BUILD A BEAR WORKSHOP INC

Form SC 13G January 08, 2007

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

BUILD-A-BEAR WORKSHOP, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

120076104
----(CUSIP Number)

January 4, 2007
-----(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

[] Rule 13d-1(b)
[X] Rule 13d-1(c)
[] Rule 13d-1(d)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON				
	S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]				
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	Delaware				
		SOLE VOTING POWER			
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		0			
		SHARED VOTING POWER			
		1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
		7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
		0			
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
		1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
9	AGGREGATE AMOU	T BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EA	CH REPORTING PERSON		
	1,035,486 (see	Item 4)			
10	CHECK BOX IF T	HE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW	(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES		
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11			ROW (9)		
	5.0% (see Item				
12	TYPE OF REPORT	ING PERSON*			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON					
	S.A.C. Capita	al M	anagement, LLC			
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]					
3	SEC USE ONLY					
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION					
	Delaware					
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER			
			0			
		6	SHARED VOTING POWER			
NUMBER OF BENEFICIAL	LY OWNED		1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
BY EACH RE PERSON WIT	-	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			0			
	- -	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
9	AGGREGATE AMO	OUNT	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EAC	H REPORTING	PERSON	
	1,035,486 (se	ee I	tem 4)			
10	CHECK BOX IF	THE	AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW	9) EXCLUDES	CERTAIN SHARES	
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11	PERCENT OF C	 LASS	REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN	ROW (9)		
	5.0% (see Ite	em 4)			
12	TYPE OF REPOR	 RTIN	G PERSON*			
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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

	I.R.S. IDEN	CIFICATION NO	O. OF ABOVE PER	RSON	
	S.A.C. Capit	al Associate	es, LLC		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]				
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLACE OF	ORGANIZATION		
	Anguilla, B	ritish West 1	Indies		
		5 SOLE V	OTING POWER		
		0			
		6 SHARED	VOTING POWER		
NUMBER OF BENEFICIAL	LY OWNED	1,035,	,486 (see Item	4)	
BY EACH REPO PERSON WITH		7 SOLE D	ISPOSITIVE POW		
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		8 SHARED	DISPOSITIVE PO)WER	
		1,035,4	486 (see Item 4	1)	
9	AGGREGATE AN	4OUNT BENEFIC	CIALLY OWNED BY	EACH REPORTIN	NG PERSON
	1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
10	CHECK BOX II	THE AGGREGA	ATE AMOUNT IN H	ROW (9) EXCLUDE	ES CERTAIN SHARES
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11	PERCENT OF (CLASS REPRESI	ENTED BY AMOUN	 Г IN ROW (9)	
	5.0% (see It	iem 4)			
12	TYPE OF REPO	ORTING PERSON	n*		
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1	NAME OF REPO				

	Steven A. Cohen				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]				
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	United States				
		5 SOLE VOTING POWER			
		0			
NUMBER OF	CHADEC	6 SHARED VOTING POWER			
BENEFICIAL BY EACH RE	LY OWNED	1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
PERSON WIT		7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
	_	0			
		8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
		1,035,486 (see Item 4)			
9	AGGREGATE AM	DUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	1,035,486 (s	ee Item 4)			
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES				
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11	PERCENT OF C	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)			
	5.0% (see Item 4)				
12	TYPE OF REPO	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*			
	IN				
		*SEE INSTRUCTION BEFORE FILLING OUT			
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Item 1(a)	tem 1(a) Name of Issuer:				
	Bui	ld-A-Bear Workshop, Inc.			
Item 1(b)	Add	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:			
		4 Innerbelt Business Center Drive Louis, Missouri 63114			
Items 2(a)	Name of Person Filing:				

This statement is filed by: (i) S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC, ("SAC Capital Advisors") with respect to shares of common stock ("Shares") of the Issuer beneficially owned by S.A.C. Capital Associates, LLC ("SAC Capital Associates"); (ii) S.A.C. Capital Management, LLC, ("SAC Capital Management") with respect to Shares beneficially owned by SAC Capital Associates; (iii) SAC Capital Associates with respect to Shares beneficially owned by it; and (iv) Steven A. Cohen with respect to Shares beneficially owned by SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, and SAC Capital Associates.

SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, SAC Capital Associates and Steven A. Cohen have entered into a Joint Filing Agreement, a copy of which is filed with this Schedule 13G as Exhibit 99.1, pursuant to which they have agreed to file this Schedule 13G jointly in accordance with the provisions of Rule 13d-1(k) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

The address of the principal business office of (i) SAC Capital Advisors, and Mr. Cohen is 72 Cummings Point Road, Stamford, Connecticut 06902, (ii) SAC Capital Associates is P.O. Box 58, Victoria House, The Valley, Anguilla, British West Indies and (iii) SAC Capital Management is 540 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10022.

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

SAC Capital Advisors and SAC Capital Management are Delaware limited liability companies. SAC Capital Associates is an Anguillan limited liability company. Mr. Cohen is a United States citizen.

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

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Item 3 Not Applicable

The percentages used herein are calculated based upon the Shares issued and outstanding as of November 8, 2006 as reported on the Issuer's quarterly report on Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by the Issuer

for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2006.

As of the close of business on January 4, 2007:

- 1. S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,035,486
- (b) Percent of class: 5.0%
- (c) (i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,035,486
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,035,486
- 2. S.A.C. Capital Management, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,035,486
- (b) Percent of class: 5.0%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,035,486
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,035,486
- 3. S.A.C. Capital Associates, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,035,486
- (b) Percent of class: 5.0%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,035,486
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,035,486
- 4. Steven A. Cohen
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,035,486
- (b) Percent of class: 5.0%

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- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,035,486
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,035,486

SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management and Mr. Cohen own directly no Shares. Pursuant to investment agreements, each of SAC Capital Advisors and SAC Capital Management share all investment and voting power with respect to the securities held by SAC Capital Associates. Mr. Cohen controls each of SAC Capital Advisors and SAC Capital Management. By reason of the provisions of Rule 13d-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each of SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management and Mr. Cohen may be deemed to own beneficially 1,035,486 Shares (constituting approximately 5.0% of the Shares outstanding). Each of SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management and Mr. Cohen disclaim beneficial ownership of any of the securities covered by this statement.

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following.

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another

Person:

Not Applicable

Item 7 Identification and Classification of the

Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being
Reported on By the Parent Holding Company:

Not Applicable

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members

of the Group:

Not Applicable

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable

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Item 10 Certification:

By signing below the signatory certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, ${\tt I}$ certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: January 8, 2007

S.A.C. CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

S.A.C. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

S.A.C. CAPITAL ASSOCIATES, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

STEVEN A. COHEN

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

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