

To The Hamilton Board of Approved Basketball Officials,

Hello everyone. Truthfully having a difficult time putting my thoughts into words but I will try. I can not express how much I am grateful for what all the referees did with the Believe Hoops Tournament. If I can just keep it simple, I will say "Thank you very much." Your generosity, donating your time, is truly remarkable. It is with your help the tournament was a tremendous success. Not only were we able to have a basketball event in Kelly's honour, but we were able to raise some money for some worthy charities. The Kelly Dunham Memorial Foundation will be able to help more people that need it, thanks to yourselves.

The vast majority, I think, would have known Kelly. You would be able to appreciate Kelly's passion for basketball and the kids, that I am confident she was looking down on all of us, smiling all weekend. For those that didn't have a chance to meet Kelly I will say she was awesome. I hope some had a chance to share their Kelly experiences and you can get a small indication of how special she was, especially in the basketball circles.

I will finish by saying Thank You again. Truly amazing. I hope to see you all in person and thank you and give out big Kel hugs.

Lots of love,

**Doug Dunham** 

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