool Safety Checklist

Below are some guidelines to consider when purchasing a swimming pool fence. For further information, contact your local council.

- Pools must have suitable barriers to prevent toddlers gaining access.
- All gates and fences must comply with Australian Standard 1926.1.
- Fences, gates, doors, windows and safety devices should all be in working order.
- Protective barriers should be regularly maintained.
- All plants, objects or equipment near the fence or gate (that could be used by a small child to gain access to the pool) must be removed at all times.
- The gaps in the fence between the vertical sections must be 100mm wide or smaller.
- Your fence must be no greater than 100mm off the ground to ensure a small child cannot crawl underneath the fence.
- All horizontal (or near horizontal) fence rails must be no less than 900mm apart.
- Self-closing and self-latching fence gates, side gates and doors leading to the water area, should be above a child's reach. All gates must open outward.
- All doors, windows and gates leading to the water should be locked when not in use.
- Never leave toys in or around the water area to attract young children.
- Remove steps to above-ground pools when not in use.
- An approved resuscitation chart should be prominently displayed within the pool area.



This laboratory is accredited by the National Association of Testing Authorities, Australia.



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ISO 9002  
Standards Australia

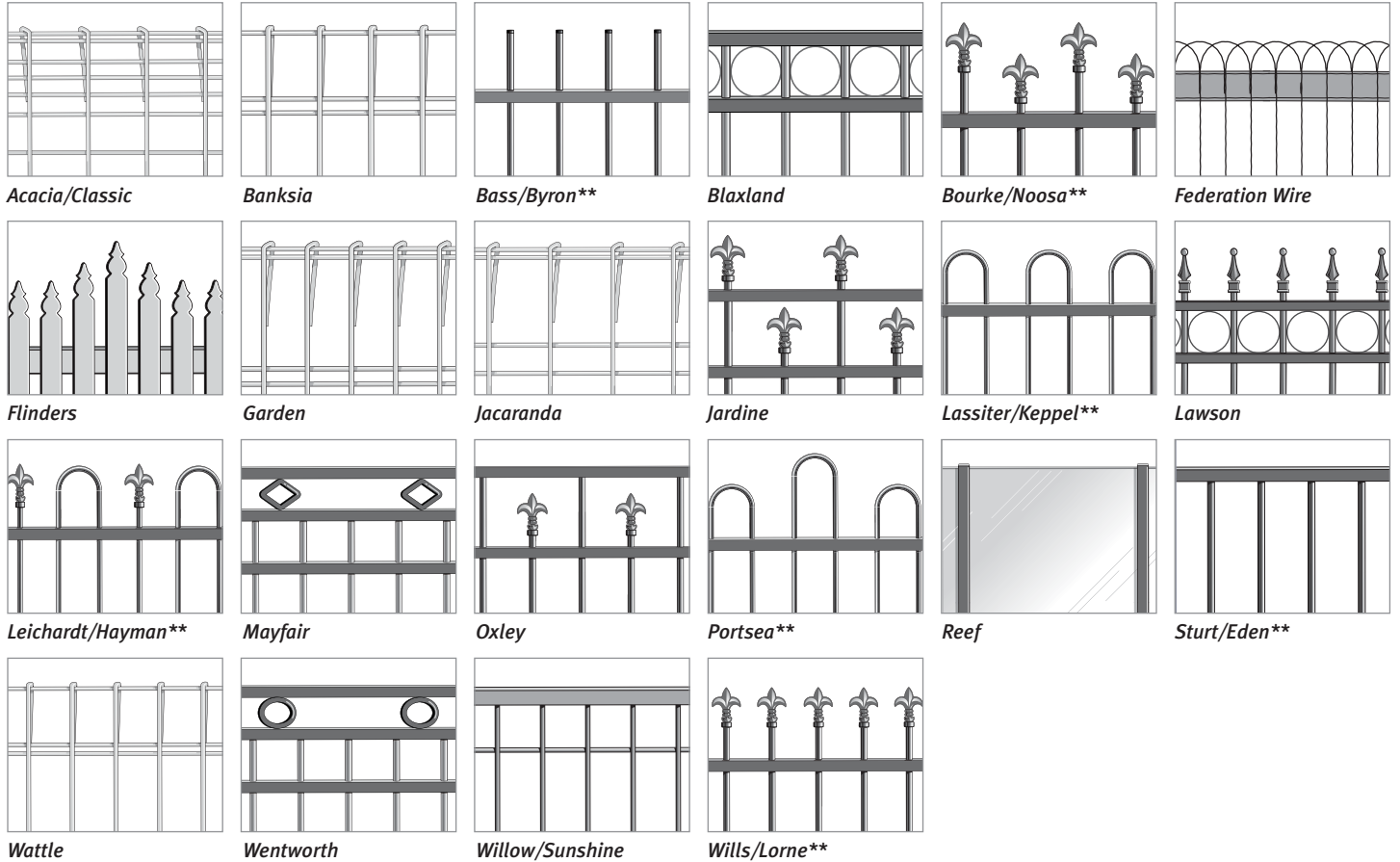


For absolute peace of mind, contact A.R.C. Fences on **13 15 57** to discuss your requirements or request any of our brochures:

Fencing your Home, Step by Step Guide to choosing an A.R.C. Fence, DIY Guide to installing an A.R.C. Fence.

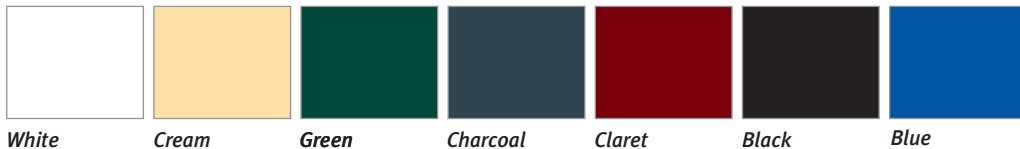
Alternatively log onto [www.arcfences.com.au](http://www.arcfences.com.au)

The complete range of A.R.C garden and pool fencing



The above styles come in a range of heights and lengths. For the exact sizes available in your state, contact A.R.C. Fences on 13 15 57.

\*\*Refers to styles available in aluminium.



These colours are a sample only. A.R.C. Fences has a full range of decorative colours available. Conditions do apply for non-standard colours.



**Fence Maintenance** In order to keep your A.R.C. Fence looking good for years to come, follow these maintenance steps:

- Weekly brushing or hosing (using a pressure nozzle fitted to your garden hose) to remove any built up dirt, cobwebs or salt deposits.
- Bi-annual wash-down with warm water and a mild detergent. The frequency of the maintenance steps must be increased if your A.R.C. Fence is installed within 1500 metres of marine locations.

**A.R.C. Fence Warranty - Terms and Conditions:** \*In addition to governing statutes, Smorgon Steel Reinforcing warrants that the STRUCTURE of A.R.C. Fences, gates and panel products sold to its customers will be free from manufacturing defects. The warranty is given subject to the following limitations: A. For Product Hot Dipped Galvanised After Manufacture: The warranty is given for a period of 5 years. The warranty does not apply if fencing is used within 1500 metres of a marine location. The warranty applies only if the maintenance procedures outlined in this brochure are adhered to. Proof of purchase will be required prior to admission of any warranty claim. Use of heavy cleaners, such as brick acids, will void the warranty. Smorgon Steel Reinforcing may repair or replace defective products at its absolute discretion. B. For Product Pre Galvanised: The warranty is given for a period of 3 years. The warranty does not apply if fencing is used within 1500 metres of a marine location. The warranty applies only if the maintenance procedures outlined in this brochure are adhered to. Proof of purchase will be required prior to admission of any warranty claim. Use of heavy cleaners, such as brick acids, will void the warranty. Smorgon Steel Reinforcing may repair or replace defective products in its absolute discretion. Powder-coated decorative finishes enhance the appearance of your A.R.C. Fence and are not covered by this warranty as their quality depends on numerous factors outside the control of Smorgon Steel Reinforcing. This warranty only applies to products installed in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations. In the event of a warranty enquiry, contact the place of purchase or Smorgon Steel Reinforcing.