January snowfall at Alpine one of 10 best in history



January 2010 will enter the record books at Alpine Meadows Ski Resort as the ninth best January in 40 years for snow accumulation.

At the 6,835-foot base area, 118 inches of snow fell; at the resort's mid-mountain snow stake (elevation 7,500 feet) topped out at 165 inches.

Winter to date, Alpine Meadows has received a total of 20 feet of snow at its base area; and 28 feet of snow at the midmountain level.