

State Skiers Head For Four Slopes

PIERRE (AP) — The below-zero weather and snowstorms that kept most South Dakotans cowering beside their fireplaces made at least one group happy.

The skiers, who up to now have been cursing the balmy weather, are heading for the slopes at Terry Peak at Lead, Holiday Hill at Yankton, and two new slopes at Sisseton and Sioux Falls.

Warren Hobson, chamber of Commerce manager at Yankton said that Holiday Hill is in full swing with three rope tows, rental equipment, lodge and restaurant—and a snow machine on standby in case the snow doesn't hold out long enough.

At Terry Peak the beginners slope and lower poma area are open.

New slopes at Sisseton and Sioux Falls are now open on weekends on a limited basis. As yet, facilities include only the slopes served with rope tows, with lodges, equipment rentals and other facilities to be added in the future.