Top 10 Vintage Ski Lodge Decor Finds to Hunt For This Winter

If you're not sure where to start or what to look for, here are 10 of my favorite vintage ski lodge pieces to collect. These are the finds I always watch for at antique stores, flea markets, and vintage markets here in New England, and they never go out of style.

Vintage wooden snowshoes

Vintage wooden snowshoes are a ski lodge classic, perfect for hanging above a fireplace or propping up on a winter porch. Their rustic wood frames and rawhide webbing instantly evoke mountain lodge charm and timeless New England style. These are common in New England antique shops and flea markets, especially during the winter months.

White snowshoes

These aren’t your typical wooden snowshoes — vintage white metal snowshoes were made for serious winter treks and arctic adventures. Once used by the military and hardy outdoorsmen, they now make the coolest front door decor. Their sleek shape and snowy finish add just the right touch of rustic lodge style to your winter decorating, no snow required.

Vintage skis

Nothing says vintage ski lodge decor like a pair of old wooden skis. Whether they're black lacquered or natural wood with painted stripes, vintage skis make for striking wall decor, porch styling, or even indoor gallery-style displays. Look for pairs with original bindings and leather straps for authenticity.

Jack jumper sleds

The jack jumper sled, a Vermont original, is a rare but showstopping vintage piece. These quirky one-seat sleds were once used to race down hills and now serve as fabulous porch or entryway decor. You might find them at local barn sales, flea markets, or Vintage Market Days Vermont.

Vintage toboggans

A vintage toboggan instantly adds scale and texture to a wintery corner, especially when styled with its original red cushion. These are beautiful when propped upright near an entry, used as a bench topper, or displayed with evergreen boughs. The pop of red adds warmth to any neutral ski lodge setting.

Flexible Flyer sleds

Classic wooden flyer sleds with red steering handles add nostalgic charm to any winter setting. Perfect, leaned against a porch railing or layered beneath a Christmas tree, these sleds evoke cozy childhood memories. For added flair, look for those with hand-painted names or vintage decals.

Black leather ski boots

Stiff and rugged, vintage black leather ski boots bring a retro alpine touch to your styling. Whether hung from a sled, displayed near a firewood stack, or added to a winter porch scene, they're a conversation starter. These are often found in pairs at local thrift stores or ski swap events.

Vintage ski poles

Vintage ski poles, whether made of bamboo, metal, or wood, add height and structure to vignettes. Tie them together with a plaid ribbon or lean them against a wall for an authentic layered look. Look for leather straps and painted handles for that perfect retro finish.

Adirondack pack baskets (Vintage Basket Backpack)

These vintage woven basket backpacks, often called Adirondack pack baskets, were used for carrying gear on hunting or skiing treks. Today, they're beloved for their rustic charm and are often styled with evergreens or birch logs in entryways and porches. A favorite find in New England antique shops.

Vintage ice skates

Vintage ice skates are one of the easiest vintage winter decor items to find, especially classic white figure skates or black men's hockey skates. Hang them from a sled, drape them over a bench, or tuck them into a wreath for an instant lodge feel. Blue pairs (like mine) are rarer and extra special when you spot them!

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