

SONIC CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 06, 2004

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**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):** January 5, 2004

**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)

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**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits.

99 Press Release, dated January 5, 2004, announcing results of first fiscal quarter of 2004.

**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On January 5, 2005, Sonic Corp. (the Registrant) issued a press release announcing results for its first fiscal quarter of 2004. The information in the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99 is furnished pursuant to this Item 12.

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**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: January 5, 2004

By: /s/ W. SCOTT MCLAIN

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W. Scott McLain,  
Senior Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit No.	Description
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