## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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 6, 2005

**WD-40 COMPANY** 

 $(Exact\ Name\ of\ Registrant\ as\ specified\ in\ its\ charter)$ 

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

0-6936-3 (Commission File Number) 95-1797918 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

**Identification Number**)

1061 Cudahy Place, San Diego, California 92110

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(Address of principal executive offices, with zip code)

(619) 275-1400

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

n/a

(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))

#### ITEM 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On January 6, 2005, the WD-40 Company ( the Company ) issued a news release with respect to earnings for the quarter ended November 30, 2004. The Company is furnishing this 8-K pursuant to Item 12, Results of Operations and Financial Condition .

#### ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 News Release by the WD-40 Company dated January 6, 2005.

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#### **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.

WD-40 Company (Registrant)

Date: January 6, 2005 /s/ MICHAEL J. IRWIN

Michael J. Irwin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)