

BALLY TOTAL FITNESS HOLDING CORP
Form 8-K
May 20, 2005

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) **May 19, 2005**

BALLY TOTAL FITNESS HOLDING CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Delaware</u>	<u>0-27478</u>	<u>36-3228107</u>
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
<u>8700 West Bryn Mawr Avenue, Chicago, Illinois</u>	<u>60631</u>	
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)	

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (773) 380-3000

N/A

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

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On May 20, 2005, Bally Total Fitness Holding Corporation announced the resignation of David C. Wilhelm from its Board of Directors. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

c. Exhibits

- 99.1 Press release dated May 20, 2005, announcing the resignation of David C. Wilhelm from the Board of Directors of Bally Total Fitness Holding Corporation.

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.

BALLY TOTAL FITNESS HOLDING CORPORATION

Registrant

Dated: May 20, 2005

/s/ Marc D. Bassewitz

Marc D. Bassewitz
Senior Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel