

SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC

Form 8-K

July 28, 2004

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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**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 28, 2004

**SAGA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-11588  
(Commission File Number)

38-3042953  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

73 Kercheval Avenue, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (313) 886-7070

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**Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On July 28, 2004, Saga Communications, Inc. issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2004, which also contained projections for fiscal year 2004. The press release, dated July 28, 2004, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Certain statements made in the press release that are not historical facts, including those regarding the Company's future plans, objectives and expected performance, are forward-looking statements within the meaning of the federal securities laws. These forward-looking statements represent our outlook only as of the date of the press release. While we believe any forward-looking statements we have made are reasonable, actual results could differ materially since the statements were based on our current expectations and are subject to risks and uncertainties. These risks and uncertainties are discussed in the Company's reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. You should refer to and consider these factors when relying on such forward-looking information. The Company does not undertake, and expressly disclaims any obligation, to update or alter its forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On July 28, 2004, Saga Communications, Inc. issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2004. The press release, dated July 28, 2004, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**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.

**SAGA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

Date: July 28, 2004

By: /s/ SAMUEL D. BUSH  
Samuel D. Bush  
Senior Vice President,  
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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**Description**

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