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April 07, 2005

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

April 6, 2005
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| DELAWARE | 1-10962 | 95-3797580 |
| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |

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| 2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD, CARLSBAD, CALIFORNIA | 92008-7328 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) |

(760) 931-1771

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.*

On April 6, 2005, Callaway Golf Company issued a press release captioned "Callaway Golf Announces Preliminary First Quarter Net Sales and Earnings." A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by this reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.*

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated April 6, 2005, captioned "Callaway Golf Announces Preliminary First Quarter Net Sales and Earnings."

* The information furnished under Item 2.02 and Item 9.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any registration statement or other filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY

Date: April 6, 2005

By: /s/ Bradley J. Holiday

Name: Bradley J. Holiday
Title: Senior Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index

| Exhibit Number ----- | Description ----- |
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