

## **Berkshire East Ski Patrol SWAP**

The Berkshire East Ski Swap is our annual fundraiser for Berkshire East Ski Patrol.

### **What:**

Hundreds of new and used Ski and Snowboard items, boots, and clothing.

### **When:**

Friday, October 31, 2025 – Drop off only.

Saturday, November 1, 2025 – Drop off only.

Sunday, November 2, 2025 - Sale starts at 9:00 am and ends at 2:00 pm.

### **Drop Off:**

Equipment check-in for those wishing to sell gear will take place:

Friday, October 31, from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm.

Saturday, November 1, from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm.

**No drop off on Sunday!**

### **Where:**

#### **Berkshire East Lodge**

The Berkshire East Ski Patrol Ski Swap is one of the largest in the local area. Held in the Berkshire East base lodge, you'll find a large selection of skis, snowboards, boots, poles, clothing, and more! Buy new and gently used equipment at great prices and sell your ski/snowboard gear and apparel.

### **Shoppers:**

Most people don't realize how many items we have at the Swap. Each year, we have hundreds of items for sale. It's hard to find a selection like that anywhere. We will have brand new gear brought in from local ski shops, such as **Colorado Ski Shop**.

Expect to find skis, poles, boots, boards, clothing, helmets, and goggles at great prices for the Swap.

We all want to upgrade our gear from time to time or get new-sized gear as our kids grow. So why not sell your current stuff at the Swap?

At the Swap, we accept cash, all major credit cards, and personal checks (with valid ID).

An ATM is located downstairs in the lodge.

Since the SWAP is a one-time event

**\*\* ALL SALES ARE FINAL by the end of the Swap \*\* Sunday at 2:00 pm.**

**Come early for the best selection!**

### **Donations Before or After the Swap?**

Some people want to donate their equipment and "find a good home" for it. You can do that before or after the Swap.

We are very appreciative of your continued support for this annual event, which benefits our patrol. We look forward to seeing you at our 2025 Ski Swap!

Thank you, The Ski Patrol Swap Team

**Equipment Guidelines:** Please review this document before bringing gear to our Swap, as it provides guidance on what we will accept. [Berkshire East Ski Patrol Swap Equipment Guidelines 2025](#).

**Still have questions about the Ski Swap?**

Email: *Insert email here*

If you are upgrading your gear and want a little extra cash in your pocket without the hassle of selling last season's gear, drop off your equipment at our Ski Patrol Swap, and we will sell it for you! Details below (or visit the Ski Patrol website, linked!).

**SELLING GEAR?**

Download this Seller Inventory Form and fill it out in advance to save time while tagging your items. Volunteers will be available to assist you in tagging your items.

Bringing gear to our Swap? Please review the following for important information.

### Berkshire East Ski Patrol Swap Equipment Guidelines 2025

In general, the following used equipment will be accepted:

#### **SKI, SKI BOOTS & BINDINGS**

- Newer shaped alpine skis in good condition with indemnifiable bindings
- Newer ski boots in good condition (Only front buckle type accepted for adult boots)
- Must know boot size and gender
- Skis without bindings will only be accepted if they are not the current year's model and do not have holes from prior binding mounting.

#### **SNOWBOARD, BOOTS & BINDINGS**

- Snowboard and bindings must be intact, with all parts, and in good condition.
- Snowboards with or without bindings must have metal edges
- No "step-in" snowboard gear
- Snowboard boots in good condition with minor wear
- Must know boot size and gender

#### **SKI/SNOWBOARD CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES – "You must bring hangers"**

- We accept only clean clothing that is in good condition
- Most fleece and wool fabric mid-layers are accepted
- We accept only ski/snowboard jackets and snow pants
- We will accept ski gloves, goggles, mittens, winter wear glasses, scarves, and face shields and ski face masks in good condition.
- No base layers
- No one-piece jumpsuits, except spandex race suits
- No helmets
- No clothing or equipment with new tags attached
- We are not accepting any bike-related, clothing, or Accessories

#### **SKI PATROL RETAINS THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY EQUIPMENT BERKSHIRE EAST SKI PATROL SKI SWAP**

- Neither Berkshire East Ski Patrol nor Berkshire East Management Company assumes responsibility for any lost or stolen equipment.
- We will not be responsible for the loss of items. If you choose to put them in the Swap, you accept the possible loss of these items through theft.
- Minimum price for all items is \$5.00 – No cents
- 70% of the sale price goes to YOU, and 30% goes to the Berkshire East Ski Patrol
- Ski Patrol, and that portion may be tax-deductible.
- All equipment not sold must be picked up before the end of sale hours on Sunday at 3:00 pm. Any leftover items will be considered a donation to the ski patrol and will be disposed of accordingly.
- You can visit [https://\\_\\_\\_\\_\\_](https://_____) to check if your item(s) have sold. The ticket numbers of sold items will be posted as available throughout the weekend. We are not responsible for reporting errors. Final/official confirmation of sold items will be available at the above link on the Monday after the Swap.

Personal consignments information:

- Personal consignment is limited to 30 items or fewer per consignee.
- If you need to bring more than 30 items, please email:
- Please make sure all consignment items are clean and in good condition.
- **At our Swap, personal consignments are priced by the individual bringing in goods.**

A general rule of thumb is to price items as if you were attending the ski swap to buy them.

How much would you pay?

- Equipment found to be damaged or in bad repair may be removed from the sale.
- Alpine boots must conform to DIN 7880.
- Clothing must be clean and in good repair.
- Alpine bindings must be indemnified. Manufacturers will not stand behind indemnified bindings, and ski shops will probably refuse to work on them.
- We will have a list of indemnifiable bindings at the Swap, and our volunteers will check the bindings for you.
- All unsold consignment items MUST be picked up on Sunday by 4:00 pm
- Unclaimed items or money become the property of Berkshire East Ski Patrol.

**If your item sells, you will receive 70% of the sale price back via a paper check.**

**The Berkshire East Ski Swap will retain 30% of the sale price of each item.**

## ABOUT THE SWAP

### **Does the SWAP only have used items?**

Both new and used ski and snowboard equipment, accessories, winter apparel, outerwear, and more are available for adults and children at the Swap. We organize items by sorting consignment and new items from vendors into different areas to help shoppers find their best picks. Our volunteer staff is also comprised of several ski & ride experts ready to assist you in finding the perfect setup for your needs.

### **Do I need to sell something to attend the SWAP?**

Definitely not! Whether you are a seasoned skier or rider or new to the sport, this is a great place to get your equipment or some new outdoor apparel! There is no need to register equipment to sell at the Swap. All are welcome!

### **What brands will you have?**

Our inventory is based on registered items each year. The brands are really too numerous to list, but in the past have included: Atomic, Rossignol, Fischer, K2, Head, Nordica, Dynastar, Blizzard, Elan, Hart, Kastle, Salomon, Volkl, Lange, Tecnica, Tyrolia, Marker, Look, Burton, Ride, Lib Tech, Gnu, CAPiTA, Forum, DC, Rome, Columbia, Patagonia, Spyder, Marmot, Descente, The North Face, Mountain Hardware, Oakley, Burton, Merrell, and Marker... to name a few.

### **Who sells items at the sale?**

Both individuals and vendors sell equipment at the sale. Individuals most often sell lightly used, outgrown, or no longer needed ski and snowboard equipment on consignment. Our vendors include several leading retail ski and snowboard shops and dealerships, which sell new or gently used items at incredible discounts.

### **Does equipment for sale have to meet specific standards?**

Yes. Equipment must meet minimum acceptable standards set by the Berkshire East Swap Committee. In short, ancient skis are unlikely to have been indemnified with bindings. Manufacturers will not stand behind non-indemnified bindings, and ski shops will probably refuse to work on them.

Equipment found to be damaged or in bad repair may be removed from the sale.

Clothing must be clean and in good condition.

We reserve the right to reject any unsafe, broken, or outdated items.

### **What payment methods do you accept?**

We accept cash, all major credit cards, and personal checks (with valid ID).