



# WHAT'S *goin'* EOIN?

## October 2024 Newsletter



### Hi Cape Breton Ski Club Members!

We are gearing up for a fantastic season at Ski Ben Eoin with exciting news to share – we are installing new lighting on Timberdoodle and Eagle and adding new snowmaking capabilities.

While we are working as quick as we can to make these upgrades possible for this season, make sure you check out the Annual Ski Swap, Christmas Market, and upcoming AGM. Details below!

### Night Skiing on Timberdoodle!

Get ready for thrilling twilight runs as we bring bright, efficient LED lights to Timberdoodle! Enjoy night skiing and snowboarding just like you do on Groovy Goose.

### New LED Lighting Coming to Eagle!

We're thrilled to announce the addition of brand-new LED lights on Eagle! This upgrade will transform your evening runs, providing a bright and inviting atmosphere as you carve down one of your favorite trails.

### Enhanced Snowmaking and Fleet Upgrades!

We're installing new electrical outlets on Timberdoodle, Eagle, and lower Redtail, adding 10 new spots for our fan guns. Plus, we're introducing two brand-new fan guns for even more snowmaking flexibility! We're also making key adjustments to our existing fleet of stick guns to ensure they perform optimally, even during warmer temperatures.



### Annual Ski Swap: November 30th, 9am-3pm

Get ready for our **Annual Ski Swap** - your opportunity to buy or sell previously owned Ski and Snowboard equipment! We'll handle the sales for you, making it easy to clear out your gear.

Plus, it's the perfect chance to score some fantastic "new-to-you" ski equipment at great prices. Here's the Ski Swap schedule:

**Friday, Nov. 29:** Intake of previously owned equipment from 1:00-7:00 PM (Broken Buckle)

**Saturday, Nov. 30:** Further intake from 9:00-12:00 (Broken Buckle), Sales from 9:00-3:00 (Cafeteria)

**Sunday, Dec. 1:** Pick up unsold equipment from 10:00-12:00 (Cafeteria)

*Please note: We're not accepting clothing, helmets, or "straight" skis this year. We will accept downhill skis, snowboards, cross-country skis, snowshoes, boots, poles, and goggles.*



### **Christmas Market:**

Alongside the Ski Swap, we are thrilled to announce our **FIRST-EVER Christmas Market on Saturday, November 30, 9:00-3:00!** This event is the perfect way to get into the holiday spirit and do a bit of shopping.

For attendees: Explore a variety of unique local vendors offering handmade crafts, holiday treats, and seasonal gifts.

For Vendors: If you're looking to showcase your creations, tables cost \$25, and you can set up on Friday, November 29th.

To reserve your spot, contact Katherine at [katherine.m.macleod@gmail.com](mailto:katherine.m.macleod@gmail.com). Space is limited, so don't wait!



### **Want to Become a Ski or Snowboard Instructor?**

Check out our upcoming Level 1 courses:

**Dec 27-29, 2024:** PSIC (Professional Ski Instructors of Canada) Level 1. Click to register: [PSIC](#)

**Jan 3-5, 2025:** CSIA (Canadian Ski Instructors Alliance) Level 1. Click to register: [CSIA](#)

**Jan 17-19, 2025:** CASI (Canadian Association of of Snowboard Instructors) Level 1. Click to register [CASI](#)

We can't wait to see you on the slopes this winter! Stay tuned for more updates, and let's make this season unforgettable!

**Happy Skiing and Snowboarding!**

The Cape Breton Ski Club