



Evanston adds ski program

THERE AREN'T any Olympic plans in Evanston but the community's Park District has undertaken a winter ski program.

The program will be conducted at James Park at Oakton St., near Dodge where a tow rope and snow maker have been added to incorporate skiing into a facility which has provided excellent sledding and tobogganing in recent years.

The incline which is approximately 350 feet long and 150 to 200 feet wide was opened Thursday. A late Wednesday snow was welcome but more than 4 inches had been spread out the previous day by the snow maker.

THE SKI program will include several items including season fees, equipment rental, and instruction, by certified instructors, for both children and adults. The instruction, first offered by the Evanston Recreation Department, is an entire series of ski lessons—all-inclusive for rental, lift tickets, and instruction [3 one-hour sessions]. Resident and non-resident rates are available.

For information on the ski program call 328-8087 or 475-3100 [ex. 227]. A 24-hour information number also has been established—so for current operating conditions at James Park Ski, Coasting and Toboggan Hill, call 869-9449.