

North of Bacon Rind Creek

Date

Tue, 03/09/2021 - 13:00

Activity

Skiing

We toured the burn scar just north of Bacon Rind Creek within the boundary of Yellowstone. On the way up we dug two pits, one on a NE aspect at 7450' and the other was on a W aspect at 8700'. Stability tests varied between the two pits, the NE facing pit resulted in ECTN with the basal facet layer still present but unreactive, while the W facing aspect produced ECTP 24 on the basal facet layer. Also there were sun crusts at both location underneath the new snow, but the W aspect had a thicker and stronger crust (3cm). New snow totals ranged from 4-7" and we enjoyed low angle pow turns all the way down. No avalanche activity was observed.

Region

Southern Madison

Location (from list)

Bacon Rind

Observer Name

Sam Roberts