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Evergreen Valley and defunct areas like Bald Mountain in Oquossoc, Bald Mountain in Dedham, Big Rangeley and Bigelow.

How it began

“The idea of a traveling digital slideshow evolved from my desire to create a simple but meaningful museum program that could be easily carried to every corner of Maine, from Kittery to Fort Kent, from the New Hampshire line to the New Brunswick border,” Andrews said. “Plus I wanted something suitable for a variety of audiences, including ski clubs, historical societies and service organizations.”

The Ski Museum of Maine is a tiny 501(c)(3) organization that operates with a minimal staff and budget. Andrews said that the museum’s mission is to circulate and disseminate information about the state’s ski heritage and its skiing community and culture to the widest possible audience. “One of the SMOM’s most effective means is to deliver its Fireside Chats through a number of host organizations,” he said.

“Skiing has been part of the Maine way of life since the late 1800s, offering recreation and competition to both residents and visitors,” Andrews said. “The museum’s objective is to feed the passion of Maine skiers and to illustrate the significance of our sport to our state’s lifestyle and economy.”

For additional information or to arrange a Fireside Chats for your club or organization, call Scott Andrews at 773-9609 or e-mail: schussme@yahoo.com.



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