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Police on the Look Out for Drunk Drivers

The Oak Park Police Department will be conducting roadside checks for drivers under the influence on *Superbowl Sunday*, February 5, as part of a statewide effort to reduce alcohol-related tragedies.

Officers will be stopping vehicles at regular intervals throughout the Village, speaking with drivers about celebrating responsibly, while watching for signs of alcohol impairment and other violations.

Police say the purpose of the spot checks is to keep the community safe and free of alcohol-related tragedies on a day when revelry can often get out of hand. Officers are urging residents who plan on drinking to designate a driver and not drink and drive.

For more information on the roadside checks, call 386.3800 or email police@oak-park.us.

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