

Racing

Amelie Wenger-Reymond of Switzerland has the most FIS snowsports World Cup victories at 164. What discipline does she compete in?

In an Olympic discipline, who has the most FIS World Cup victories? Their country and discipline?

First American Olympic skiing medalist? What color medal? What year?

First American cross country skiing Olympics medalist? Games? Color Medal?

In 1937 Sun Valley hosted the first college ski race between eastern and western schools: which two schools participated?

Where were the first pure downhill ski races, happening in the 1860s?

Which magazine launched NASTAR (National Standard Race)?

- a. *Ski Racing*
- b. *Life*
- c. *Skiing*
- d. *Ski*

How many seconds before or after the green light of a starting gate may a racer begin?

Where were the first US national downhill championships held?

- a. Cannon Moun
- b. Tuckerman Ravine
- c. Mount Moosilauke
- d. Sun Valley

MWV, Cranmore, Schneider

What was the original name of Cranmore before Harvey Gibson bought it?

What year did Hannes Schneider arrive in North Conway?

- a. 1939
- b. 1942
- c. 1928
- d. 1936

Why was Schneider imprisoned by the Nazis?

When was the first recorded descent of Mt. Washington on skis?

- a. 1910
- b. 1876
- c. 1898
- d. 1913

The German word "schuss": what does it technically translate to and how does one ski like this?

Who was the last (known) person to schuss the headwall at Tucks? When?

Where was the first j-bar in the Mount Washington Valley?

What MWV ski area had husband and wife owners?

The first ski mobile was at Cranmore. Where was the second ski mobile?

Where was the first mechanical grooming in the US?

Why did Black Mountain close during World War Two?

- a. Not enough workers
- b. Owners were drafted
- c. Owners worked for Red Cross
- d. No snow

Technology

What ski product dominated its market share longer than any other?

- a. Cubco bindings
- b. Head skis
- c. Scott ski poles
- d. Marker bindings

Which company began using carbon fibers in their skis to improve bending, stiffness, and liveliness?

The owner of this company owned another famous ski brand. What was it?

What company made the first step-in ski binding?

- a. Solomon
- b. Marker
- c. Cubco
- d. Dovre

What company designed the first binding toe piece that allowed for lateral release?

What year?

Who designed the first reliable metal ski in the US?

What skiwear company first made stretch pants?

Rossignol, the French ski company: what does its name translate into?

Who first introduced retractable ski brakes?

- a. Jeff Leich
- b. Solomon
- c. Rossignol
- d. Head

Ski history

Where was the first downhill/Arlberg ski school in the US?

Roughly how many ski museums exist in the world?

- a. 150
- b. 400
- c. 65
- d. 5

What was the first resort specifically built for winter sports?

Norwegian Snowshoe Thompson was famous for doing what on skis in California during the 1960s?

What was the first state-operated ski area in the US?

NH's first chairlift was built in 1936. Where?

What color were the first National Ski Patrol Parkas?

Who was instrumental in starting the Stowe's first ski patrol in 1936 and the 10th Mtn Division in 1940?

If you were waxing your skis before the modern wax iron, what temperature setting was best?

- a. Cotton
- b. Wool
- c. Polyester

How did Warren Miller get his start?

- a. Filming skiers in Aspen
- b. Photographing surfers in California
- c. Sun Valley ski bum and cartoonist
- d. College film club

Where was the first baselodge bar in the East? Its name?

- a. Sugarbush, Wunderbar
- b. Sugarloaf, Red Stallion
- c. Bromley, Jonny See-Saw's
- d. Stowe, Rusty Nail