

"Cold As H-E-Double-Hockey-Sticks" Answer Key

A themed cryptic crossword by Douglas Davey

	A		A				U	
F	R	I	G	I	D	I	T	Y
	L		R		E		A	
N	O	S	E		G			
			E		L	U	G	E
	F		T		A		O	
B	E	L	O	W	Z	E	R	O
	B				E		P	

ACROSS

4. State of iciness unmoving within Fahrenheit City, losing Celsius (9)
6. Jack Frost's nipping target echoes senses (4)
7. Swapping length for height in huge sledding competition (4)
10. Chilly bolero we unknitted around Zulu (5,4)

DOWN

1. Folk favourite Guthrie Barlow, essentially (4)
2. Welcome within Alpha and Omega, say "Yes!" (5,2)
3. Brutality captures stage legend Hagen (3)
5. Chef's technique for clearing an icy windscreen? (7)
8. Republicans eat Republican Trail Mix (4)
9. Short and chilly time of year, for short, feverish but no bother (3)

ACROSS

4. F + RIGID + (c)ITY, 6. NOSE (*knows hom.*), 7. LUGE (*huge letter swap*), 10. BELOW (Z)ERO (*bolero we anag.*)

DOWN

1. (b)ARLO(w), 2. A(GREE T)O, 3. (br)UTA(lity), 5. DEGLAZE (pun), 8. GO(R)P, 9. FEB(rile)