

## Two skiers caught and carried in Beehive

Beehive Basin  
Northern Madison  
4/22/2022  
Code  
SS-AF-R2-D2  
Latitude  
45.34070  
Longitude  
-111.39100  
Notes

Skiers caught and carried in 4th of July [Couloir](#), in Beehive Basin on Friday, April 22nd.

From email: "just under the top of the [couloir](#), my partner noted that the new snow had become much denser, an observation I did not register. Immediately after making this observation, he watched a crack propagate from his ice axe, upslope and to the left about twenty feet. In response, he shouted and attempted to self-arrest, but was unable to resist the moving snow and was pushed over backwards. I was immediately behind him as this happened and noted the moving snow around me as he called out. I'm not entirely sure how, but I managed to move sideways, out of the moving snow, before I had been carried through the constriction in the [couloir](#). As I stood up, I watched as my partner was carried out of the [couloir](#) and about halfway down the bowl beneath it, what I would estimate to be 100-200 yards."

Number of slides  
1  
Number caught  
2  
Number buried  
0  
Avalanche Type  
Soft slab avalanche  
Trigger  
Foot penetration  
R size  
2  
D size  
2  
Slab Thickness units  
centimeters  
Single / Multiple / Red Flag  
Single Avalanche  
Advisory Year  
[21-22](#)