Blake C. Ellison

Vice President, Financial Advisor, Portfolio Management Director

Review My Account | Thoughts on the Market | Previous Newsletters

July Newsletter

As we hit the peak of summer, I am pleased to bring you the latest insights and resources in the July edition of my newsletter.

This edition is packed with valuable information on tax reduction strategies, financial planning during volatile markets, and an exclusive invitation to Morgan Stanley's Midyear Economic & Investment Outlook. Additionally, don't miss our feature on Morgan Stanley's Client Perk Program, offering discounts on travel, hotels, events, car rentals, and more.

I hope you find these resources helpful as you navigate the months ahead. Please don't hesitate to reach out if you would like to discuss any of the topics below. Your feedback is greatly appreciated, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Visit My Website

5 Steps That May Reduce Taxes on Clients'

Featured Updates and Resources



There are several steps you can take to mitigate taxes and help potentially boost your after-tax returns. Take a

Income and Portfolio

look at this article to learn about five steps that may help reduce taxes on your investment portfolio. **Read More**

Exclusive Invitation: Money Monday

Midyear Economic & Investment Outlook

In our most recent Money Monday event, Morgan Stanley Chief U.S. Economist Ellen Zentner and Head



of Market Research & Strategy for Morgan Stanley Wealth Management Dan Skelly discussed what the remainder of 2024 may hold for investors. Topics included: The state of the U.S. economy and the American

- Key portfolio considerations amid stagnation, inflation and a challenging housing market

Investing during an election year

Watch the Replay

How to Plan Instead of Panic in Volatile Markets

A recent report from our Global Investment Office looks at 120,000 investor financial plans during the 2020

COVID market crash. What it found may surprise you:



Clients who were on track to achieve their goals at the market's peak remained on track at its trough. Having a sound financial plan can help you avoid making rash decisions in times of uncertainty and missing out when markets recover.

Read More

Enjoy discounts on hotels, golf club shipping, car

Book your summer travel with Reserved Living & Giving.

Summer Travel With Reserved Living & Giving

rentals, popular attractions, airport lounge memberships and more!

Get Started Here On the Markets: July 2024

Halftime Show and the Music Plays On



With markets poised to broaden, we think now's the time for equity investors to focus on "quality value" themes. Find out more in On the Markets. This publication summarizes the Global Investment Committee's market outlook and contains thought-provoking essays that examine the forces shaping the investment landscape.

As the Summer Olympics kick off later this month, we are thrilled to cheer on Team USA in Paris! It's always

Read More

Summer Olympics Fri. July 26 - Sun. August 11



inspiring to see the greatest athletes compete on the world's biggest stage.

View the Full Schedule Here

Blake C. Ellison Vice President **Financial Advisor**

Phone: (508) 870-7011 Email: Blake.Ellison@morganstanley.com

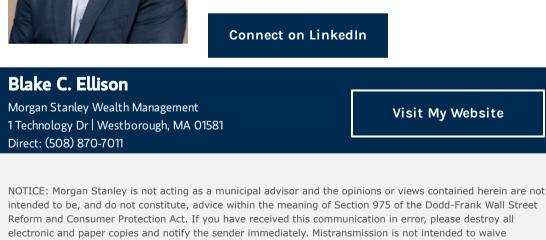
confidentiality or privilege. Morgan Stanley reserves the right, to the extent permitted under applicable law, to

This material has been prepared for informational purposes only. It does not provide individually tailored investment advice. It has been prepared without regard to the individual financial circumstances and objectives of persons who receive it. Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC ("Morgan Stanley") recommends that investors independently evaluate particular investments and strategies, and encourages investors to seek the advice of a

monitor electronic communications. This message is subject to terms available at the following https://www.morganstanley.com/disclaimers. If you cannot access these links, please notify us by reply

Portfolio Management Director

Connect on LinkedIn



Morgan Stanley Wealth Management

2000 Westchester Avenue, Purchase, NY 10577-2530 USA

©2023 Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC. Member SIPC.

involving taxation and tax planning and their attorney for legal matters

message and we will send the contents to you. By communicating with Morgan Stanley you acknowledge that you have read, understand and consent, (where applicable), to the foregoing and the Morgan Stanley General

Visit My Website

Morgan Stanley Financial Advisor. The appropriateness of a particular investment or strategy will depend on an investor's individual circumstances and objectives. Please see our Privacy Pledge for details about how Morgan Stanley handles personal information. If you would like to update your email preferences or unsubscribe from marketing emails from Morgan Stanley Wealth Management, you may do so here. Please note, you will still receive service emails from Morgan Stanley Wealth Management. Because of their narrow focus, sector investments tend to be more volatile than investments that diversify across many sectors and companies.

Information related to your external accounts is provided for informational purposes only. It is provided by third parties, including the financial institutions where your external accounts are held. Morgan Stanley does not verify that the information is accurate and makes no representation or warranty as to its accuracy, timeliness or completeness.

Not all products and services may be available to persons living outside of the United States.

The 529 Plan Program Disclosure contains more information on investment options, risk factors, fees and expenses, and potential tax consequences. Investors can obtain a 529 Plan Program Disclosure from their Financial Advisor and should read it carefully before investing. Investors should also consider whether tax or other benefits are only available for investments in your home state 529-college savings plan.

Financial Advisor(s) may not provide advice on any external account. Additional information about the services described above and offered on Morgan Stanley Online are in the applicable Terms and Conditions of Use.

Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC ("Morgan Stanley"), its affiliates and Morgan Stanley Financial Advisors or Private Wealth Advisors do not provide tax or legal advice. Individuals should consult their tax advisor for matters involving taxation and tax planning and their attorney for matters involving trusts, estate planning, charitable giving, philanthropic planning or other legal matters.

Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC ("Morgan Stanley"), its affiliates and Morgan Stanley Financial Advisors or Private Wealth Advisors do not provide tax or legal advice. Clients should consult their tax advisor for matters

This material has been prepared for informational purposes only and should not be deemed medical advice. Contact your medical professional for your personal health care.

This event is for informational purposes only and is not an offer to buy or sell or a solicitation of any offer to buy or sell any security or other financial instrument or to participate in any trading strategy. It does not provide individually tailored investment advice. It has been prepared without regard to the individual financial

circumstances and objectives of persons who receive it. Investing involves risk, including risk of loss. Opinions expressed by the speakers are solely his or her own and do not necessarily reflect those of Morgan

Stanley Smith Barney LLC. Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC ("Morgan Stanley"), its affiliates and Morgan

Stanley Financial Advisors and Private Wealth Advisors do not provide tax or legal advice. Clients should consult their tax advisor for matters involving taxation and tax planning, and their attorney for matters involving trust and estate planning, charitable giving, philanthropic planning and other legal matters. The guest speaker's authored books shown in this material do not constitute an endorsement, authorization,

sponsorship by or affiliation with Morgan Stanley. Morgan Stanley has not reviewed the books for approval and

is not responsible for the information contained therein. Morgan Stanley is committed to conducting business in accordance with the highest standards of integrity and transparency, and does not intend for this invitation to influence, or provide an unfair advantage regarding, any

action or decision by yourself or any other attendee with respect to Morgan Stanley.

In accordance with legal and regulatory requirements, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, the UK Bribery Act, and U.S. federal, state and local regulations, Morgan Stanley does not provide its clients or business associates gifts or entertainment that they are not allowed to accept. We recognize that our clients, counterparties and other business associates also have legal obligations and may be subject to specific threshold and reporting requirements. By accepting this invitation, you confirm that the above proposal conforms to the laws to which you are subject, as well as your organization's own policies and standards. If you require a confirmation of the total value of this event, or are required to reimburse Morgan Stanley for

All information, content, products and services discussed during the meeting are intended only for individuals accepted into the meeting and residing in states where the meeting organizer is registered. You may not record, reproduce, publish or distribute any of the content or materials discussed and/or presented during the meeting

particular expenditures, please contact us.