

MALVERN BANCORP, INC.  
Form 8-K  
October 31, 2017

**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) October 24, 2017

Malvern Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	000-54835 (Commission File Number)	45-5307782 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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42 E. Lancaster Avenue, Paoli, Pennsylvania (Address of principal executive offices)	19301 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (610) 644-9400

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):

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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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**Other Events.**

On October 24, 2017, Malvern Federal Savings Bank (the “Bank”), the wholly-owned subsidiary of Malvern Bancorp, Inc. (the “Company”), filed an application with the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency to convert from a federal savings bank to a national bank. In connection with the charter conversion of the Bank, on October 26, 2017, the Company filed an application with the Federal Reserve Board to convert to a bank holding company from a savings and loan holding company.

The conversions remain subject to the receipt of all required regulatory approvals. The Company and the Bank filed the conversion applications in order to better match the Bank’s regulatory charter to its current and planned business activity.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

MALVERN BANCORP,  
INC.

Date: October 31, 2017 By: /s/ Joseph D. Gangemi  
Joseph D. Gangemi  
Senior Vice President  
and Chief  
Financial Officer