

DALE WALTERS



It is hard to imagine a more vital but unsung role in the sport of skiing than the one occupied by Dale Walters. For decades Dale has been crafting, splicing and hanging those overhead wires that safely carry skiers to mountain summits across Pennsylvania and the nation.

Dale was educated in his native Pennsylvania. It was straight out of Bloomsburg that Dale launched his career as a splicer and rigger at Paulsen Wire Rope Corporation. His course was set. The company was a leading producer of wire rope for the ski industry. Before long Dale moved up to the dual role of ski lift splicer and inspector.

As a member of the American National Standard for Aerial Passenger Ropeways he has been serving on the Wire Rope Committee for 15 years. Dale also plays an active part in the National Ski Areas Association.

Just six years ago Dale Walters was elected to the Ski Areas of New York Hall of Fame. It's now a pleasure to welcome him to the Pennsylvania Snow Sports Hall of Fame.