

SHOE CARNIVAL INC
Form 8-K
May 18, 2006

**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**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) May 18, 2006

SHOE CARNIVAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana

0-21360

35-1736614

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

8233 Baumgart Road, Evansville, IN

47725

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (812) 867-6471

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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Section 2 Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 18, 2006, Shoe Carnival, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its operating and financial results for its first quarter ended April 29, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits:

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Exhibits</u> |
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| 99.1 | Earnings Release Quarter Ended April 29, 2006. |

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.

SHOE CARNIVAL, INC.
(Registrant)

Dated: May 18, 2006

By: **/s/ W. Kerry Jackson**

W. Kerry Jackson
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer