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Harvey is going skiing with North!



As Harvey has wanted to try out skiing for a long time, North is taking him to a nice hill just out of Pawsville. It isn't very steep, and it's a great hill to start skiing on. Of course, there are plenty of steep hills around Pawsville for when Harvey is more advanced, but for now, the hill that North is taking Harvey to will be a good hill to get used to.

Image above - Harvey, who will be ready to go skiing after a nap.

Harvey has been on skis before, but he is still a bit wobbly on them. North has gone skiing quite a few times before, and he considers himself advanced enough to go on steeper hills, even steeper than the hill kittens sled on. But right now, North is going to have to teach Harvey to ski. It might

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be hard, because Harvey is a lot larger than North, which means that he will accelerate faster. That's why North picked a very gradual hill, not a hill that could let Harvey get to a speed of sixty miles per hour or more.

Most kittens have also wanted in on skiing, but adult cats are hesitant to let their kittens try it out. Sledding is more okay, since there are more skiing accidents than sledding accidents, and parent cats are worried for their kittens. However, some of Lunch's kittens have gotten ahold of their mama's old skis, and they are trying them out on the hill that kittens sled on. There is a crowd of kittens watching, as Stygian steps out onto the hill and starts going down. Stygian doesn't pick up too much speed too fast, but by the time of the jump, he must be going thirty miles an hour. Kittens wait in silence as Stygian mounts the jump, and flies into the air, until he crashed to the ground, wiping out.

There was a roaring cheer as kittens swarmed Stygian to tell him how good that was

and to try and steal the skis for themselves. In the end, Graypelt, one of Juliet's kittens, was able to get ahold of the skis and claim them for the next run. Graypelt pushed off of the top of the hill, and started rocketing toward the jump. He must have been going forty miles an hour, and when he hit the

jump, Graypelt did a front flip, landing on the skis when he came down, eventually slowing down and looking back toward the kittens watching.

Unfortunately, this fanfare was shut down by adult cats who did not want their kittens to try skiing. However, while many kittens weren't able to even touch a pair of skis, Harvey and North are having the time of their lives. Harvey has found his balance on skis,

and he is rocketing down the hill at speeds that North does not want to gauge. But they are having fun together, which is what matters.

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Image above - Lunch, who's just noticed that her skis were missing...

"I've got a nice pair of skis that I could sell to you for \$150."

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