

Maine Region Awards & Women's Programs 2016-2017

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To: Maine Region Members
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Re: Program Reports

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WOMENS PROGRAM –

This past year's event was held at Lost Valley on Jan. 21, 2017 in honor of Allison Blackman. We had about a dozen women participate from several area mountains: Shawnee Peak, Camden Snowbowl, Lost Valley and Black Mountain, Titcomb and Saddleback. We were graced with a beautiful blue sky day and a special visit from her husband, fellow patroller Jeffrey Blackman. Each participant received a commemorative T-shirt in honor of Allison and lunch was provided.

A great day of training was had by all especially Allison's Mom who is also a ski patroller at Whaleback Mtn. in NH. The event was staffed by Maine Region S&T Instructors.

We had also planned on having an additional clinic at Camden Snowbowl in March but there was a lack of participants and event was cancelled.

We would like to have our clinic at Big Rock or possibly Hermon Mtn. next season and will coordinate with Ted Eames for dates.

AWARD PROGRAM –

This 2016-2017 Season we handed out last Fall the following awards:

EDPAA Awards - 8

Sunday River (2)
Shawnee Peak
Saddleback Mtn. (2)
Lost Valley

Sugarloaf Mtn.
Camden Snowbowl

National Appointments – 3

Yellow Merit Star – 1

50 Year Pin – 1

We are presently working on several Merit Star awards for next season along with a DSA and a Meritorious Award.

I requested a budget increase of \$100-200 to accommodate for Dan requesting plaques for multiple awards to be given out over the course of the ski season. Plaques are around 60-70 each. Still planning on distributing plaques this year.

Respectfully submitted,

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