## Week of Feb 18, 2020 Market Notes

	DJIA	DIA	Nasdaq	QQQ	
Some of this year's trades:					
11/8/16	18,332	172	5,193	114	New President elected
Aug 23	25,628	256	7,751	182	Bought QQQ, DIA
Oct 3	26,201	261	7,872	184	Sold DIA, QQQ
Oct 18	26,770	268	8,089	191	Bought DIA, QQQ
Jan 21	29,196	291	9,370	223	_
Feb 10	29,276	292	9,628	231	
Feb 18	29,232	293	9,732	234	

We left last weeks indexes and ETF prices in, so you can see how little the last few days of market swings have effected one week pricing and consequently our models. Nasdaq and the QQQs are actually up week over week.

For those in decline to state a political party (in CA) and you may be inclined to vote for a President in CA primary, there is still time to get a ballot from local Registrar, by Feb 25

Feb 19: Stats: Residential construction data for Jan, Housing starts for Dec Earnings:

Boston Beer Cheesecake Factory Hyatt Hotels, Realty Income, Zillow

Feb 20: Stats: Conference Board releases Leading Economic Index for Jan Earnings:

Boyd Gaming, Cabot Oil, Consolidated Ed, Mednax, Zscaler

Feb 21: Stats: Natl Association of Realtors reports existing home sales for Jan

Earnings: Deere

**Financial terms**: Leading Economic Indicator. **An indicator that occurs before an economy has started moving in a particular direction** and is therefore used to predict the economy's movement. <u>Composite Index of Leading Indicators</u> are the change in the <u>money supply</u> and the number of new <u>building permits</u> issued for residences. Leading economic indicators are used to help predict the direction of the economy; <u>investors</u> and businesses can use them to make their decisions accordingly.

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