

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) November 2, 2006

NORDSTROM, INC.
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

WASHINGTON	001-15059	91-0515058
(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION)	(COMMISSION FILE NUMBER)	(I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)

1617 SIXTH AVENUE, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	98101
(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)	(ZIP CODE)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE (206) 628-2111

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

ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On November 2, 2006, Nordstrom, Inc. issued a press release announcing its preliminary October 2006 sales. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

NORDSTROM, INC.

By: /s/ Michael G. Koppel

Michael G. Koppel
Chief Financial Officer and
Executive Vice President

Dated: November 2, 2006

EXHIBIT INDEX

EXHIBIT
NUMBER

DESCRIPTION

99.1 Nordstrom October 2006 Preliminary Sales Release, dated
November 2, 2006.

For Immediate Release

November 2, 2006

NORDSTROM SAME-STORE SALES FOR OCTOBER INCREASE 10.7 PERCENT

SEATTLE - November 2, 2006 - Nordstrom, Inc. (NYSE: JWN) today reported preliminary sales of \$622.4 million for the four-week period ending October 28, 2006, an increase of 11.9 percent compared to sales of \$556.3 million for the four-week period ending October 29, 2005. Same-store sales increased 10.7 percent.

Preliminary third quarter sales of \$1.87 billion increased 12.4 percent compared to sales of \$1.67 billion in 2005. Third quarter same-store sales increased 10.7 percent.

Preliminary year-to-date sales of \$5.93 billion increased 9.3 percent compared to sales of \$5.43 billion in 2005. Year-to-date same-store sales increased 7.2 percent.

SALES RECORDING

To hear Nordstrom's prerecorded October sales message, please dial (402) 220-6036. This recording will be available for one week.

SALES

SUMMARY

Total Sales

Same-store

Sales -----

(unaudited;

\$ in

millions)

Fiscal

Fiscal

Percent

Total Full-

line Rack

2006 2005

Increase

Retail

Stores

Stores -----

---- October

\$622.4

\$556.3 11.9%

10.7% 9.3%

9.2% Third

Quarter

\$1,871.9

\$1,666.1

12.4% 10.7%

8.9% 11.6%

Year to date

\$5,929.6

\$5,427.0

9.3% 7.2%

5.7% 11.3%

Number of

stores Full-

line 99 97

Rack and

other 57 57

International

Faconnable

boutiques 35

32

Total 191

186 Gross

square

footage

20,278,000

19,858,000

EXPANSION UPDATE

Nordstrom opened its newly relocated store at Westfield Topanga Mall in Canoga Park, Calif., on October 6, 2006. The 213,000 square foot, three-level

store features the company's most comprehensive designer offering in the country along with brand new design concepts, amenities and services.

Nordstrom will open a new 35,000 square foot Nordstrom Rack store at Grand Plaza in San Marcos, Calif., on November 16, 2006.

FUTURE REPORTING DATES

Nordstrom's financial release calendar for the next several months is currently planned as follows:

Third Quarter Earnings	Mon., Nov. 20, 2006
November Sales Release	Thurs., Nov. 30, 2006
December Sales Release	Thurs., Jan. 4, 2007
January Sales Release	Thurs., Feb. 8, 2007

Nordstrom, Inc. is one of the nation's leading fashion specialty retailers, with 156 US stores located in 27 states. Founded in 1901 as a shoe store in Seattle, today Nordstrom operates 99 full-line stores, 49 Nordstrom Racks, five Faconnable boutiques in the United States, one free-standing shoe store, and two clearance stores. Nordstrom also operates 35 Faconnable boutiques in Europe. In addition, Nordstrom serves customers through its online presence at <http://www.nordstrom.com> and through its catalogs. Nordstrom, Inc. is publicly traded on the NYSE under the symbol JWN.

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