

ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS INC  
Form 8-K  
July 21, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 21, 2004**

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**ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
  
of incorporation)

**0-50534**  
(Commission File Number)

**77-0485570**  
(IRS Employer  
  
Identification No.)

**529 Almanor Avenue, Sunnyvale, California 94085**

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (408) 773-5200**

**Not Applicable**

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

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

The information in this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

On July 21, 2004, the Registrant issued a press release regarding its financial results for its fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2004. The full text of the Registrant's press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated July 21, 2004.

**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.

Dated: July 21, 2004

**ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

By:     /s/ Jack R. Lazar    

Name: Jack R. Lazar

Title: Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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