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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

DEIMEL RECEIVES MCSWAIN SCHOLARSHIP

CHARLESTON, IL--Nancy Jo Deimel of Olney has received the Leslie Dean McSwain Memorial Scholarship at Eastern Illinois University.

The scholarship, given to an outstanding student majoring in special education, was established in 1989 in memory of Leslie Dean McSwain, son of J. Earl and Margaret D. McSwain of Charleston. He was a special student at Charleston Junior High at the time of his death.

Eastern is located an hour south of Champaign-Urbana in Charleston, a city of 20,000 noted for its friendliness. A residential University, Eastern's highest priority is excellence in teaching. The University's 10,000 students live on an attractive, safe 320-acre campus with a full range of extracurricular activities. Graduation rates are well above state and national averages.

Deimel, a graduate of East Richland High School, is a senior majoring in special education at Eastern. She and her husband, Cliff, have two daughters, Jenna and Carrie. Deimel is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Willard Eyer, also of Olney.