
**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): June 2, 2010

NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | 1-2960 (Commission File Number) | 72-1123385 (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 2700 Research Forest Drive, Suite 100 The Woodlands, TX (Address of Principal Executive Offices) | | 77381 (Zip Code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(281) 362-6800**

(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:

- 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))
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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On June 2, 2010 Newpark Resources, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing that Paul Howes, President and Chief Executive Officer, will present at the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Smid Cap Conference to be held on June 8 — 9, 2010 at the InterContinental Hotel in Boston. The press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information referenced under Item 7.01 (including Exhibit 99.1 referenced in Item 9.01 below) of this Current Report on Form 8-K is being “furnished” under “Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure” and, as such, shall not be deemed to be “filed” for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information set forth in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1 referenced in Item 9.01 below) shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement, report or other document filed by Newpark pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing. Newpark does not undertake to update the information as posted on its website; however, it may post additional information included in future press releases and Forms 8-K, as well as posting its periodic Exchange Act reports.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press release issued by Newpark Resources, Inc. on June 2, 2010.

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.

NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC.

Dated: June 4, 2010

By: /s/ James E. Braun
James E. Braun, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer)

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

Description

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Press release issued by Newpark Resources, Inc. on June 2, 2010.



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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NEWPARK RESOURCES TO PRESENT AT THE BANK OF AMERICA MERRILL LYNCH SMID CAP CONFERENCE

THE WOODLANDS, TX -- June 2, 2010 -- Newpark Resources, Inc. (NYSE: NR) announced today that Paul Howes, President and Chief Executive Officer, will present at the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Smid Cap Conference to be held on June 8 - 9, 2010 at the InterContinental Hotel in Boston.

Newpark's presentation will take place on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at 8:50 a.m. Eastern Time (7:50 a.m. Central Time) and will be broadcast live over the Internet. The live audio webcast will be available on the Company's website at www.newpark.com. A replay of this webcast will be available on Newpark's website shortly after the presentation is concluded and will be archived for replay on the website through Friday, June 25, 2010. The presentation slides will be available on the Company's website.

Newpark Resources, Inc. is a worldwide provider of drilling fluids, temporary worksites and access roads for oilfield and other commercial markets, and environmental waste treatment solutions. For more information, visit our website at www.newpark.com.

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