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 7, 2013

Evolution Petroleum Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-32942

(Commission File Number)

Nevada (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

41-1781991

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2500 City West Blvd., Suite 1300, Houston, Texas 77042

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(713) 935-0122

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 7, 2013, Evolution Petroleum Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release reporting on financial and operating results for the Third Quarter of Fiscal 2013. A copy of the press release, dated May 7, 2013, is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

This information is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, unless specifically incorporated by reference in a document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act. By filing this report on Form 8-K and furnishing this information, the Company makes no admission as to the materiality of any information in this report that is required to be disclosed solely by Item 2.02.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

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.

Evolution Petroleum Corporation

(Registrant)

Dated: May 7, 2013 By: /s/Sterling H. McDonald

Name: Sterling H. McDonald

Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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Exhibit 99.1 Evolution Petroleum Corporation Press Release, dated May 7, 2013.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Evolution Petroleum Posts Record Results for the Third Quarter of Fiscal 2013

Compared to our Second Fiscal Quarter Record Results:

- · Earnings per share climbed 24%
- · Revenues 6% higher
- · Delhi daily sales volumes up 11%

Houston, TX, May 7, 2013 — Evolution Petroleum Corporation (NYSE MKT: EPM) today reported operating highlights for the quarter ended March 31, 2013, its third quarter of fiscal 2013 ("Q3-13").

Highlights include:

- · Earned \$2.2 million, or \$0.07 per diluted share, a 24% sequential increase
- Total daily sales volumes declined 10% sequentially to 626 net barrels of oil equivalent ("BOE") due to Giddings asset sales during the prior quarter
- Delhi daily volumes increased 11% over prior quarter to 566 net gross barrels of oil ("BO") (7,645 gross BO per day)
- · Reached agreement to install GARP® technology on a fourth joint venture well and acquired leases to install on fifth Company owned well

Robert Herlin, CEO, said: "We are pleased to report that Delhi production has continued to outperform expectations, and its contribution to revenue has more than offset the sale of our Giddings Field production. We also anticipate that our 24% back-in working interest in the Delhi Field should begin contributing to financial results early in our fiscal 2014 second quarter ending December 31, 2013. Our GARP® business continues to move forward and we acquired enough new leases to begin installation of the technology in a previously abandoned well to further demonstrate incremental hydrocarbon recoverability at a low cost and an increase in well life."

"Conversely, our first two Mississippian Lime wells that were completed in the prior quarter have not yet performed to expectations. Although we are dissatisfied with the results to date, we are still early in the process

of cracking the code for successful development of this potential growth asset and plan to drill a third evaluation well that will apply what we learned to date."

Quarterly Financial Results

The Company posted back-to-back records in recurring earnings per share, excluding the capital gain recorded in Fiscal 2006. Quarterly earnings to common shareholders increased 24% to \$2.2 million, or \$0.07 per diluted share, compared to \$1.8 million, or \$0.06 per diluted share in the prior quarter. Net income increased 71% over the year-ago quarter's \$1.3 million.

Revenues also reached an all-time high by increasing 6% to \$6.0 million, compared to last quarter's record \$5.6 million, and increasing 24% compared to the year-ago quarter's \$4.8 million. The increase over the prior quarter was primarily due to a higher rate of Delhi oil production at an oil price of \$111.41 per barrel, which was seven dollars higher than the previous quarter and more than offset the loss of Giddings production divested during the second fiscal quarter. The increase over the year-ago quarter was due primarily to higher Delhi oil production, partially offset by the loss of divested Giddings production.

Lease operating expense (LOE) results were mixed, increasing 25% to \$0.5 million compared to the prior quarter due primarily to the addition of wells in our Mississippian Lime project and well repairs in retained Giddings Field wells, certain Lopez Field wells and GARP® wells. Compared to the year ago quarter, however, LOE declined 21%. On a BOE basis, LOE during Q3-13 was \$9.32 per BOE compared to \$6.55 and \$11.76 in the sequential and year-ago quarters.

General and administrative expense decreased 2% from the prior quarter to \$1.8 million, which was an increase of 14% over the year-ago quarter. The increase over the prior year was primarily due to higher personnel costs, litigation and other legal expense and transaction costs related to divestments. Results for all periods included significant non-cash stock compensation expense, amounting to 22% of total general and administrative expense in the current quarter and 23% in the year-ago quarter.

Delhi Field, Louisiana

The Company again achieved record sales volumes at Delhi. Sales volumes averaged 566 net BO per day (7,645 gross BO per day) during the current quarter. Current quarter daily volumes were 11% higher than the prior quarter (9% higher in total volumes) and 40% higher than the year-ago quarter

(38% higher in total volumes). The increase was due to production response from the capital expenditures in the project during calendar 2012. Net sales volumes from Delhi for all periods were solely from our 7.4% royalty interest that bears no operating expense or capital expenditure obligation. We continued to realize a significant premium in oil price that averaged more than \$111 per barrel during the quarter, compared to the \$98 per barrel we averaged in our other fields.

Current field production is outperforming the production rate projected in our June 30, 2012 independent reserves report. We now expect that the reversion date of our 23.9% working interest will be

accelerated by one or two months, as compared to the projected reversion date in our 2012 reserves report. At reversion, our net revenue interest will more than triple from 7.4% to 26.5%, while our cost bearing working interest will increase from zero to 23.9%. The operator's calendar 2013 capital expenditures are focused on expanding the CO_2 flood within the previously developed western half of the field based on interpretation of 3D seismic data and field performance. The expansion of the CO_2 flood into the balance of the eastern half of the field is now projected to occur in 2014 and 2015, and we have sufficient working capital on hand to fund our expected share of 2014 capital expenditures in the field.

Mississippian Lime Project, Oklahoma

Our first two Mississippian Lime wells were completed and hydraulically fractured late in the prior quarter. Both wells initially produced saltwater at rates less than 3,000 barrels per day to begin reducing reservoir pressure and salt water content, a precursor to achieving projected oil and liquids-rich natural gas production. The high volumes of salt water are economically disposed into our joint venture's wholly owned disposal well. Subsequently, the operator installed higher capacity pumps to increase salt water production closer to 4,000 to 8,000 barrels per day rates that other operators in the area have identified as sometimes required. Reservoir pressure in each well has gradually declined and both wells are now producing modest amounts of oil and gas production. We have analyzed our wells in comparison to nearby wells drilled by other operators with good reported results to determine possible causes for our less than expected oil and gas rates and have determined that the laterals in our wells are located approximately 40'-50' lower in zone. Consequently, we have proposed to drill a third well higher in the reservoir to further test this project. Our independent reservoir engineer assigned 114 total gross drilling locations to our joint venture leasehold, and we expect to ramp up our development drilling activity in fiscal 2014 assuming that the third well test is successful. Subsequent to the end of the quarter, we elected to reduce our interest in the joint venture's remaining undeveloped leasehold from 45% to 34% by not paying the remaining balance of the initial purchase price. Those funds will instead be redeployed in the drilling the third evaluation well.

GARP® Technology Commercialization

We reached agreement to install our GARP® artificial lift technology in a third joint venture well with one partner in the Giddings Field, the Appelt #1G, and expect to complete the installation during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2013. We also acquired sufficient new leases to begin work on the installation of GARP® on a previously abandoned well in the Giddings Field, the Philip DL #1, in which we will own 100% of the working interest. The Select Lands #1 joint venture well, in which we successfully installed GARP® during Q2-13 and dramatically increased production, was adversely impacted by the hydraulic fracturing of an offset well, and we have temporarily shut in the well.

We are continuing the commercialization effort for GARP® and are in discussions with multiple parties to demonstrate or launch a broad program of GARP® installations.

Other Fields

We are continuing efforts to monetize the remaining nonGARP® properties in the Giddings Field, excluding our retained royalty interests, and reached a tentative agreement for their sale subsequent to the end of the quarter.

Our first two Mirando Sand oil wells in the Lopez Field in South Texas continue to produce at better than expected rates and a third lease oil well is producing small amounts of oil. Although the performance to date has confirmed the project potential and we have numerous additional drilling locations, the long lead time to achieve material economic results in an expansion of the project outside of the Lopez Field has led to a noncore designation and consideration for divestment.

Capital Expenditures and Liquidity

Capital expenditures during the quarter were minimal due to our deferral of drilling in the Mississippian Lime project. Capital expenditures through the rest of Fiscal 2013 are expected to be focused on the two pending GARP® installations and initial costs of drilling a third producer well in the Mississippian Lime project.

At March 31, 2013, we had cash and cash equivalents of \$22 million compared to \$18.0 million as of the end of the previous quarter and \$14 million as of June 30, 2012. Our current working capital of \$21 million is more than sufficient to meet our projected capital expenditures during the balance of Fiscal 2013, any likely expansions and projected capital expenditures through the balance of the calendar year. We continue to be debt free.

Conference Call

Evolution Petroleum will host a conference call on Wednesday, May 8th at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time (10:00 a.m. Central) to discuss results of the quarter. To access the call, please dial 1-800-860-2442, 1-412-858-4600 (International) or 1-866-605-3852 (Canada). The conference call will also be broadcast live via the Internet and can be accessed through Evolution's corporate website at www.evolutionpetroleum.com.

About Evolution Petroleum

Evolution Petroleum Corporation develops incremental petroleum reserves and shareholder value by applying conventional and specialized technology to known oil and gas resources, onshore in the United States. Principal assets as of June 30, 2012 include 13.4 MMBOE of proved reserves and 12.7 MMBOE of probable reserves and no debt, which do not include the effect of the Giddings Field divestments and interest reduction in the Mississippian

Lime project. Producing assets include a CO₂-EOR project with growing production in Louisiana's Delhi Field, and noncore producing properties and drilling locations in the Giddings Field of Central Texas and Lopez Field in South Texas. Other assets include a patented artificial lift technology designed to extend the life of horizontal wells with oil or associated water production. Additional information, including the Company's annual report on Form 10-K and its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, is available on its website at (www.evolutionpetroleum.com).

Cautionary Statement

All statements contained in this press release regarding potential results and future plans and objectives of the Company are forward-looking statements that involve various risks and uncertainties. There can be no assurance that such statements will prove to be accurate and actual results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in such statements. The Company undertakes no obligation to update or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from our expectations include, but are not limited to, those factors that are disclosed under the heading "Risk Factors" and elsewhere in our documents filed from time to time with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and other regulatory authorities. Statements regarding our ability to complete transactions, successfully apply technology applications in the re-development of oil and gas fields, realize future production volumes, realize success in our drilling and development activity and forecasts of legal claims, prices, future revenues and income and cash flows and other statements that are not historical facts contain predictions, estimates and other forward-looking statements. Although the Company believes that its expectations are based on reasonable assumptions, it can give no assurance that its goals will be achieved and these statements will prove to be accurate. Important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those included in the forward-looking statements.

- Financial Tables to Follow -

Evolution Petroleum Corporation and Subsidiaries Consolidated Condensed Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

	,	Onaudited)						
	Three Months Ended March 31,			Nine Months Ended March 31,			led	
		2013		2012		2013		2012
Revenues	ф	E 0.47.01E	ď	4 522 042	ф	15 221 026	ф	10 212 720
Crude oil	\$	5,947,015 27,067	\$	4,532,942 128,319	\$	15,331,836 233,234	\$	12,212,738 499,745
Natural gas liquids		36,485		128,319		385,101		499,745 667,609
Natural gas Total revenues		6,010,567		4,848,534		15,950,171		13,380,092
Total Teveliues		0,010,307		4,040,334	_	13,930,171		13,360,092
Operating Costs								
Lease operating expenses		525,425		662,461		1,260,922		1,277,848
Production taxes		13,895		15,165		56,131		47,925
Depreciation, depletion and amortization		281,306		316,665		928,342		834,351
Accretion of discount on asset retirement obligations		17,232		20,124		56,090		56,712
General and administrative expenses *		1,778,178		1,560,658		5,298,878		4,454,091
Total operating costs		2,616,036		2,575,073		7,600,363		6,670,927
Income from operations		3,394,531		2,273,461		8,349,808		6,709,165
Other		5 40 5		6 00 5		4.6.505		20.462
Interest income		5,495		6,205		16,725		20,163
Interest (expense)		(16,308)		(5,577)		(49,300)		(5,577)
		(10,813)		628		(32,575)		14,586
Net income before income taxes		3,383,718		2,274,089		8,317,233		6,723,751
Income tax provision		986,676		805,989		2,801,393		2,686,778
Net Income	\$	2,397,042	\$	1,468,100	\$	5,515,840	\$	4,036,973
Dividends on Preferred Stock		168,575		168,575		505,726		461,815
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	2,228,467	\$	1,299,525	\$	5,010,114	\$	3,575,158
Basic	\$	0.08	\$	0.05	\$	0.18	\$	0.13
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Diluted	\$	0.07	\$	0.04	\$	0.16	\$	0.11
Weighted average number of common shares								
Basic		28,201,106		27,816,963		28,069, 285		27,759,487
Diluted		32,090,152		31,785,184		31,911,808		31,558,152
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*General and administrative expenses for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 included non-cash stock-based compensation expense of \$392,433 and \$354,469, respectively. For the corresponding nine month periods, non-cash stock-based compensation expense was \$1,139,802 and \$1,126,034, respectively.

Evolution Petroleum Corporation and Subsidiaries Consolidated Condensed Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

		March 31, 2013	June 30, 2012		
Assets					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	21,694,734	\$	14,428,548	
Certificates of deposit		250,000		250,000	
Receivables					
Oil and natural gas sales		2,125,506		1,343,347	
Joint interest partner		10,529		96,151	
Income taxes		92,885		92,885	
Other		21,267		190	
Deferred tax asset		162,746		325,235	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		144,149		233,433	
Total current assets		24,501,816		16,769,789	
Total Current assets		24,501,010		10,703,703	
Property and equipment, net of depreciation, depletion, and amortization					
Oil and natural gas properties — full-cost method of accounting, of which \$5,349,286 and \$6,042,094 at		40 054 504		40.456.450	
March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, respectively, were excluded from amortization		40,251,521		40,476,172	
Other property and equipment		58,962		92,271	
Total property and equipment		40,310,483		40,568,443	
Advances to joint interest operating partner		_		1,366,921	
Other assets		261,695		250,333	
Total assets	\$	65,073,994	\$	58,955,486	
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Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity					
Current liabilities			_		
Accounts payable	\$	296,845	\$	407,570	
Due joint interest partner		1,317,559		3,217,975	
Accrued compensation		882,298		1,005,624	
Royalties payable		177,942		294,013	
Income taxes payable		426,693		91,967	
Other current liabilities		199,805		71,768	
Total current liabilities		3,301,142		5,088,917	
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Long term liabilities					
Deferred income taxes		8,069,553		6,205,093	
Asset retirement obligations		824,815		968,677	
Deferred rent		57,151		70.011	
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Total liabilities		12,252,661		12,332,698	
Commitments and contingencies (Note 11)					
Stockholders' equity					
Preferred stock, par value \$0.001; 5,000,000 shares authorized:8.5% Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock,					
1,000,000 shares authorized, 317,319 shares issued and outstanding at March 31, 2013, and June 30,					
2012 with a liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share		317		317	
Common stock; par value \$0.001; 100,000,000 shares authorized; issued 29,190,858 shares at March 31,					
2013, and 28,670,424 at June 30, 2012; outstanding 28,400,041 shares and 27,882,224 shares as of					
March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, respectively		29,190		28,670	
Additional paid-in capital		30,626,695		29,416,914	
Retained earnings		23,069,023		18,058,909	
T		53,725,225		47,504,810	
Treasury stock, at cost, 790,817 shares and 788,200 shares as of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012,					
respectively		(903,892)		(882,022	
Total stockholders' equity		52,821,333		46,622,788	
	\$	65,073,994	\$	58,955,486	
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	Τ	(),).()/.) 994		()().7.1.1.4()()	

Evolution Petroleum Corporation and Subsidiaries Consolidated Condensed Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

Nine Months Ended			ed
	2013	11 51,	2012
		_	
\$	5,515,840	\$	4,036,973
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			837,673
			1,126,034
			56,712
			(30,969
			1,978,496
	(12,860)		(11,115
	(702.150)		(522.077
			(523,077
			8,346
			78,110
			(81,423
			32,397
			(213,316
			34,102
	9,108,950		7,328,943
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			103,184
	(4,395,350)		(2690,604
	(20,002)		(47,475
_			(27,295
	(1,369,457)		(2,662,190
	_		6,930,535
	(505 726)		(461,815
			(401,013
			(159,494
	(4/3,30/)		6,309,226
	7,266,186		10,975,979
	14,428,548		4,247,438
\$	21,694,734	\$	15,223,417
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\$	304,874	\$	610,000
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Results of Operations — Quarter

	March 3			%
	2013	2013 2012		Change
Sales Volumes, net to the Company:				
Crude oil (Bbl)	53,699	40,576	13,123	32.3%
NGLs (Bbl)	857	3,044	(2,187)	(71.8)%

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Natural gas (Mcf)		10,743		76,244		(65,501)	(85.9)%
Crude oil, NGLs and natural gas (BOE)		56,347		56,327		20	0.0%
Revenue data:							
Crude oil	\$	5,947,015	\$	4,532,942	\$	1,414,073	31.2%
NGLs		27,067		128,319		(101,252)	(78.9)%
Natural gas		36,485		187,273		(150,788)	(80.5)%
Total revenues	\$	6,010,567	\$	4,848,534	\$	1,162,033	24.0%
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Average price:							
Crude oil (per Bbl)	\$	110.75	\$	111.71	\$	(0.96)	(0.9)%
NGLs (per Bbl)		31.58		42.15		(10.57)	(25.1)%
Natural gas (per Mcf)		3.40		2.46		0.94	38.2%
Crude oil, NGLs and natural gas (per BOE)	\$	106.67	\$	86.08	\$	20.59	23.9%
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Expenses (per BOE)							
Lease operating expenses	\$	9.32	\$	11.76	\$	(2.44)	(20.7)%
Production taxes	\$	0.25	\$	0.27	\$	(0.02)	(7.4)%
Depletion expense on oil and natural gas properties (a)	\$	4.81	\$	5.38	\$	(0.57)	(10.6)%

⁽a) Excludes depreciation of office equipment, furniture and fixtures, and other assets of \$10,305 and \$10,242, for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Results of Operations — YTD

	Nine Months Ended March 31,				%	
		2013		2012	Variance	Change
Sales Volumes, net to the Company:						
Crude oil (Bbl)		145,051		111,250	33,801	30.4%
NGLs (Bbl)		6,616		9,711	(3095)	(31.9)%
Natural gas (Mcf)		132,822		206,841	(74,019)	(35.8)%
Crude oil, NGLs and natural gas (BOE)		173,804		155,435	18,369	11.8%
Revenue data:						
Crude oil	\$	15,331,836	\$	12,212,738	\$ 3119098	25.5%
NGLs		233,234		499,745	(266,511)	(53.3)
Natural gas		385,101		667,609	(282,508)	(42.3)%
Total revenues	\$	15,950,171	\$	13,380,092	\$ 2,570,079	19.2%
Average price:						
Crude oil (per Bbl)	\$	105.70	\$	109.78	\$ (4.08)	(3.7)%
NGLs (per Bbl)		35.25		51.46	(16.21)	(31.5)%
Natural gas (per Mcf)		2.90		3.23	 (0.33)	(10.2)%
Crude oil, NGLs and natural gas (per BOE)	\$	91.77	\$	86.08	\$ 5.69	6.6%
Expenses (per BOE)						
Lease operating expenses	\$	7.25	\$	8.22	\$ (0.97)	(11.8)%
Production taxes	\$	0.32	\$	0.31	\$ 0.01	3.2%
Depletion expense on oil and natural gas properties (a)	\$	5.13	\$	5.17	\$ (0.04)	(0.8)%

⁽a) Excludes depreciation of office equipment, furniture and fixtures, and other assets of \$37,017 and \$26,794 for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.