

Week of April 9, 2018

Market Notes

	DJIA	DIA	Nasdaq	QQQ	Status
Nov 7	23,557	235.42	6,767	153.88	Bought QQQ
Feb 7	24,893	251.26	7,051	161.9	Sold QQQ and DIA
Feb 27	25,410	256.12	7,330	169.5	Bought QQQ and DIA
Mar 15	24,876	251.40	7,481	171.53	Sold QQQ and DIA
Apr 9	23,979	239.73	6,950	157.73	

Markets were up as much as 400 points only to close up 46. Some say it was the raid of Trump's attorney, but markets were coming down a lot before news of raid. A little concerning, attorney client privilege be gone? This is the attorney with ties to Stormy Daniels, and Mueller is in charge of Russian ties? Confusing.

Some statistics and some earnings highlights this week:

Apr 10: Stats: NFIB Small Business Index, Producer Prices, Wholesale Inv **Earnings:** David's Tea, Link Motion, Mitcham Ind

Apr 11: Stats: Consumer prices, Core CPI, Fed budget, FOMC minutes **Earnings:** Bed, Bath & Beyond, Biostar Pharma, China Finance, Fastenal, Taylor Devices, Wash Federal, Yingli Green Emergy

Apr 12: Stats: Weekly jobless, Import prices **Earnings:** Blackrock, Commerce Banc, Delta, Nova Lifestyle, PermaPipe, Skyline, TSR

Apr 13: Statistics: Job openings, Consumer sentiment index **Earnings:** Citigroup, Ditech Holding, First Horizon, First Republic, Jamba, JPMorgan, PNC Financial, Wells Fargo

*NFIB (Natl Federation of Independent Business) Small Business index derived from 10 components, 1986=100. Seasonally adjusts. Survey is from a large sample of respondents drawn from membership files of NFIB. Early health check on small businesses, which are be critical to the economy

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