

DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC  
Form 8-K  
February 14, 2012

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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): 02/13/2012**

**Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 001-31463**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**16-1241537**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**345 Court Street**  
Coraopolis, PA 15108  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**724-273-3400**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - 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 8.01. Other Events**

On February 13, 2012, the Board of Directors of Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. authorized and declared its first quarter dividend in the amount of \$0.125 per share on the Company's Common Stock and Class B Common Stock. The dividend is payable in cash on March 30, 2012 to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 2, 2012.

A copy of the press release announcing the cash dividend is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are being filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K:

| Exhibit No. | Description  |
|-------------|--|
| 99.1        | Press Release dated February 14, 2012 by Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. |

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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.

Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.

Date: February 14, 2012

By: /s/ Timothy E. Kullman

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Timothy E. Kullman  
EVP - Finance, Administration and Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b> | <b><u>Description</u></b>             |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| EX-99.1                   | Press Release dated February 14, 2012 |