Dear Student,

In an effort to ensure the safety and security of all residents, the university is adjusting the guest policy for Super Bowl weekend as follows:

**Beginning Sunday, February 3 at noon and continuing through Monday, February 4 at 8 a.m.:**

- UMass Amherst residential students may have up to four guests who are **UMass students from the same residential area**.
- **No off-campus students and no non-UMass guests** will be permitted to visit the residence halls.

**Hosting at your place? Keep up your good party practices:**

- Check first. Having a gathering may violate your lease.
- Invite specific friends, keep it small, and avoid posting on social media.
- Have lots of food and non-alcoholic beverages.
- Let neighbors know your plans and how to get in touch with you. Make sure guests follow parking rules.
- Avoid serving alcohol and don’t let anyone under 21 drink in your place.
- Monitor noise levels from inside and outside. Cheer for your team, but keep it down if asked.
- Do not gather on porches and balconies.
- Use one entry and exit from your place, and have a sober door monitor.
- Call a cab/Uber for anyone who’s been drinking.
- Cooperate with police if they pay you a visit.
- Leave no trace – pick up trash ASAP.

Please review [this message](#) from Student Legal Services, follow university policies, and cooperate with staff and police. Check the Student Life Safety page for weekend information and updates.

Thank you for being an integral and positive part of the greater Amherst community and for your cooperation and partnership in keeping our campus safe.

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