

ERLING HEISTAD

Erling Heistad devoted his life to promoting a love for the outdoors and skiing.

He had a special impact on the life of the Lebanon, NH High School Ski Team that won the state's coveted triple crown for skiing nine years in a row. He was a strong advocate of ski safety and physical conditioning that helped his skiers avoid serious injuries.

"As a Mechanical Engineer, he is credited with building 13 ski jumps throughout the Northeast. He was a ski jump official at the 1960 Olympic games in Squaw Valley, UT. He was also a founder of the Lebanon Outing Club."

Erling had a dream of having a little hill in every neighborhood in Lebanon, NH so that every school kid could shoulder his skis after school and walk to a jump! His dream became a reality.