

BLUE NILE INC  
Form 8-K  
August 01, 2006

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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  
August 1, 2006  
DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)  
BLUE NILE, INC.  
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)**

DELAWARE

000-50763

91-1963165

(STATE OR OTHER  
JURISDICTION  
OF INCORPORATION)

(COMMISSION FILE  
NUMBER)

(I.R.S. EMPLOYER  
IDENTIFICATION NO.)

705 FIFTH AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 900, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, 98104  
(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES, INCLUDING ZIP CODE)  
(206) 336-6700

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE  
N/A

(FORMER NAME OR FORMER ADDRESS IF CHANGED SINCE LAST REPORT)

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**ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION**

On August 1, 2006, Blue Nile, Inc. issued a press release announcing financial results for the second quarter ended July 2, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference. The press release should be read in conjunction with the note regarding forward-looking statements, which is included in the text of the press release.

The information in this Form 8-K and the exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(c) Exhibits.

**EXHIBIT**

**NUMBER DESCRIPTION**

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| 99.1 | Press release, dated August 1, 2006, issued by Blue Nile, Inc. |
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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 hereunto duly authorized.

BLUE NILE, INC.

By: /s/ Diane M. Irvine

Diane M. Irvine  
Chief Financial Officer  
(Principal Accounting and  
Financial Officer)

Dated: August 1, 2006