

SONIC CORP
Form 8-K
August 25, 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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 25, 2005

SONIC CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	0-18859 (Commission File Number)	73-1371046 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
300 Johnny Bench Drive Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		73104 (Zip Code)

(405) 225-5000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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):

[Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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[Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act

] (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

] (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 25, 2005, Sonic Corp. (the "Registrant") issued a press release announcing the trends of the Registrant's business in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005 and the Registrant's outlook for fiscal year 2006, as well as an agreement with a franchisee for the acquisition of 15 drive-in restaurants expected to close September 1, 2005. The information in the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99 is furnished pursuant to this Item 8.01.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99 Press Release, dated August 25, 2005

SIGNATURE

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.

REGISTRANT:

SONIC CORP.

Date: August 25, 2005

By: /s/ Stephen C. Vaughan
Stephen C. Vaughan,
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99	Press Release, dated August 25, 2005