

Dear Family,

We are about to begin a unit entitled, "Brrrr! It's Cold!". For this unit we will read the following books:

- *Alaska Animal Babies*
- *Mama, Do You Love Me?*
- *The Emperor's Egg*
- *The Bravest Dog Ever: The True Story of Balto*

We will focus on the concept of perseverance while teaching the books, *The Bravest Dog Ever: The True Story of Balto* and *Mama, Do you Love Me?* . At the end of the story about Balto, the students will participate in an obstacle course showing that they can persevere through things that may be challenging. Your assistance will be greatly needed for this activity. Here are different ways in which you will be able to lend a hand:

- Your presence at the school for an hour
- Empty medicine containers
- Provide jump ropes
- Provide hula hoops
- Provide basketballs, beach balls, medicine balls
- Provide scooters
- Bring a sack of potatoes
- Provide baskets or boxes (small enough for children to manage)

Please fill out the information below and return it with your child tomorrow.

I _____ (name), will (check one please):

_____ Volunteer at the obstacle course and bring _____.

_____ Not be able to volunteer at the obstacle course, but I will

_____.

Thank you for your continued support.

Your child's teacher,

