NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC Form 8-K

November 14, 2012

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) November 14, 2012

NATIONAL BANKSHARES, INC. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

0-15204 (Commission File No.) 54-1375874 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

101 Hubbard Street Blacksburg, VA 24060 (Address of principal executive offices)

(540) 951-6300 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report) Not applicable

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):

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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 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On November 14, 2012, National Bankshares, Inc. issued a press release announcing payment of a semi-annual cash dividend of \$0.57 per share on December 3, 2012 to stockholders of record on November 23, 2012.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (a) Exhibits
- 99.1 National Bankshares, Inc. Press Release, dated November 14, 2012.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

NATIONAL BANKSHARES, INC.

Date: November 14, 2012

By: /s/ JAMES G. RAKES James G. Rakes Chairman President and CEO

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