

CHAMPION ENTERPRISES INC

Form 8-K

October 22, 2004

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**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): October 21, 2004

**CHAMPION ENTERPRISES, INC.**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan

1-9751

38-2743168

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

2701 Cambridge Court, Suite 300  
Auburn Hills, Michigan 48326

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(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (248) 340-9090

N/A

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(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - 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))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On October 21, 2004, Champion Enterprises, Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the third quarter ended October 2, 2004. The text of the press release has been modified from the full text as issued to comply with certain Securities and Exchange Commission rules. The press release, as modified, is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibits.

Exhibit  
Number

99.1      Press Release dated October 21, 2004

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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.

CHAMPION ENTERPRISES, INC.

/s/ Phyllis A. Knight  
Phyllis A. Knight,  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 21, 2004

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated October 21, 2004