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Stock Index Performance						
Index	Week	YTD	12-mo.	2023	5-yr.	
Dow Jones Industrial Avg. (38,589)	-0.51%	3.32%	15.89%	16.18%	10.43%	
S&P 500 (5,432)	1.62%	14.63%	26.10%	26.26%	15.32%	
NASDAQ 100 (19,660)	3.50%	17.31%	32.12%	55.13%	22.33%	
S&P 500 Growth	3.74%	23.15%	34.59%	30.02%	17.16%	
S&P 500 Value	-1.11%	4.85%	16.24%	22.19%	12.14%	
S&P MidCap 400 Growth	-0.17%	10.54%	20.66%	17.44%	10.65%	
S&P MidCap 400 Value	-1.48%	-1.10%	8.51%	15.35%	9.80%	
S&P SmallCap 600 Growth	-1.34%	1.27%	12.39%	16.93%	8.51%	
S&P SmallCap 600 Value	-2.27%	-6.65%	3.69%	14.84%	7.64%	
Russell 2000	-0.95%	-0.41%	8.66%	16.88%	7.08%	
MSCI EAFE	-2.63%	4.89%	9.81%	18.24%	6.97%	
MSCI World (ex US)	-1.68%	4.95%	9.48%	15.62%	6.07%	
MSCI World	0.41%	11.07%	20.63%	23.79%	12.13%	
MSCI Emerging Markets	0.50%	6.38%	8.98%	9.83%	3.74%	
S&P GSCI	2.11%	10.22%	15.90%	-4.27%	9.08%	

Source: Bloomberg. Returns are total returns. 5-yr. return is an average annual. One-week, YTD, 12-mo. and 5-yr. performance returns calculated through 6/14/24. An index cannot be purchased directly by investors. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

S&P Sector Performance						
Index	Week	YTD	12-mo.	2023	5-yr.	
Communication Services	0.96%	24.15%	42.16%	55.80%	14.66%	
Consumer Discretionary	0.27%	2.61%	13.07%	42.30%	10.09%	
Consumer Staples	-1.07%	8.62%	9.17%	0.52%	9.20%	
Energy	-2.29%	6.06%	13.08%	-1.42%	13.00%	
Financials	-1.97%	8.52%	24.68%	12.10%	10.59%	
Health Care	-0.36%	7.46%	14.03%	2.06%	11.87%	
Industrials	-0.98%	6.71%	18.45%	18.08%	11.92%	
Information Technology	6.43%	29.64%	45.18%	57.84%	28.20%	
Materials	-0.89%	4.36%	12.31%	12.55%	11.35%	
Real Estate	1.48%	-3.08%	6.37%	12.27%	3.93%	
Utilities	0.00%	11.40%	9.39%	-7.08%	6.28%	

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Communication Services. GICS sector information for periods prior to 9/28/18 may not necessarily be comparable to the reconstituted sectors.

Bond Index Performance Index Week YTD 12-mo. 2023 5-vr U.S. Treasury: Intermediate 0.89% 0.46% 3.08% 4.28% 0.41% 5.40% GNMA 30 Year 1.32% -0.18% 2.52% -0.39% U.S. Aggregate 1.31% 0.09% 3.12% 5.53% 0.10% 10.24% U.S. Corporate High Yield 2.33% 13.45% 0.26% 4.07% U.S. Corporate Investment Grade 1.22% 0.46% 5.81% 8.52% 1.17% Municipal Bond: Long Bond (22+) 0.93% 0 46% 9 35% 1 03% 5 20% -2.48% **Global Aggregate** 0.55% 1.13% 5.72% -1.62%

Source: Bloomberg. Returns are total returns. 5-yr. return is an average annual. One-week, YTD, 12-mo. and 5-yr. performance returns calculated through 6/14/24. An index cannot be purchased directly by investors. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Key Rates					
Fed Funds	5.25% - 5.50%	2-yr T-Note	4.70%		
CPI - Headline	3.30%	5-yr T-Note	4.24%		
CPI - Core	3.40%	10-yr T-Note	4.22%		
Money Market Accts.	0.58%	30-yr T-Bond	4.35%		
1-yr CD	1.80%	30-yr Fixed Mortgage	7.05%		
3-yr CD	1.43%	Prime Rate	8.50%		
5-yr CD	1.44%	Bond Buyer 40	4.30%		

Sources: Bankrate.com, Federal Reserve Bank NY, & US Bureau of Labor Statistics. Prime Rate as of 6/11/24, all other data as of 6/14/24. National average

banking rates are displayed for the Money Market Accts., 1-yr CD, 3-yr CD and 5-yr CD.

Market Watch

Week of June 17

Market Indicators						
TED Spread				22 bps		
Investment Grade Spread (A2)				116 bps		
ICE BofA US High Yield Constrained Index Spread				329 bps		
Source: Bloomberg. As of 6/14/24.				•		
Weekly Fund Flows						
Estimated Flows to Long-Term Mutual Funds for the Week Ended 6/5/24						
	Current W	/eek	Previous			
Domestic Equity	\$6.655	Billion	-\$8.164	Billion		
Foreign Equity	-\$1.359	Billion	\$213	Million		
Taxable Bond	\$7.296	Billion	\$1.128	Billion		
Municipal Bond	\$207	Million	\$59	Million		
Change in Money Market Fund Assets for the Week Ended 6/12/24						
	Current W	/eek	Previous			
Retail	\$28.02	Billion	\$14.25	Billion		
Institutional	\$27.18	Billion	\$8.90	Billion		
Source: Investment Company Institute.						

Factoids for the Week of June 10, 2024

Monday, June 10, 2024

Bankrate reported that the average annual cost of owning and maintaining a totaled \$18,118 in March 2024, representing an increase of 26% over the metric's total of \$14,428 in 2020, according to Bloomberg. The analysis, which factors in property taxes, home insurance, energy costs, internet and cable bills, and 2% of the sales price for maintenance, revealed that maintenance accounted for the largest share of ownership costs, followed by property taxes (in high tax states), and energy bills.

Tuesday, June 11, 2024

Cox Automotive reported that the Manheim Used Vehicle Index, which tracks the prices of used vehicles sold at its U.S. wholesale auctions, fell by a seasonally adjusted 12.1% on a year-over-year basis in May 2024, according to its own release. It typically takes six to eight weeks for retail prices of used vehicles to reflect changes in wholesale prices. The average transaction price of a used car stood at \$27,113 in Q1'24, down 4.5% from \$28,381 in Q1'23, according to Edmunds.

Wednesday, June 12, 2024 Citing its Homeowner Equity Insights report, CoreLogic reported that U.S. homeowners with mortgages, which account for nearly 62% of all properties, saw equity increase by an average of 9.6% year-over-year (y-o-y) in Q1'24. Collectively, homeowner equity increased by \$1.5 trillion, or an average of nearly \$28,000 per borrower over the period. The states with the largest average equity gains and their totals were California (\$64,000), Massachusetts (\$61,000), and New Jersey (\$59,000). No states saw equity losses over the time frame.

Thursday, June 13, 2024

The Office of the Actuary for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services reported that U.S. health care spending rose by an estimated 7.5% on a yearover-year basis to a total of nearly \$4.8 trillion in 2023, according to Bloomberg. The surge in health care spending was driven in part by increased health insurance coverage rates. Bloomberg noted that 93% of Americans had health coverage in 2023, a record-high for the metric. Health care spending is expected to continue rising, with growth rates projected to average 5.6% per year through 2032.

Friday, June 14, 2024

Friday, June 14, 2024 The National Retail Federation and Prosper Insights & Analytics estimate that Americans will spend \$22.4 billion to celebrate Father's Day this year, down \$0.5 billion from a record \$22.9 billion last year, according to its own release. The average consumer is expected to spend \$189.81 on gifts and celebrations, down from \$196.23 in 2023. At an estimated \$275.67 per person, consumers between the ages of 25 and 34 are expected to spend the most of all age groups. Greeting cards, clothing, and special outings are forecast to be the most popular gifts this year.

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