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# HOW TO USE SOCIAL MEDIA DURING YOUR PERSONAL INJURY CASE

#### DO NOT POST ABOUT YOUR CASE

Do not post ANYTHING about your case online. Reduce the information the other side has to use against you.

#### MINIMIZE YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA REACH

If possible, set your accounts to private or friends only. Privacy is critical to your case.

#### DO NOT POST ABOUT YOUR INJURY

Any updates about your injury, medical treatments, surgeries, or physical therapy can be used against you.

#### DO NOT POST ANY TRAVEL PHOTOS

Appearing to be well enough to travel or take a vacation can be damaging to your case.

#### ASK FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO DO THE SAME

Similar to yourself, friends or family posting about you can harm your case. Ask them not to post anything about you until your case is resolved.



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### How to Stay Safe on Texas Roads This Holiday Season

The holidays are a time for family, friends, and celebration, but they're also one of the most dangerous times of the year on Texas roads. Between increased travel, distracted driving, and unpredictable weather, it's more important than ever to stay alert and take precautions before hitting the road.

According to the Texas Department of Transportation, the weeks between Thanksgiving and New Year's consistently see a spike in serious car accidents. The combination of heavy traffic, rushed drivers, and impaired driving creates hazardous conditions for everyone on the road.



#### Plan Ahead and Stay Focused

Before you travel, plan your route and check for construction or closures along the way. Make sure your phone's GPS is set before you start driving, and avoid the temptation to text or check notifications while behind the wheel. Distracted driving is one of the leading causes of crashes in Texas, and even a moment's inattention can have lasting consequences.

#### Watch Out for Fatigue and Impaired Drivers

Holiday celebrations often mean late nights, alcohol consumption, and long drives to see loved ones. If you feel tired, don't push yourself to keep going. Take a break, grab a coffee, or switch drivers. And if you plan to drink, always arrange a safe ride home through a rideshare service or designated driver.

**Inspect Your Vehicle** 

Before setting out, check your tires, brakes, and windshield wipers. Keep an emergency kit in your car with essentials like jumper cables, a flashlight, water, and a first aid kit. Texas weather can change quickly, especially in late fall and winter, so it's best to be prepared.

If an Accident Happens, Know Your Rights

Even when you do everything right, another driver's negligence can still cause an accident. If you're injured, your focus should be on recovery, not fighting with insurance companies.

At Herrman and Herrman, our Texas personal injury attorneys have over 100 years of combined experience helping clients after car crashes. We know what it takes to win for you and your family. Stay safe this holiday season, and remember, we're Always Putting YOU First.

READ OUR OTHER BLOGS OR VISIT THE ACTIVITY ZONE FOR FUN PUZZLES!



## Giving Thanks & Giving Back: How Herrman & Herrman Supports the Community

As November arrives, it's a season that reminds us to slow down, reflect, and give thanks for the many blessings in our lives. Gratitude goes hand in hand with giving back. We believe that serving our community is one of the most meaningful ways to show appreciation for the people who trust us every day. At Herrman and Herrman, giving back isn't limited to a single month or holiday, it's at the core of who we are.

Throughout the year, our team takes pride in being active across the Coastal Bend and beyond, creating and participating in events that bring people together. From hosting our annual Trunk or Treat to our monthly Market Days, we strive to provide safe, family-friendly spaces where the community can connect, have fun, and feel supported. Events like these allow us to see the smiles of local families, hand out candy, and engage with children and parents in a positive environment.



We also take great joy in being part of larger community celebrations that showcase the heart and spirit of South Texas. From the vibrant traditions of the Corpus Christi Dia de los Muertos Street Festival or Fiesta de Palmas in McAllen to supporting important causes through Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, our participation reflects our belief in standing with our neighbors, uplifting local culture, and celebrating unity.

Herrman & Herrman is also proud to sponsor and support events that encourage health, perseverance, and teamwork, values that mirror what we stand for as a firm. Each year, our team joins thousands of participants as the title sponsor for the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon, one of the largest marathons in the United States, cheering on runners and handing out refreshments along the route. We've also enjoyed connecting with families and car enthusiasts at the Corpus Christi Car **Show**, where creativity and community pride shine.

Our involvement extends to meaningful causes like **Earth Day** / Bay Day, where we help promote environmental awareness and care for our local ecosystem, and the CASA Super Hero **5K**, which raises support for children in the foster care system. By participating in these events, we aim to encourage others to step up, get involved, and help make a difference in the lives of others.

Beyond public events, Herrman & Herrman proudly partners with local non-profits and community organizations to help those in need throughout the year. Whether we're donating to food drives, sponsoring charity fundraisers, or supporting local schools, our team remains dedicated to creating lasting, positive change.



As we celebrate Thanksgiving and the season of gratitude, we're reminded that compassion and connection are at the heart of everything we do. Supporting the communities we serve isn't just an extension of our work, it's our promise. Together, we can make Texas stronger, safer, and more united.

TURN TO THE NEXT PAGE AND CHALLENGE YOURSELF WITH OUR ACTIVITY ZONE, FEATURING A CROSSWORD, WORD SEARCH, AND SUDOKU!

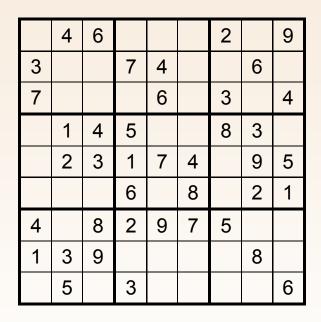


Word search, Crossword puzzle, & Sudoku



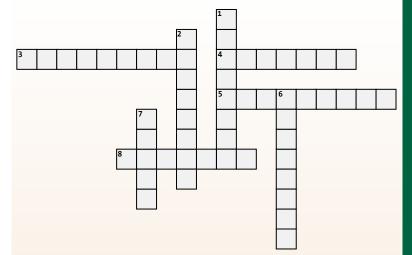
#### Find the following words in the puzzle! Words are hidden $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow \searrow \& \nearrow$ .

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Weather	Community	Stride	Connectio
Texas	Marathon	Give	Safe
Holiday	Festival	Thanks	Treat
Travel	Compassion	Local	Spirit
Drive	Support	Love	Heart
Injury	Fiesta	Coastal	Road
Gratitude	Family	Together	Trip



#### Sudoku Rules

Use numbers 1-9 to fill rows, columns, and boxes without repeating any numbers.



#### Across

- 3. Acknowledge with a social gathering or activity.
- 4. The customs, arts, social institutions, and achievements of a people or social group.
- 5. The transmission of customs charity or beliefs from generation to generation.
- 8. Full of energy and enthusiasm.

#### Down

- 1. An extended period of leisure and recreation
- 2. The combined action of a
- 6. Something that is given to a
- 7. The state of being united or joined as a whole.

