

KELLY (LEMMER) LUKASKO

GRADUATED FROM EDGAR HIGH SCHOOL IN 1986

Kelly is one of the founding members and long-time President of the Edgar PTO. In 1998, a group of parents got together and created a Mission Statement:

"Create the best possible educational experience for the students of Edgar by providing resources to meet their educational needs; Build a seamless channel of communication and strong working relationship between parents & teachers of Edgar Schools; Incorporate Edgar Schools as part of the community."

Since that day, Kelly has been tirelessly volunteering in a great multitude of ways. She has an incredible passion to serve others. Some activities Kelly helped organize were the Annual Tailgate Party, Outdoor Movie Nights and providing meals for children participating in the Missoula Children's Theatre. She enjoyed making and selling buttons for Parents Night and for all youth activities which helped the PTO fund many additional programs for the students. She organized and sold concessions for Youth Flag Football, Youth Soccer, for all elementary and middle school sporting events, Track and Field Teams and Youth Wrestling Tournament. She enjoyed making homemade meals for the coaches and referees during wrestling invites and tournaments.

One of Kelly's favorite activities was providing a home baked meal for the local Veterans, including her father, on Veteran's Day along with the help of her mom and sisters, who willingly volunteered. The end of the year Elementary CAT Carnival is another event that has continually grown over the years because of Kelly's hard work and dedication, which she started organizing in 1999 and included a number of games and activities for the students.

Kelly is a member of St. John's Catholic Church where she taught CCD for many years, beginning by opening her home to teach weekly CCD classes, then teaching children CCD at St. John's Catholic School and organized a Youth Group, and wanted to show them how to have fun while giving back to their own community.

Kelly is the daughter of Charles (and the late Victoria) Lemmer of Edgar, She and her husband Kyle have three wonderful children - Jeremy, Andrew and Cassie. They have two daughters-in-law - Amber and Tiffany, a son-in-law - Dakota, and six amazing grandchildren - Landon, Eli, Beckett, Everly, Jordy and Oliver. Her sons now reside in Edgar with their families to raise their children in the great school and community that they grew up in. Cassie and her husband Dakota who is a 1st Lieutenant in the Marine Corps are currently stationed at Camp Lejeune, NC and also have plans to move their family to Edgar in 2020.