

## **Introducing our NDMTA Foundation Fellow Nominee for 2022:**

### **Lisa Schuler**

Lisa Rae Schuler of Langdon, ND is a graduate of the University of North Dakota with degrees in Elementary Education and Music, and is a NDMTA Certified Teacher of Music. She is married to Jeremy Schuler, and has 3 children.

Lisa has taught piano and flute in her home studio for 32 years and preschool music classes for 20 years. Her students perform in recitals each year, participate in the annual Music Rally, and NDMTA Poppler's Competitions. Some of her students have gone on to earn college degrees in music. Lisa also has served as adjudicator for Music Rallies and Federation Festivals.

Community activities, for Lisa, include being an accompanist for the Langdon Area High School, Langdon Community Musicals and Reviews, Missoula Children's Theatre, and playing for weddings, funerals, and worship services at her church. Lisa also played in an 8-piece band for over 20 years.

Lisa credits most of her success to her membership in MTNA, NDMTA, and the Langdon Area Music Teachers Association. She was a charter member of LAMTA in 1991. In 2003 Lisa applied for the MTNA Local Association of the Year Award on behalf of the LAMTA and they won the award! When she was state president in 2015, she applied for the MTNA State Affiliate Award on behalf of NDMTA and they won that award as well! Lisa loves promoting MTNA and being involved at the local and state levels. Besides holding leadership positions in her local association, at the state level she has been Secretary, Local Associations Chair, Vice President, President, Foundation Fellow Chair and she currently serves as the Membership Chair.

Lisa is honored to be a 2022 Foundation Fellow Nominee and appreciates that funds raised in her name are going toward the MTNA Foundation.