



**MANSFIELD ISD HALL OF HONOR
INDUCTION CLASS OF 2013**

**MICHELLE PURGASON
MANSFIELD ISD
DISTINGUISHED VOLUNTEER**

Michele began her MISD volunteer career in 1986 working on the Charlotte Anderson playground. As part of the Executive Board for the PTA, she founded the Mansfield ISD Council of PTAs, becoming the first president in 1990, while also starting the PTAs Clothes Closet in 1991. She was awarded the "Texas Hero for Children Award" by the state of Texas in 1998 and was a founding member of the MISD Education Foundation, which began in 1998. She continued her dedication in forming the Citizen's Bond Committee and chairing every bond election dating back to the late 1980s. These bonds helped build facilities such as the gyms at Summit High, a ninth grade center, and the MISD Natatorium. She has also served on DEIC, helped with school redistricting, and for 15 years, served on numerous naming committees and site base committees.

The Athletic Department is forever grateful to Mrs. Purgason for her tireless service, instrumental re-structuring, and promotion of volunteerism and membership within the Mansfield, Summit, Timberview, and Legacy High School Athletic Booster Clubs. She was awarded by UIL, the Gold Standard Booster Club Model for her exceptional work with MISD.