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#### **Summer 2021**



# WHAT DO YOU DO IN THE OFF SEASON SUMMER MONTHS?

We always encourage members to send us photos and this one from Aaron Remkus caught our eye! We loved it. He's having way too much Texas summer fun!

Aaron said, "We had a crazy day testing our SkiByk as a hydro utensil. Believe it or not it did actually work. I almost drowned 6 times and sank the bike 100 times. We learned you had to hit about 40mph to make it work. We also modified pool floaties to wrap around the frame to increase floatation getting bike on a plane."

Send us your photos, summer or winter. We are always looking for current fun photos to show off your SkiBike fun and show the rest of the world more smiles created by our sport. More about our photo contest later in the newsletter.

#### Join Us

to help move the sport of SkiBiking forward with education and outreach. Your donations and memberships help fund our all volunteer efforts to attend trade shows, and help organize demos and rally events. We increase our "SkiBike Friendly" resort list each year by reaching out to resorts, developing Industry best practices and educational tools.

Go to <u>www.americanskibike.com</u> to see the best resource for SkiBiking in the world and sign up. Thanks to our great tribe of riders for helping us push this sport forward!

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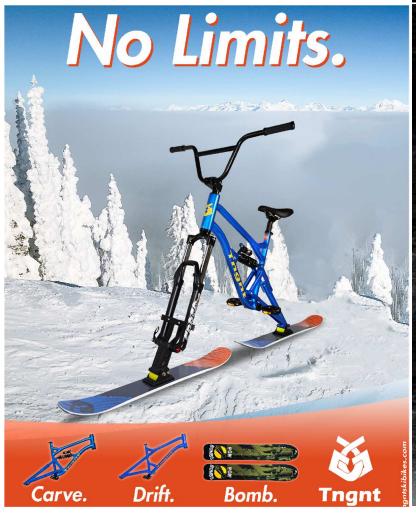
















## **ASA Photo contest**

Every year we reach out to our members to send in a few of their very best SkiBiking photos. We use these in newsletters and on our website to promote the sport.

Please send your submissions to info@americanskibike.com. We will vote December 2021 at the end of the year in a new contest format. There will now be **3** winners in the following categories: *Big Air & Tricks, Family & Groups, Beginner Riders Having Fun* 

We encourage all our members to submit an entry to <a href="mailto:info@americanskibike.com">info@americanskibike.com</a>

- 1. Photo must be taken by you
- 2. Submit with a short caption
- 3. Include your name, plus name of rider(s), location and year photo was taken.

The winner of each category gets an ASA hoodie. We appreciate your help!





# **Our Thanks to our Business Members** BOOMER! DailyAdventureBox .EDGEHAMMER

## **Collaboration?**

#### Can SkiBobs I, Freestyle II & Type III

#### **SkiBikes All Work Together?**

Unless you have been living under a rock the past few years, you have seen some pretty significant growth with Type II Freestyle and Type III Trike Style SkiBikes. The numbers are showing up with many new members joining the Association. It's very transparent on the hill and with new rental fleets popping up across the USA & Canada. We also see it with the sales figures we coax out of the manufacturers each year. It's great news for the sport, but a challenge to our efforts to grow SkiBiking as a unified group.

Not too long ago individual brands wanted to be the sole gatekeepers of our sport. It is clear that this new pace of growth requires more collaborative approach from us all. We can be our own worst enemies by "trash talking" a style or brand within our group. This only confuses ski areas and potential consumers because they look at us **all** as SkiBiking. Any talking down to a SkiBike style or brand never helps our cause.

As we knock on the doors of resort managers, SkiBiking needs to be unified in our presentation and approach to motivate a ski resort to allow us to ride. The ASA has been trying to navigate these waters since our beginning. Strong personalities, negativity and fierce brand/platform rivalries have made this an ongoing challenge. We hope you will join us to help develop this collaborative force trying to rise the tide for all styles of SkiBikes. It is a win-win that only gives you more people to ride with and more places to enjoy!

- JC



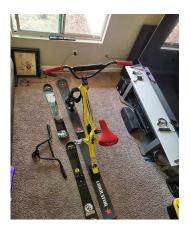




# SkiBike Coral

#### Your ASA Membership USED SkiBike Source





#### SkiByk SB100 Used

Only rode 10 to 15 times over the last 3 seasons. Upgraded fork, skis, neck, bars, seat, seat post and pedals. I will include original skis, bars and neck. \$1500 OBO

916-813-0105



#### **Stalmach Cayman**

In good condition. The Cayman is perfect for any rider, beginner to experienced. It is the lightest of the Stalmach bikes. New these bikes run \$2,099 ASA price \$995 (plus tax and shipping where applicable). Call Kris 303-249-2631



#### Brenter C4 Recreational SkiBob Used

Good bike from Steamboat's Rental fleet. Their best selling bike that got many of us started. \$499.00 (does not include footskis)

865-599-7352



#### **ASA Association Clock**

From the Purgatory Festival founder Roy Meiworm in Durango. Includes shipping in the USA. \$24.00

801-792-0150



## Used Lenz Skis Conniption Styx

Size is 18-103. In good shape. Plenty of life left in them. \$200.

Buyer covers shipping. Call or text Mike

206-953-5252





#### **Used Sledgehammer 5.2**

Barely used freestyle bike from Sledgehammer. (1400.00 new) \$900.00

530-545-2289

#### Wanted! Early 1970's Porsche skibob

Yes, Porsche actually made a very cool Skibike. The parts disassemble and fit in its fiberglass body/case. Any condition OK. Contact 530-545-2289.



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### 2022 Upcoming Events

- Utah Rally Snow Basin January 22, 2020
- Purgatory Festival
   February 26-27, 2022
- Hoodoo Festival March 5-6, 2022

#### Learn to SkiBike



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- Sierra @ Tahoe
   SkiBike Rally March
   19, 2022
- Woodward, Park City Rally April 2, 2022



Early Brenter Promotional photo circa 1960s

## TIMBERLINE SKI AREA





The summer snowfields at Timberline Ski Area on Mount Hood ,Oregon are what many skiers relish during the months of May through August. The US Ski and Snowboard training camps and national academies have been taking advantage of their off -season snowfields for decades. Skibikers are beginning to gravitate to Timberline as a a "SkiBike Friendly" area.

The setting of the ski area on the shoulder of Mt. Hood is spectacular. The lodge and ski area has been operating since 1955. The "must see" iconic lodge was constructed in 1937. Many people will recognize that the Timberline Lodge was used for the exterior shots in the 1980s movie thriller "The Shining" with Jack Nicholson.

Our thanks Timberline for allowing us to ride and welcoming the sport of SkiBiking to another resort in the Pacific Northwest.







We feature a SkiBike Friendly Resort in each Newsletter. If you want your resort and any fun SkiBiking story included, contact us.