

Skiing

Top skiing is available to Observerland residents practically in their own backyards—even without natural snowfall.

"All we need are the right temperatures" said Sidney L. Baker, President of Southeast Michigan Travel & Tourist Association, the organization that promotes wintertime (and year around) activities in the eight county area surrounding Metropolitan Detroit.

"Local ski resort owners have had the foresight to install excellent snowmaking equipment that will

provide the outstanding skiing," Baker continued. All are lighted for nighttime skiing.

"As in past years skiers can discover what ski conditions are by calling the Southeast Michigan Snowline at 962-9010." Areas included in the reports for 1972-73 include Alpine Valley, Mt. Brighton and Mt. Holly.

"Everyday--sometimes even more frequently--participating areas report their conditions to us. Early reporting means skiers can make their plans for day, evening or weekend

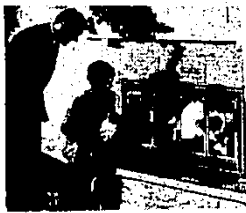
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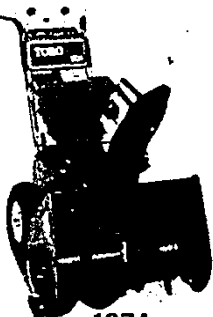
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