

Ski Resorts in Area to Open Soon

Weather permitting, there will be skiing at Traverse City this weekend, Traverse City Area Chamber of Commerce said today.

The C-C round-up report for Hickory Hills, Traverse City municipal ski area, and three other areas belonging to the Chamber's ski council, was as follows:

Traverse City Holiday will be open Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Starting on Friday, December 18, Traverse City Holiday will begin its regular season, being open Wednesday through Sunday with night skiing every night except Sunday.

Traverse City parks and recreation department announced that if sufficient snow is available, youngsters are invited to Hickory Hills on Saturday to pack the slopes. Refreshments will be served.

Meanwhile, Timber-Lee, one of the new ski areas to be opened, reports that work is progressing on schedule with the erection of lift towers nearly completed. Timber-Lee also announced a new family season ticket rate of \$65. The area will open for the season on December 26, thereafter operating on Thursday and Friday from noon to dusk and on Saturday and Sunday from 9:30 a.m. till dusk.

Sugar Loaf Mountain reports that installation of double chairs on lifts will begin today and that work on the multi-million dollar resort is progressing on schedule. Sugar Loaf will begin the season on December 26, and will be open every day thereafter.



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