CARROLS CORP Form 8-K April 23, 2009

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) April 22, 2009

Carrols Restaurant Group, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-33174 (Commission File Number) 16-1287774 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

968 James Street, Syracuse, New York
(Address of principal executive offices)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code (315) 424-0513

13203 (Zip Code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Carrols Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-06553 16-0958146
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (LR.S. Employer of incorporation)

968 James Street, Syracuse, New York 13203
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (315) 424-0513

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On April 22, 2009, Carrols Restaurant Group, Inc., the parent company of Carrols Corporation, issued a press release announcing its preliminary financial results for its first fiscal quarter ended March 29, 2009. The entire text of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Carrols Restaurant Group, Inc. and Carrols Corporation Press Release, dated April 22, 2009.

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.

CARROLS RESTAURANT GROUP, INC.

Date: April 22, 2009 By: /s/ Paul R. Flanders

Name: Paul R. Flanders

Γitle: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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.

CARROLS CORPORATION

Date: April 22, 2009 By: /s/ Paul R. Flanders

Name: Paul R. Flanders

Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer