

Poor Test Scores on Mt. Ellis

Date

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Activity

Skiing

Dug on a NE aspect at about 7800' on Mt. Ellis. Noticed pretty significant wind loading/cornice development from yesterday and was easily able to get small cornices to break off. Most notable test result was ECTP16 down 35 cm on a layer of surface hoar. Besides the concerning surface hoar layer the snowpack was generally right side up and seemed pretty solid. Photo of pit profile attached.

Region

Northern Gallatin

Location (from list)

Mt Ellis

Observer Name

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