NEWPARK RESOURCES INC Form 8-K February 15, 2013

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): February 14, 2013

NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-2960	72-1123385
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(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 nam	ne or former address, if changed since	last report.)
Check the appropriate box below if th obligation of the registrant under any of t	-	multaneously satisfy the filing
Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)		
I_I Pre-commencement communications	pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the E	xchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
_ Pre-commencement communications	pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the E	xchange Act (17 CFR 240.13a-4(c))

Item 2.02.

Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 14, 2013, Newpark Resources, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing financial information for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2012. 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 in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K and the information in the exhibit attached hereto announcing the Company's earnings for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2012 shall not be deemed "filed" for 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, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Newpark Resources, Inc. on February 14, 2013.

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: February 15, 2013 By: /s/ Gregg S. Piontek

Gregg S. Piontek, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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