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"Language is a living thing, and its vagaries do not always permit themselves to be neatly fenced within the boundaries of a rule."

~~The words and the philosophy~~

These words, and the philosophy, come from Prof. Patricia Silber, director of the basic writing program <sup>conducted</sup> ~~held~~ by ~~in~~ the Department of English at the State ~~NY~~ University of New York, here at Stony Brook.

Hi, everybody. This is Al Oickle. And with me today is Dr. Silber, an English teacher who has dedicated much of her professional career not only to helping students improve their writing skills but also to research aimed at ~~finding~~ learning why ~~these~~ basic writing problems occur.

That sounds like two jobs, Prof. Silber.

INTERVIEW PAT SILBER

WRAPUP

That winds down another ~~SUNY Side Up~~ program, here at Stony Brook. Next week, we will be talking with Gary Barnes, director of the Department of Public Safety at the State University at Stony Brook. His appearance <sup>will be</sup> ~~is, I believe~~ especially appropriate because it <sup>will</sup> coincides with the return of 16,000 students to ~~an~~ campus for the spring semester. We'll be talking with Mr. Barnes about ~~how the campus has~~ <sup>the</sup> special safety activities that have taken place on campus during intersessions, and ~~of course~~ we will be ~~also~~ taking a look at what the Department of Public Safety has in store for the new semester. Until next week, then, this is Al Oickle. So long, everybody.