#### Index Returns Year-to-Date As of 10/7 close

S&P 500: -22.68% Dow Jones: -18.08% Nasdaq: -31.49% Agg Bond: -14.83% Muni Bond: -10.04% Small Cap: -23.40% Int'l Stock: -25.33%

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# EWM A.M. Cup of Joe

#### **ASSET MANAGEMENT**



Edition 31 – Week of October 10<sup>th</sup>

Our weekly blend of information to help keep you alert so you can stay the course and maintain your path using EWM as your COMPASS.

**I. The Beans** — The foundation of this week's analysis





#### The Grounds – Pathway of the market

**Key Point:** Equity markets saw large gains to start the week; however, sellers pushed the markets lower for only a 1-2% gain on the week.

What does that mean for me? – As we have said before, volatility may continue for the coming weeks as indecision controls investors' ahead of the mid-terms.



### The Brew – Economic Drivers

**Key Point**: The Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) announced they will cut production of oil by 1-2 million barrels a day starting in November.

How that may affect you – We could see the price of gasoline start to increase again as oil barrel prices may increase due to the decrease in production.

### II. The Aroma – Highlights of market activity

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### **Broad Market Analysis - Potential direction of the market**

**Key Point**: The Dow Jones has traded within this 30% channel since the financial crisis of 2008. The **red** line is where selling happens, the **blue** is the general trend line of prices, and the **green** is historically where buying occurs to end a larger move lower. *What does that mean?* – We could see a 5.5% move lower and still be within the longer-term price trend of the stock market.



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# What We're Doing - \*The following activity is not

necessarily representative of every client portfolio whether positive or

negative

*Legend*				
Buy	New holding	Security	Action	Description
Sell	Sell All		Add	Adding to Nike after 20-year monthly chart
Trim	Sell Percent			showed relative strength reach levels lowe
Add	Increase Holdina	Nike Inc. (NKE)		than stock during 2008 financial crisis.
	norung			Could be indicating "sold off".

#### Chart of the Week - Holding Highlight



NAME	CLEVELAND-CLIFFS INC (CLF)		
SECTOR	Materials		
INDUSTRY	Steel		
ANALYSIS	<ul> <li>Cleveland-Cliffs, Inc. is a flat-rolled steel producer, which supplies iron ore pellets to the North American steel industry.</li> <li>Supply-chain shortages and decreased demand for hard materials caused a large selloff in companies similar to CLF in 2022.</li> <li>The recent reversal in trend helped push CLF above its 20-day moving average where it is currently holding steady.</li> </ul>		

## IV. The Double Shot of Espresso – Information to boost your Cup of Joe

- Read J.P. Morgan's "<u>Weekly Market Recap</u>" for their latest update
- Read TD Ameritrade's "<u>Macro Monday</u>" for an insight into technical analysis

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