FIRST COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC /NV/ Form 8-K October 30, 2008

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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 October 28, 2008

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) FIRST COMMUNITY BANCSHARES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-19297

(Commission File Number)

(State or other jurisdiction of	
incorporation)	

Nevada

P.O. Box 989 Bluefield, Virginia

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(276) 326-9000

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 29, 2008, First Community Bancshares, Inc. announced by press release its earnings for the third quarter of 2008. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information contained in this Report on Form 8-K is furnished pursuant to Item 12 and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 28, 2008, First Community Bancshares, Inc. announced its fourth quarter 2008 cash dividend of \$0.28 per share, payable on or about December 15, 2008, to shareholders of record on December 1, 2008.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) The following exhibit is included with this report:

Exhibit No. Exhibit Description

99.1 Press release dated October 29, 2008

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

FIRST COMMUNITY BANCSHARES, INC.

Date: October 30, 2008

By: /s/ David D. Brown David D. Brown Chief Financial Officer