

Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 14, 2012

**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**

**February 14, 2012**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

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**Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**001-35371**  
(Commission  
File No.)

**61-1630631**  
(I.R.S. employer  
identification number)

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**410 17th Street, Suite 1500**

**Denver, Colorado 80202**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(720) 440-6100**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On February 14, 2012, Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc. issued a press release announcing its proved reserves for the year ended December 31, 2011 and providing an operations update. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued February 14, 2012 announcing proved reserves for the year ended December 31, 2011 and giving an operations update.

**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.

**Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.**

Date: February 14, 2012

By:

*/s/ Michael R. Starzer*

Name: Michael R. Starzer

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

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