

HAPPY Father's Day

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Pullbacks, Corrections, and Bear Markets



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Important NEWS

From Mappa Wealth Management

We are living through extraordinary circumstances. Despite that, all of us at Mappa Wealth Management want to make sure that we are still providing you with the best possible service. That includes enhancing the way we communicate with you and, as we begin to reopen, making sure that our clients and staff are safe and comfortable. Here are some things we are doing.

Zoom Presentations

As you know, we have begun to do presentations via zoom, we will continue to do so even when things return to normal. While we will always have "live" events because seeing each other in person is so important, zoom meetings are great and allow even more people to attend, especially when Chicago weather may make travel difficult!

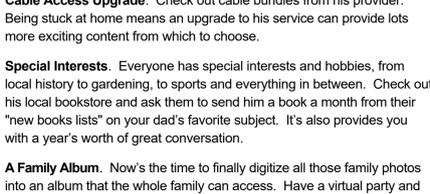
Video Emails

We've learned a lot during the COVID 19 "lock down" about enhancing our communication with you. After careful research we will now be able to send you video emails about important information, special events and updates. So look for these to start in the next few weeks. We're excited about being able to do this for you.

Re-opening post COVID-19

As with everything we do at Mappa Wealth Management, we are being careful and thoughtful about how and when to reopen our offices. Reopening is about all of us, clients and staff, and we need your feedback. We will soon be sending you a questionnaire about your feelings regarding in-person meetings. It is very important for us to have this information so we can provide you with the best possible service and still make you feel comfortable and safe so please, as soon as you receive it, fill it out and return it to us.

Whether you prefer in-person or virtual meetings, we are your partner in helping you achieve your financial goals, please call us with any questions or concerns.



Have a Wonderful (if Virtual) Father's Day!!!

COVID 19 has made almost everything a virtual event, even Father's Day! Even though the country is beginning to open up, it may not be advisable to hold large get togethers for Father's Day, especially if your dad is more vulnerable. Some people may simply live too far away to be in person even without COVID 19. So, in the interests of still having a great celebration, we've put together some ideas to make this day special. An added benefit, many of them support local businesses as well.

A Virtual Party (of course!). We've all become much more tech savvy and you are probably doing this with your family already but make this one special. Have his favorite local restaurant deliver his favorite meal. Then celebrate with him on zoom, Google Hang out or whatever virtual platform you choose.

Hold a Virtual Tasting Party. If your father is a connoisseur of wine or whiskey, have his local wine and spirits store send him a few new selections and make sure you have the same ones on hand. Then get together virtually and compare notes on what you like best. It makes the get together special, not just the usual "hi, how are you".

Cable Access Upgrade. Check out cable bundles from his provider. Being stuck at home means an upgrade to his service can provide lots more exciting content from which to choose.

Special Interests. Everyone has special interests and hobbies, from local history to gardening, to sports and everything in between. Check out his local bookstore and ask them to send him a book a month from their "new books lists" on your dad's favorite subject. It's also provides you with a year's worth of great conversation.

A Family Album. Now's the time to finally digitize all those family photos into an album that the whole family can access. Have a virtual party and reminisce about all the wonderful memories you have about your father and your family.

And to all the father's reading this we know how much your family means to you so we want to wish all of you a very

Happy Father's Day!



Join Mappa Wealth Management Virtually!

Please Join Us and Our Special Guest
Andrew Opdyke, CFA
 Economist



For an Interesting & Informative Virtual Presentation:

**"Perspective:
 A Coronavirus and Economic Update"**

Andrew is an Economist and a member of the First Trust Economics Team that Bloomberg has ranked as one of the top forecasters of the U.S. economy over the past several years

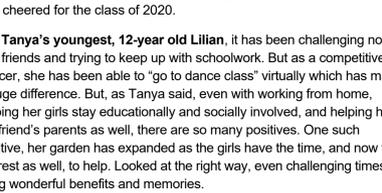
Tuesday, June 9, 2020

4:00 PM CST

Join Zoom Meeting

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 Meeting ID: 911 9236 9851
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Please email: Tanya Widner at tanya@mappawm.com to confirm you will be attending the Zoom meeting.



Gyms are closed, so are yoga, dance and Pilates studios. Even as we slowly begin to reopen, social distancing may make getting into a studio class difficult. We've done a little research and here are a few online resources to stay in shape (or get in shape!) that are free. But first we recommend finding out if local gyms and studios are providing online access – it's a good way to support your community during this challenging time.

Sweaty Betty – online exercise classes that are easy to do at home. Go to: www.barrefitness.com/video-library

Barre Fitness – from Pilates to yoga this is a great library of online classes. <http://www.barrefitness.com/video-library>

Yoga with Adriene on YouTube – Adriene has a huge following and it's easy to see why. Her yoga classes are geared for all levels and the idea that you follow your own body's signals.

We hope this is useful, keeping our bodies fit is a great way to keep our minds serene and focused.

At Home During the COVID-19 Quarantine - Tanya Widner Celebrates Birthdays & Graduations!



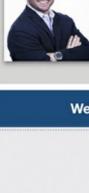
Tanya Widner, Mappa Wealth Management's Director of Operations, like many of us has been negotiating this strange world of working, teaching, caring for older family members and trying to give her three girls a sense of normalcy.

This May she celebrated two important milestones. First her middle daughter, Tasha, celebrated her 15th birthday on May 13th. A high school freshman who made the varsity softball team and a highly competitive athlete, Tasha was saddened to lose her first varsity season and was missing her friends. So Tanya took charge. She texted Tasha's four closest friends and set up a birthday parade. The friends took it from there and the result was a 17 car parade that included new and old friends with their parents, her softball coach, teammates from her travel team, and family members. Afterwards her four closest friends joined her on the front lawn for a "social distancing" get together. It might not have been the birthday she expected, but it will be the one she remembers forever.

Just four days later Tanya's oldest daughter, Sydney, graduated from high school. Again, not the graduation either students or parents were anticipating. After all, this is a milestone not just for students but for parents as well. But Tanya and her girls made the best of it. The school sent over Sydney's cap and gown a few days earlier and she wore it as the ceremony was broadcast on YouTube. When her name was called, she marched across the living room to "receive" her diploma. Afterwards, there was a car parade through the school grounds as teachers waved and cheered for the class of 2020.

For Tanya's youngest, 12-year old Lillian, it has been challenging not to see friends and trying to keep up with schoolwork. But as a competitive dancer, she has been able to "go to dance class" virtually which has made a huge difference. But, as Tanya said, even with working from home, helping her girls stay educationally and socially involved, and helping her boyfriend's parents as well, there are so many positives. One such positive, her garden has expanded as the girls have the time, and now the interest as well, to help. Looked at the right way, even challenging times bring wonderful benefits and memories.

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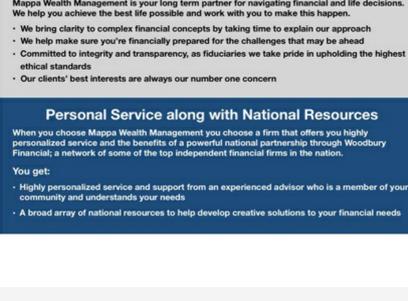
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