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WELCOME to SKIER NEWS 112 - Our annual "What's New, Travel Planner and Ski Show" edition. This is our 32nd year, edition 112, and another time to say "thank you" to our readers and advertisers. SKI SHOWS WILL HELP YOU PREPARE FOR ANOTHER GREAT SKI SEASON

From equipment, freestyle demonstrations and deals on lodging and season passes, ski resorts will invade major U.S. cities to help you prepare for the upcoming season. Some shows offer free ski area lift tickets with your show entry ticket; others have wine and beer tasting events within the show. Use the links below to log on to the show nearest you and see what offers await you. Many, many free lift tickets and other good items will be given away. In the show, get a big bag to collect all your swag!

The Boston Ski and Snowboard Expo, Nov. 14-17, is one of the largest in the U.S., and attendance for this four-day event is usually more than 35,000 ski and snowboard enthusiasts. Like the other shows, reps will answer your equipment questions, and ski resorts will be on hand with discount pass offers and discounted lodging packages. Many ski resorts from Maine to California are represented. Quebec and Western Canadian resorts are present as well. As with most shows, there is entertainment, food, sales, swaps and a great way to get ready for the upcoming winter.

Of the many shows throughout the U.S., the larger ones are listed below with web addresses. Also check with your local ski clubs, councils and local ski shops for shows, tent sales and pre-season bargains. Plan to attend the Expo, Nov. 14-17, at Boston's Seaport World Trade Center, and see us when you are there. We will be giving away copies and some lift tickets at our SKIER NEWS booth, number 204.

Here are dates, locations and websites for the biggest ski shows in America for 2019:

- Oct 25-27 - Denver, CO - at the Colorado Convention Center;  
Colorado Ski & Snowboard Expo ([www.bewisports.com](http://www.bewisports.com))
- Nov 1-3 - San Francisco, CA - at Pier 35;  
Snowbomb Ski & Board Festival ([www.sfskifest.com](http://www.sfskifest.com))
- Nov 8 - Whippany, NJ - Marriott Hanover, Rte. 10, 7-10 p.m. Free Admission;  
New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Expo ([www.prw-group.com](http://www.prw-group.com))
- Nov 8-10 - San Diego, CA - at the Del Mar Fairgrounds, Exhibit Hall;  
Snowjam San Diego ([www.snowjamshow.com](http://www.snowjamshow.com))
- Nov. 8-10 - Santa Clara, CA - at the Santa Clara County Fairgrounds;  
Snowbomb Ski & Board Festival ([www.sfskifest.com](http://www.sfskifest.com))
- Nov 9 - King of Prussia, PA - Embassy Suites, Valley Forge, PA, 7-10 p.m. Free Admission;  
Philly Ski & Snowboard Expo ([www.prw-group.com](http://www.prw-group.com))
- Nov 14-17 - Boston, MA - at the Seaport World Trade Center;  
Boston Ski & Snowboard Expo ([www.bewisports.com](http://www.bewisports.com))
- Nov 15-17 - Sacramento, CA - at the Cal Expo Center;  
Snowbomb Ski & Board Festivals ([www.sfskifest.com](http://www.sfskifest.com))
- Nov. 23-24 - Las Vegas, NV - at the Las Vegas Convention Center, South Hall;  
Snowjam Las Vegas ([www.snowjamshow.com](http://www.snowjamshow.com))
- Dec, 6-8 - Los Angeles, CA - at the L.A. Convention Center;  
L.A. Ski Dazzle (<http://skidazzle.com>)

**OUR USUAL CLOSING THOUGHTS**

Once again we ask God to bless our troops in Afghanistan, the Middle East and all around the world, as they continue to defend America against terrorism and evil-doers so that we can continue to enjoy the blessings of liberty here in our beautiful homeland.

Please continue to travel safely and enjoy the freedom of skiing, and do not forget also to thank all of our heroes - police, fire and military - for helping to preserve our freedoms and outstanding way of life.

Thank you for reading SKIER NEWS over the past 32 years and 112 editions.

We hope you continue to read it, enjoy it, visit our websites, all linked from our homepage at [www.skiernews.com](http://www.skiernews.com) and contact our advertisers for info and deals. Think snow.

**ON THE COVER**

**Western edition:**  
**STEAMBOAT RESORT in Colo**  
 Steamboat, Ski Town USA has a new gondola to get you to their Champagne Powder quicker and more comfortably than before. Add many direct flights and your Steamboat ski trip awaits.

**Eastern edition:**  
**BURKE MOUNTAIN in Vermont**  
 Read more about Burke Mountain in our Eastern editions and online at [www.skiernews.com/2020-Burke.pdf](http://www.skiernews.com/2020-Burke.pdf)

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 One more thing, we do not use a period to end a sentence when that sentence ends with a web address, URL. Some knuckleheads might think that the period is part of the web address! Not you, of course, but the guy who picked up the copy just before you or maybe the other guy also at the rack, but don't stare. Just in case we forgot to eliminate one, you would know better than to use the period.  
 Thanks. Why are you still reading this fine print?

**NJ & PA SKI SHOWS Nov 8 & 9**

**New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Expo & NJSSC Auction**  
**Marriott Hanover - Whippany, NJ**  
**Friday Nov 8 7-10PM**  
**I 287 & Rt 10 Exit #39**  
**Free Admission & Parking**  
**Restaurant & Bar on Site**  
**Live & Silent Auctions**  
**Ski Resort Reps**

**Philly Ski & Snowboard Expo & EPSC Auction**  
**Embassy Suites - Valley Forge**  
**Saturday Nov 9 7-10 PM**  
**Chesterbrook & Rt 202**  
**Free Admission & Parking**  
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**Live & Silent Auctions**  
**Ski Resort Reps**

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