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January 31, Big Piney/Marbleton, Wyoming.

## MALO WINS PEDIGREE STAGE STOP SLED DOG RACE — STAGE THREE.

Cool temperatures and hot finishing times today. Anny Malo finished first with a blazing time of 2:05:44, followed closely by Cathy Rivest at 2:09:04, and Alix Crittenden at 2:10:56. Laura Bontrager and first time Stage Stop competitor Donny Poulin rounded out the top five positions. All other times can be found at https://www.wyomingstagestop.org/stage\_commentary/results-from-big-piney-marbleton-stage/.

Today's course was a 31-mile out-and-back trail from Middle Piney Creek to Coyote Park Creek. Teams climbed almost 3,000 vertical feet with a stunning view of Wyoming Peak. Defending Stage Stop Champion, Anny Malo, remains the overall leader as we go to Kemmerer, Wyoming for Stage Four tomorrow.

The Pedigree Stage Stop Race consists of seven individual stages on National Forest land trails which wind through the seven mountain ranges of western Wyoming and Idaho. Teams cover 30 to 35 miles per day on out-and-back courses. Extraordinary daily coverage can be found on Facebook, Instagram, You Tube, and all the other usual social media places.

The daily race schedule is as follows:

- February 1 Stage Four Kemmerer, Wyoming
- February 2 Stage Five Pinedale, Wyoming
- February 3 Stage Six Alpine, Wyoming
- February 4 Stage Seven & Final Banquet Driggs, Idaho

Extensive race coverage, video, interviews and commentary is available on race media platforms including:

Website: www.wyomingstagestop.org Facebook: facebook.com/PedigreeStageStopRace

**Instagram:** <a href="https://www.instagram.com/pedigreestagestoprace">https://www.instagram.com/pedigreestagestoprace</a> **YouTube:** <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@pedigreestagestoprace9249">https://www.youtube.com/@pedigreestagestoprace9249</a>

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