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Dear Alert Service Subscriber,

It's a Happy Hiatus and Friendly Fed US equities market. As noted Wednesday, there is no change in our views on what is a 'hysterical headline hiatus' with President Trump on his Middle East and European first foreign trip. Please refer to Tuesday's ALERT!! for more details. As we have noted since Monday morning, that leaves less chance the very scripted nature of his communications during the trip will open up any new self-inflicted wounds.

And equities are liking the Happy Hiatus recent lack of disruption, even critics are still pursuing some tactics against him during his absence. The equities also like Wednesday's FOMC meeting minutes alluding to continued growth, with the US Q1 weakness still being viewed as an anomaly. While this means the FOMC is likely raise rates again in June, it is also still indicating a gradualist approach (which even the govvies are liking for now.)

That's a Friendly Fed indication for US equities, where the Fed rightfully asserts that even any further gradual base rate increases remain accommodative. It is a reasonable position with inflation up around 2.0% that the next base rate hike still only being around 1.0% is not going to deter either borrowers or the economy. Happy plus Friendly leaves good reason for a new high after last week's selloff.

This is the critical consideration:

The background remains that due to sustained increases in weekly MA-41, June S&P 500 future extended weekly Oscillator levels are still moving up roughly \$5 each week in spite of the selloff since March 1st. It was important the extended weekly Oscillator threshold above the 2,300 area rose to 2,369-74 in mid-March.

After it failed below the 2,370 area and interim 2,350 congestion in mid-March, 2,370-75 was exceeded again by late April, which it remained above at the beginning of May; and importantly both weekly MA-9 and MA-13 were up into the 2,365-70 area. While those were temporarily violated on last week's selloff, pushing back above them since late last week was a strong sign.

Higher resistances remained around the 2,401 March 1st front month futures high, with a buffer to last week's early 2,404.50 next all-time prior to the selloff. Now that June S&P 500 future has Closed above those levels, the next Oscillator resistance is up into the 2,420-25 range this week, moving up to 2,425-30 next week. And the ultimate extended Oscillator resistance (last seen at the early March high) is up to 2,455-60 next week.

Of course this is all in the wake of the market holding 2,350 area congestion last week. It held the 2,347.50 fine line level in that area, which was the April 21st weekly Close prior to the gap up in the wake of the positive round one result of the French election. And that it held in overnight trading right before last Thursday's opening was impressive at the bottom of such a sharp selloff.

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