

BRIGGS & STRATTON CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 19, 2011

**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): May 16, 2011

**BRIGGS & STRATTON CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-1370  
(Commission  
File Number)

39-0182330  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**12301 West Wirth Street, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (414) 259-5333**

**53222**  
(Zip Code)

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)
- 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))

**ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS**

On May 18, 2011, Briggs & Stratton Corporation issued a press release announcing that an executive officer has adopted a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated May 18, 2011

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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.

BRIGGS & STRATTON CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: May 19, 2011

By: /s/ David J. Rodgers  
David J. Rodgers  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer  
Duly Authorized Officer

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