CENTRAL GARDEN & PET CO
Form 8-K
November 18, 2010

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 18, 2010

Central Garden & Pet Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	**001-33268**	**68-0275553**
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	**(Commission File Number)**	**(IRS Employer Identification No.)**

1340 Treat Boulevard, Suite 600, Walnut Creek, California **94597**
(Address of principal executive offices) **(Zip Code)**
Registrant s telephone number, including area code (925) 948-4000

(Former name or former address if changed since last report)

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 18, 2010, Central Garden & Pet Company issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended September 25, 2010. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated November 18, 2010.

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.

CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY

By: /s/ Stuart W. Booth
Stuart W. Booth
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: November 18, 2010