UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): August 21, 2020 (August 21, 2020)

CRACKER BARREL OLD COUNTRY STORE, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Tennessee (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-25225

(Commission File Number)

62-0812904 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

305 Hartmann Drive, Lebanon, Tennessee 37087 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip code)

(615) 444-5533

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(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)
\boxtimes	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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each classCommon Stock (Par Value \$0.01)
Rights to Purchase Series A Junior
Participating Preferred Stock (Par
Value \$0.01)

Trading Symbol(s)
CBRL

Name of each exchange on which registered The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC (Nasdaq Global Select Market)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company \square

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On August 21, 2020, Cracker Barrel Old Country Store, Inc. (the "Company") issued a statement confirming that affiliates of Biglari Capital Corp. ("Biglari Capital") have notified the Company of their intention to nominate Raymond P. Barbrick to stand for election to the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") at the Company's 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

A copy of the Company's statement acknowledging Biglari Capital's intention to nominate a director is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Statement issued by Cracker Barrel Old Country Store, Inc. dated August 21, 2020
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

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.

Date: August 21, 2020 CRACKER BARREL OLD COUNTRY STORE, INC.

By: /s/ Richard M. Wolfson

Name: Richard M. Wolfson

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Cracker Barrel Confirms Receipt of Director Nomination

No Shareholder Action Required at this Time

LEBANON, Tenn. – August 21, 2020 – Cracker Barrel Old Country Store, Inc. ("Cracker Barrel" or the "Company") (Nasdaq: CBRL) today confirmed that affiliates of Biglari Capital Corp. have notified the Company of their intention to nominate Raymond P. Barbrick to stand for election to the Board of Directors of Cracker Barrel (the "Board") at the Company's 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

The Board's Nominating & Corporate Governance Committee will evaluate Mr. Barbrick's candidacy and make a recommendation to shareholders in due course. Cracker Barrel shareholders need not take any action at this time.

Important Additional Information and Where to Find It

Cracker Barrel intends to file a preliminary and definitive proxy statement (the "Proxy Statement") and accompanying WHITE proxy card in connection with the solicitation of proxies for the 2020 annual meeting of Cracker Barrel shareholders (the "Annual Meeting"). INVESTORS AND SHAREHOLDERS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT AND ACCOMPANYING WHITE PROXY CARD AND OTHER DOCUMENTS FILED WITH THE U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION (THE "SEC") CAREFULLY AND IN THEIR ENTIRETY WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE AS THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION. Shareholders may obtain the Proxy Statement, any amendments or supplements to the Proxy Statement and other documents filed by Cracker Barrel with the SEC for no charge at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Copies will also be available at no charge in the Investors section of Cracker Barrel's corporate website at www.crackerbarrel.com.

Participants in the Solicitation

Cracker Barrel, its directors and certain of its executive officers may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from Cracker Barrel shareholders in connection with the matters to be considered at the Annual Meeting. Information regarding the names of Cracker Barrel's directors and executive officers and certain other individuals and their respective interests in Cracker Barrel by security holdings or otherwise is set forth in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cracker Barrel for the fiscal year ended August 2, 2019, and Cracker Barrel's definitive proxy statement for the 2019 annual meeting of Cracker Barrel shareholders, filed with the SEC on October 11, 2019. To the extent holdings of such participants in Cracker Barrel's securities have changed since the amounts described in the proxy statement for the 2019 annual meeting of Cracker Barrel shareholders, such changes have been reflected on Initial Statements of Beneficial Ownership on Form 3 or Statements of Change in Ownership on Form 4 filed with the SEC. Details regarding the nominees of Cracker Barrel's Board of Directors for election at the Annual Meeting will be included in the definitive proxy statement, when available.

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