



OWNERS OF BULL RUN SKI HILL are smiling. Skiing conditions are the best since the hill opened. Left to right are Leon Glasbrenner, Jerald Fitzgerald and Gary Novinska. Holly Novinska is at left.



ACTIVITY AT BULL RUN SKI HILL

### Bull Run Owners Hope For Good Snow Year

The Bull Run ski hill, favored by the first good December snow since it first opened five years ago, is off to a flying start. Many skiers had begun using the hill last weekend.

Bull Run has not had a really good snow year and a few have been downright disastrous. Gary Novinska, one of the partners, says that the first year the hill opened there was snow on Dec. 12 but two weeks later it rained and took it all away. One year there were only four days favorable for skiing in the entire season.

"But we're keeping our fingers crossed now," Novinska said. "We've got a good six-inch base, which is adequate for skiing, and it just might last."

Three Boscobel teachers, Novinska, Leon Glasbrenner and

Jerald Fitzgerald, opened Bull Run five years ago on land owned by Glasbrenner on Hwy. 133 just west of the city. They put in a rope tow and built a chalet, adding lights for nighttime skiing. The hill is now open on Saturday nights for public use or other nights for groups on request. There is ski equipment for sale in the chalet.

At present the hill is only open on weekends and during vacations, but if there is plenty of snow this winter and enough demand, it will be open oftener.

### Music Department Sock Hop Friday

A sock hop sponsored by the Boscobel High School music department will be held Friday,

### Empty Stocking Party Dec. 14

There will be fun, prizes and a chance to help others on Christmas at the annual Kiwanis Club "Empty Stocking" celebration next Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, at Meyer's Bar, starting at 8 p.m.

Boscobel merchants are donating dozens of prizes to be given away. There will also be prizes for Euchre.

Every year Empty Stocking Night results in hundreds of dollars being raised to help needy area families at Christmas time. This year the need is expected to be greater than ever.

Marshall Johnson, president of the Kiwanis Club, this week urged local citizens to support this special event.

### Wastenaner Drive