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**Jasper High School graduate
Sandra Schnellenberger named
Student Leader of the Month at USI**

Sandra K. Schnellenberger, a 1992 Jasper High School graduate, was selected Student Leader of the Month for November, an award which recognizes student leadership at the University of Southern Indiana.

Schnellenberger is a senior English education major who plans to student teach in the spring semester and graduate in May 1997. She served as president of the Communications Arts Club last year. During her tenure, the club was named 1996 USI Organization of the Year for outstanding work in promoting the Red Cross Blood Drive on campus and initiating a Halloween visit of club members to the pediatric wards of three local hospitals to greet patients and offer non-candy treats. She is secretary and historian for Alpha Chi National Honor Society and a member of Sigma Tau Delta, the English Honor Society.

In a letter supporting her nomination, Dr. Helen Sands, professor of communications and sponsor of the Communication Arts Club, writes, "Sandra has made a consistently high impression. Her credentials as a student are impeccable. She has maintained almost a four-point average on a four-point scale even as she has achieved an admirable record as a campus leader." Schnellenberger is a consistent Dean's List participant.

Schnellenberger was selected for *Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges* in 1996 and is a member of Golden Key National Honor Society, the Student Government Association, and Art Club.

Schnellenberger is the daughter of Levi and Thelma Schnellenberger, 1312 W. Clover Street, Jasper. She was artist for the Jasper High School student newspaper, a member of the National Honor Society and a member of the marching, pep, and symphonic bands. She has been active in Girl Scouts and the Dubois County 4-H and was runner-up in the 1992 Indiana State Fair 4-H Public Speaking contest.