

Alexakos Lee Ann
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Alexakos Lee Ann

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ONE CEDAR POINT DRIVE
 (Street)

SANDUSKY, OH 44870

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CEDAR FAIR L P [FUN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/02/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Corp VP Marketing/Advertising

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Units of Limited Partner Interest	03/02/2012		M	95	A \$ 22.65	4,678	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Call options to purchase limited partnership units	\$ 22.65	03/02/2012		M	500	<u>(1)</u> 11/07/2012	Units of Limited Partner Interest 500
Call options to purchase limited partnership units	\$ 28.45					<u>(2)</u> 11/06/2013	Units of Limited Partner Interest 500
Phantom Units	<u>(3)</u>					03/04/2013 <u>(4)</u> 03/04/2014	Units of Limited Partner Interest 4,135
Phantom Units	<u>(3)</u>					03/03/2014 <u>(5)</u> 03/03/2015	Units of Limited Partner Interest 3,090

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Alexakos Lee Ann ONE CEDAR POINT DRIVE SANDUSKY, OH 44870			Corp VP Marketing/Advertising	

Signatures

Lee Ann
Alexakos

03/05/2012

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Options vest at a rate of 20% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on November 7, 2003.
- (2) Options vest at a rate of 20% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on November 6, 2004.
- (3) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one limited partner unit in Cedar Fair, L.P.
- (4) This award vests in two equal installments on March 4, 2013 and 2014, respectively, assuming the grantee continues to be employed with the Company.
- (5) This award vests in two equal installments on March 3, 2014 and 2015, respectively, assuming the grantee continues to be employed with the Company.

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