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NATHANS FAMOUS INC Form 8-K November 13, 2008

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): November 13, 2008

NATHAN'S FAMOUS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 1-3189 11-3166443 (State of (Commission (I.R.S. Incorporation) File Number) Employer Identification

No.)

1400 Old Country Road, Westbury, 11590

New York

(Address of Principal Executive (Zip Code)

Offices)

Registrant's telephone number (516) 338-8500

including area code

<u>N/A</u>

(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):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-14(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 13, 2008, the Registrant issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors authorized the purchase of up to 500,000 shares of its common stock on behalf of the Company.

A copy of the press release is attached as exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed herewith:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1. Press release dated November 13, 2008

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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, thereunder duly authorized.

NATHAN'S FAMOUS, INC.

By: /s/ Ronald DeVos

Ronald DeVos
Vice-President Finance
and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Dated: November 13, 2008