



Today more than ever, information and insight are vital strengths and it is perhaps reassuring to members that these are areas in which RIO's team have a time proven history of excellence. The Club regularly releases investment reports based on two and a half decades of multi-asset investment experience, combined with expert analysis from our renowned research team covering equity, precious metals, currency and property related investments.

It is important to RIO that members receive reports and or research that is relevant and of value to them. Reading investment updates on a product or products which a member is not yet invested in often can prove thought provoking and has on several occasions led to the desire to add additional investment.

Membership update

The club continues to grow with members based in 22 different countries we are just 1 away from the target of 1,100 set last year. We also have made several changes and improvements to the Club's web site, many of which were based on members comments. A special thank you to Robert in Malaysia, you along with several other members had provided so many excellent suggestions. RIO values member comments and is very happy to see that our members take the time to get involved.

It may seem remarkable in these troubled times that RIO has witnessed a ten percent growth in our membership numbers as many think that this is a bad time to invest. Actually, the opposite is true, the time to invest in the stock market is now, but selectively. The facts; the US stock market recorded the largest rally in history (S&P 500 returned over 37.7% in the period), the market also witnessed its biggest one month gain since 1987 and the fastest stock market recovery ever recorded following March's meltdown. This of course partly due to the fact that we had the largest stimulus in history. This is all positive for the market, but even better is the fact that this year is an election year in the USA. Already we have seen over 6 trillion dollars injected into the economy with further government stimulus very likely in the coming months, so it's not over yet.

If the recent stock market recovery had been driven by a few big companies like Amazon, Apple and Google while most other stocks were still falling it would be a bad sign, it would mean that it's not a real recovery. However the rally has been a broad-based recovery, so stocks are healthy with many stocks posting strong gains already. Stocks are in an upward trend. The crash was not caused by a bubble, it was caused by shutting down the world economy as a direct result of a black swan event namely - COVID 19. I have spent twenty-five years managing investments and today I am confident that there's a short window developing to capture double digit gains in the next six months.

The current bull market has run 11 years, the longest bull market in history, today I strongly believe that we are entering the last year of this rally and as history has shown this can be the most rewarding period. As I have previously mentioned; both Donald Trump's re-election campaign and financial stimulus are very bullish for stocks, as will be the coming zeal when this viral outbreak is contained.

An interesting statistical fact highlighted by our analysts recently is that in every presidential election since 1950 when it had been a re-election year stocks end the year producing a double-digit gain. Another fact is that stocks historically have rallied after crashes and corrections, and for every 10%-plus pullback throughout history, on average stocks climb 25% higher a year later. Today, is a unique moment in time, investors may have to wait years for another opportunity like this, the potential gains could be significant in the coming months. It is also worth noting that the largest gains are going to be produced from companies in specific sectors or emerging industries which have the potential to sky rocket in the coming melt up rally.

For those in doubt, I say that I have experienced many major bear markets, and have forecasted their arrival accurately several times. I have predicted the arrival of all three of the major market crashes in the past twenty-five years. There's a massive difference between bear markets and what we are witnessing now.

New Products

Since October 2019 our Club has launched two new investment products; RIO 888 launched that month and RIO Property Group which was offered to members in January 2020, both have been very well received by the membership.

<https://www.therioclub.com/virgin-888/>

<https://www.therioclub.com/html/property-series-3.html>

RIO 888 is one way for members to capture the potentially massive gains, the upside potential from this investment is staggering and we have posted gains of 82.64% already. Then for those seeking low risk, on the opposite side of the investment risk table is gold. This asset has seen the strongest inward investment numbers in years; RIO ARC Bullion accounts are a must for both wealth preservation and portfolio insurance. It may surprise some that both ARC Sterling and Dollar have recorded net returns of over one hundred percent since their respective launches.

The RIO Club has helped hundreds of members become financially secure with over half of our membership retired and living on investment income, most have benefited from RIO's help to build a passive income stream which can be very rewarding. We are proud to provide a service that so many have found useful.

Thank you to all invested!

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