

# Whitetail Resort work is under way

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Construction has started on \$2.8 million in improvements at Whitetail Resort. The plans include adding lighting for more night skiing and, shown here, a second outdoor patio. The work will be completed before the start of the 2011-12 ski season.

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Whitetail Ski Resort is undergoing a \$2.8 million upgrade to facilities during the summer months.

The capital projects include new fan guns on the intermediate trail and lighting of that trail, which will make it accessible for night skiing and snowboarding.

The Techno-Alpin fan guns will allow the slopes to open earlier and close later in the season, according to information provided from the resort.

The resort also will see all new adult rental skis and boots, and 600 new adult Burton snowboards.

Other improvements include air conditioning in the Marketplace, a loading carpet on the EZ Rider Quad Lift, the expansion of the ski and snowboard check and the addition of a second outdoor patio with heated pavers.

The air-condition unit placed in the Marketplace will open the facility up for banquets and other special occasion rentals.

“Whitetail is very pleased to have these improvement projects under way,” said Don MacAskill, resort president and general manager. “We are always striving to improve our resort and our guest satisfaction with both our winter and our summer activities.”

The improvements should be finished before the start of the 2011-2012 winter season