

Mo-Ski-Tow Hill Facilities To be Moved This Weekend

The end of an era will be wound up with the tow lines Saturday and Sunday at Mo-Ski-Tow Hill.

After seven years of successful operations at Mo-Ski-Tow Hill, club members will begin moving ski facilities to a new site Saturday. Moving operations will continue for the next two weekends and will be completed March 31.

The new site, located on Allcan Road off County S, is a 40-acre wooded hill. Ski runs will be developed on the southern, western and northern exposures of the hill.

Mosquito Hill, renowned as a ski jumping site in the 1920s and 1930s, was developed for downhill skiing in 1956 by Mo-Ski-Tow Hill, Inc., a non-profit organization founded for the purpose of developing skiing in Outagamie County.

The site, chosen because of its history as a ski area, proved an undesirable site for downhill skiing, according to George Kubisiak, New London, club president. Winds plagued the area, making it difficult to hold snow on the upper slopes.

The new area has been under consideration by the club's board

of directors for four years. It is considered a natural snow bowl, with snow reportedly hanging on the slope until the middle of April.

Heavy equipment such as tractors, sheds, A-frames and poles will be moved to the new site during the next two weekends. Light gear will be stored until a warming house is built on the new site in May.

Club members and interested skiers have been invited to assist in the moving sessions. Tours of the new area will be conducted Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

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