SHOE CARNIVAL INC Form 8-K March 16, 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) March 16, 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 telep	hone number, including area code (812) 867-6471			
		Not Applicable			
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	e or former address if changed since last report) is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation elow):	of the registrant under any of		
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 ur	nder the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)			
o	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)				

- 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))

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#### **Section 2--Financial Information**

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 16, 2006, Shoe Carnival, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing its operating and financial results for its fiscal year and fourth quarter ended January 28, 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:

Exhibit No.	Exhibits	
99.1	Earnings Release	Fiscal year and Quarter Ended January 28, 2006.

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## **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: March 16, 2006 By: /s/ W. Kerry Jackson

W. Kerry Jackson

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer