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STUDENT MARSHALS

Donna Cornelius, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Cornelius of German Valley, and Lisa Pomazal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pomazal of Chillicothe, pose with Dr. Charles L. Joley, Dean of the College of Education at Eastern Illinois University. Cornelius and Pomazal were selected as student marshals for the recent commencement ceremony at the University. Cornelius, a 1985 graduate of Forrestville Valley High School, is a senior majoring in special education. Pomazal, a 1986 graduate of Illinois Valley Central High School, is a junior majoring in elementary education. She is president of the Association for Childhood Education at Eastern. Cornelius is a member of Phi Beta Kappa (education honor fraternity) and Sigma Rho Epsilon (special education honor fraternity). The marshals serve as official ushers for various college occasions, particularly for commencement exercises. During the commencement, they wore white academic robes, carried batons decorated with EIU's colors of blue and gray and assisted with the processional and recessional.