

KNOT Offshore Partners LP  
Form 6-K  
May 31, 2013

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**  
**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16**  
**UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of May, 2013**

**Commission File Number 001-35866**

**KNOT Offshore Partners LP**

**(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)**

**2 Queen s Cross,**

**Aberdeen,**

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**Aberdeenshire AB15 4YB,**

**United Kingdom**

**(Address of principal executive office)**

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**INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the Notice of Annual Meeting of Limited Partners and Proxy Statement of KNOT Offshore Partners LP dated May 31, 2013 for the 2013 Annual Meeting of Limited Partners to be held on June 25, 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, thereunto duly authorized.

**KNOT OFFSHORE PARTNERS LP**

Date: May 31, 2013

By: /s/ ARILD VIK

Name: Arild Vik

Title: Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer