

BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES  
Form 8-K  
July 25, 2008  
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):** July 25, 2008  
**Commission File No. 841105-D**

**BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Maine** **01-0393663**  
(State or other jurisdiction of (IRS Employer  
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

**PO Box 400**

**82 Main Street, Bar**  
**Harbor, ME** **04609-0400**

(Address of principal  
executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(207) 288-3314**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Inapplicable**  
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))



**ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION**

On July 25, 2008 Bar Harbor Bankshares issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2008. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d) Exhibits No. Description

99.1 Copy of Company's press release dated July 25, 2008 is furnished herewith.

**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.

Dated: July 25, 2008

BAR HARBOR  
BANKSHARES

Joseph M. Murphy  
President and Chief  
Executive Officer