

New Skiing Area Open at Mazo

The Madison area's newest skiing area is open.

The Skyview Ski Basin at Mazomanie opened Saturday and will be open for the remainder of the winter. This week skiing will be permitted between 5:30 and 9:30 p.m. each day.

The area, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fassbender, is located just two blocks off highway 14 in the village of Mazomanie. Signs mark the route; plenty of parking is available.

After the holidays normal operation will be on Wednesday and Friday nights and on Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

A 650-foot rope tow will be in operation. There is approximately 350-foot vertical descent with ski runs up to 2,000 feet. A warming house will be open and snacks and hot coffee and cocoa will be available.

Future plans include expansion to cover 40 acres; two tows are to be built, and a snow-making machine is a probability.