July 27, 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
	Feb 27	27,960	279	9,221	221	Sold 50% DIA , QQQ
	Feb 28	25,409	254	8,567	205	Sold remaining ETFs
	Mar 23	18,591	186	6,860	170	-
	Apr 15	23,504	234	8,393	209	Bot DIA 234, Apr 21 QQQ @ 210
	Jul 27	26,584	265	10,536	260	

Markets keep heading up. Nasdaq still over 10k. Lots of earnings this week!

July 28: Stats Conference Board releases June Consumer Confidence **Earnings**: 3M, Advanced Micro, Altria Group, Amgen, eBay, McDonald's, Pfizer, Raytheon, S&P Global, Starbucks & Visa

July 29: Stats: Natl Assoc of Realtors releases June Pending Home Sales Index Earnings: Boeing, Crown Castle, Facebook GE, Norfolk Southern, PayPal, Qualcomm, Sanofi & Shopify

July 30 Stats: Bureau of Econ Analysis reports GDP Q2, **Earnings**: Alphabet, Amazon, Am Tower, Apple, Comcast, Conoco-Phillips, Electronic Arts, Eli Lily, Fort, Gilead, Moody's Newmont, Northrop, Procter & Gamble an UPS

July 31: Stats: Institute for Supply Management releases Chicago Purchasing Manager index **Earnings:** AbbVie, Caterpillar, Charter Communications, Chevron, Colgate-Palmolive, Exxon, Merck, Phillips 66 & Under Armour

Financial term of the week: Furlough

A furlough is a temporary layoff, an involuntary leave, or another modification of normal working hours without pay for a specified duration. Businesses use furloughs for a variety of reasons, such as plant shutdowns, or when a broad reorganization makes it unclear which employees will be retained. Lots of people on furlough, esp in the public sector

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