# UNITED STATES <br> SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION <br> Washington, D.C. 20549 <br> FORM 10-Q 

凹 QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended July 29, 2023
or
$\square$ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from $\qquad$ to $\qquad$
Commission File Number: 1-4365

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC. <br> (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
58-0831862
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
$\underline{999}$ Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 688, Atlanta, Georgia 30309
(Address of principal executive offices)
(Zip Code)
(404) 659-2424
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of each class | Trading Symbol | Name of each exchange on which registered |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Common Stock, \$1 par value | OXM | New York Stock Exchange |

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes $\mathbb{Q}$ No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes $\mathbb{N}$ No $\square$

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.
Large accelerated filer $\boxtimes \quad$ Accelerated filer $\square \quad$ Non-accelerated filer $\square \quad$ Smaller reporting company $\square \quad$ Emerging growth company $\square$
If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule $12 \mathrm{~b}-2$ of the Exchange Act). Yes $\square$ No $\boxtimes$ As of August 28, 2023, there were $15,620,354$ shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

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## CAUTIONARY STATEMENTS REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Our SEC filings and public announcements may include forward-looking statements about future events. Generally, the words "believe," "expect," "intend," "estimate," "anticipate," "project," "will" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements, which generally are not historical in nature. We intend for all forward-looking statements contained herein, in our press releases or on our website, and all subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf, to be covered by the safe harbor provisions for forwardlooking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and the provisions of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (which Sections were adopted as part of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995). Such statements are subject to a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, without limitation, demand for our products, which may be impacted by competitive conditions and/or evolving consumer shopping patterns; macroeconomic factors that may impact consumer discretionary spending and pricing levels for apparel and related products, many of which may be impacted by current inflationary pressures, rising interest rates, concerns about the stability of the banking industry or general economic uncertainty; acquisition activities (such as the acquisition of Johnny Was), including our ability to integrate key functions, recognize anticipated synergies and minimize related disruptions or distractions to our business as a result of these activities; supply chain disruptions; costs and availability of labor and freight deliveries, including our ability to appropriately staff our retail stores and food and beverage locations; costs of products as well as the raw materials used in those products, as well as our ability to pass along price increases to consumers; energy costs; our ability to respond to rapidly changing consumer expectations; weather or natural disasters, including the ultimate impact of the recent wildfires on the island of Maui; the ability of business partners, including suppliers, vendors, wholesale customers, licensees, logistics providers and landlords, to meet their obligations to us and/or continue our business relationship to the same degree as they have historically; retention of and disciplined execution by key management and other critical personnel; cybersecurity breaches and ransomware attacks, as well as our and our third party vendors' ability to properly collect, use, manage and secure business, consumer and employee data; the level of our indebtedness, including the risks associated with heightened interest rates on the debt and the potential impact on our ability to operate and expand our business; changes in international, federal or state tax, trade and other laws and regulations, including the potential imposition of additional duties; the timing of shipments requested by our wholesale customers; fluctuations and volatility in global financial and/or real estate markets; the timing and cost of retail store and food and beverage location openings and remodels, technology implementations and other capital expenditures, including the timing, cost and successful implementation of changes to our distribution network; pandemics or other public health crises; expected outcomes of pending or potential litigation and regulatory actions; the increased consumer, employee and regulatory focus on environmental, social and governance issues; the regulation or prohibition of goods sourced, or containing raw materials or components, from certain regions and our ability to evidence compliance; access to capital and/or credit markets; factors that could affect our consolidated effective tax rate; the risk of impairment to goodwill and other intangible assets; and geopolitical risks, including those related to the war between Russia and Ukraine. Forward-looking statements reflect our expectations at the time such forward-looking statements are made, based on information available at such time, and are not guarantees of performance.

Although we believe that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, these expectations could prove inaccurate as such statements involve risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our ability to control or predict. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties, or other risks or uncertainties not currently known to us or that we currently deem to be immaterial, materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those anticipated, estimated or projected. Important factors relating to these risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, those described in Part I. Item 1A. Risk Factors contained in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K, and those described from time to time in our future reports filed with the SEC. We caution that one should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date on which they are made. We disclaim any intention, obligation or duty to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

## DEFINITIONS

As used in this report, unless the context requires otherwise, "our," "us" or "we" means Oxford Industries, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries; "SG\&A" means selling, general and administrative expenses; "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission; "FASB" means the Financial Accounting Standards Board; "ASC" means the FASB Accounting Standards Codification; "GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States; "TBBC" means The Beaufort Bonnet Company; and "Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K" means our Annual Report on Form 10-K for Fiscal 2022. Additionally, the terms listed below reflect the respective period noted:

| Fiscal 2024 | 52 weeks ending February 1, 2025 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fiscal 2023 | 53 weeks ending February 3, 2024 |
| Fiscal 2022 | 52 weeks ended January 28, 2023 |
| Fiscal 2021 | 52 weeks ended January 29, 2022 |
| Fourth Quarter Fiscal 2023 | 14 weeks ending February 3, 2024 |
| Third Quarter Fiscal 2023 | 13 weeks ending October 28, 2023 |
| Second Quarter Fiscal 2023 | 13 weeks ended July 29, 2023 |
| First Quarter Fiscal 2023 | 13 weeks ended April 29, 2023 |
| Fourth Quarter Fiscal 2022 | 13 weeks ended January 28, 2023 |
| Third Quarter Fiscal 2022 | 13 weeks ended October 29, 2022 |
| Second Quarter Fiscal 2022 | 13 weeks ended July 30, 2022 |
| First Quarter Fiscal 2022 | 13 weeks ended April 30, 2022 |
| First Half Fiscal 2023 | 26 weeks ended July 29, 2023 |
| First Half Fiscal 2022 | 26 weeks ended July 30, 2022 |
| Second Half Fiscal 2023 | 27 weeks ending February 3, 2024 |
| Second Half Fiscal 2022 | 26 weeks ended January 28, 2023 |

## PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS <br> (in thousands, except par amounts) (unaudited)

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 29, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 28, } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 7,790 | \$ | 8,826 |  | \$ 31,269 |
| Short-term investments |  | - |  | - |  | 154,754 |
| Receivables, net |  | 55,583 |  | 43,986 |  | 48,691 |
| Inventories, net |  | 161,866 |  | 220,138 |  | 135,483 |
| Income tax receivable |  | 19,401 |  | 19,440 |  | 19,743 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 37,740 |  | 38,073 |  | 31,308 |
| Total Current Assets | \$ | 282,380 | \$ | 330,463 |  | \$ 421,248 |
| Property and equipment, net |  | 188,004 |  | 177,584 |  | 150,887 |
| Intangible assets, net |  | 277,114 |  | 283,845 |  | 154,853 |
| Goodwill |  | 123,079 |  | 120,498 |  | 23,861 |
| Operating lease assets |  | 241,452 |  | 240,690 |  | 179,217 |
| Other assets, net |  | 37,829 |  | 35,585 |  | 27,136 |
| Total Assets |  | 1,149,858 |  | 1,188,665 |  | \$ 957,202 |
| LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current Liabilities |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts payable | \$ | 76,216 | \$ | 94,611 |  | \$ 76,974 |
| Accrued compensation |  | 20,481 |  | 35,022 |  | 28,779 |
| Current portion of operating lease liabilities |  | 67,676 |  | 73,865 |  | 53,119 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities |  | 68,188 |  | 66,141 |  | 63,768 |
| Total Current Liabilities | \$ | 232,561 | \$ | 269,639 |  | \$ 222,640 |
| Long-term debt |  | 48,472 |  | 119,011 |  | - |
| Non-current portion of operating lease liabilities |  | 219,207 |  | 220,709 |  | 180,092 |
| Other non-current liabilities |  | 20,402 |  | 20,055 |  | 19,200 |
| Deferred income taxes |  | 4,587 |  | 2,981 |  | 1,254 |
| Shareholders' Equity |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Common stock, \$1.00 par value per share |  | 15,630 |  | 15,774 |  | 15,960 |
| Additional paid-in capital |  | 170,789 |  | 172,175 |  | 166,139 |
| Retained earnings |  | 440,319 |  | 370,145 |  | 355,037 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss |  | $(2,109)$ |  | $(1,824)$ |  | $(3,120)$ |
| Total Shareholders' Equity | \$ | 624,629 | \$ | 556,270 |  | \$ 534,016 |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity |  | 1,149,858 |  | 1,188,665 |  | \$ 957,202 |

See accompanying notes.

OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS <br> (in thousands, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

|  | Second Quarter |  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Net sales | \$ 420,319 | \$ 363,430 | \$ 840,416 | \$ 716,011 |
| Cost of goods sold | 151,590 | 131,281 | 296,558 | 257,485 |
| Gross profit | \$ 268,729 | \$ 232,149 | \$ 543,858 | \$ 458,526 |
| SG\&A | 205,231 | 163,135 | 408,380 | 320,547 |
| Royalties and other operating income | 4,176 | 6,357 | 12,497 | 13,370 |
| Operating income | \$ 67,674 | \$ 75,371 | \$ 147,975 | \$ 151,349 |
| Interest expense, net | 1,297 | 274 | 3,639 | 516 |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ 66,377 | \$ 75,097 | \$ 144,336 | \$ 150,833 |
| Income tax expense | 14,924 | 18,485 | 34,345 | 36,813 |
| Net earnings | \$ 51,453 | \$ 56,612 | \$ 109,991 | \$ 114,020 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Net earnings per share: |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ 3.31 | \$ 3.56 | \$ 7.06 | \$ 7.07 |
| Diluted | \$ 3.22 | \$ 3.49 | \$ 6.86 | \$ 6.94 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding: |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | 15,550 | 15,919 | 15,589 | 16,118 |
| Diluted | 15,979 | 16,238 | 16,025 | 16,430 |
| Dividends declared per share | \$ 0.65 | \$ 0.55 | \$ 1.30 | \$ 1.10 |

See accompanying notes.

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (in thousands) (unaudited)

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | First Half |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Net earnings | \$ | 51,453 | - | 56,612 |  | \$ 109,991 | \$ | 114,020 |
| Other comprehensive income (loss), net of taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net foreign currency translation adjustment |  | 319 |  | (125) |  | (285) |  | 352 |
| Comprehensive income | \$ | 51,772 | \$ | 56,487 |  | 109,706 | \$ | 114,372 |

[^0]OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (in thousands)
(unaudited)

|  | First Half |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Cash Flows From Operating Activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Net earnings | \$ | 109,991 | \$ | 114,020 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to cash flows from operating activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation |  | 23,128 |  | 20,358 |
| Amortization of intangible assets |  | 7,331 |  | 454 |
| Equity compensation expense |  | 7,508 |  | 5,252 |
| Gain on sale of assets |  | $(1,756)$ |  | - |
| Amortization and write-off of deferred financing costs |  | 368 |  | 172 |
| Deferred income taxes |  | 1,451 |  | $(1,657)$ |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions and dispositions: |  |  |  |  |
| Receivables, net |  | $(11,611)$ |  | $(15,322)$ |
| Inventories, net |  | 57,947 |  | $(17,867)$ |
| Income tax receivable |  | 39 |  | (15) |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 360 |  | $(11,541)$ |
| Current liabilities |  | $(39,471)$ |  | (939) |
| Other balance sheet changes |  | $(2,785)$ |  | $(2,286)$ |
| Cash provided by operating activities | \$ | 152,500 | \$ | 90,629 |
| Cash Flows From Investing Activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Acquisitions, net of cash acquired |  | $(3,320)$ |  | - |
| Purchases of property and equipment |  | $(31,410)$ |  | $(19,746)$ |
| Purchases of short-term investments |  | - |  | $(70,000)$ |
| Proceeds from short-term investments |  | - |  | 80,000 |
| Proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment |  | 2,125 |  | - |
| Other investing activities |  | (33) |  | (50) |
| Cash used in investing activities | \$ | $(32,638)$ | \$ | $(9,796)$ |
| Cash Flows From Financing Activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Repayment of revolving credit arrangements |  | $(334,225)$ |  | - |
| Proceeds from revolving credit arrangements |  | 263,686 |  | - |
| Deferred financing costs paid |  | $(1,661)$ |  | - |
| Repurchase of common stock |  | $(18,987)$ |  | $(72,680)$ |
| Proceeds from issuance of common stock |  | 1,090 |  | 882 |
| Repurchase of equity awards for employee tax withholding liabilities |  | $(9,941)$ |  | $(3,166)$ |
| Cash dividends paid |  | $(20,843)$ |  | $(17,829)$ |
| Other financing activities |  | - |  | $(2,010)$ |
| Cash used in financing activities | \$ | $(120,881)$ | \$ | $(94,803)$ |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | \$ | $(1,019)$ | \$ | $(13,970)$ |
| Effect of foreign currency translation on cash and cash equivalents |  | (17) |  | 380 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of year |  | 8,826 |  | 44,859 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of period | \$ | 7,790 | \$ | 31,269 |

See accompanying notes.

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (unaudited) SECOND QUARTER OF FISCAL 2023

1. Basis of Presentation: The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP for interim financial reporting and the instructions of Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by GAAP for complete financial statements. We believe the accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements reflect all normal, recurring adjustments that are necessary for a fair presentation of our financial position and results of operations as of the dates and for the periods presented. Results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of results to be expected for a full fiscal year due to the seasonality of our business.

The preparation of our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires us to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported as assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

The significant accounting policies applied during the interim periods presented are consistent with the significant accounting policies described in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. No recently issued guidance adopted in Fiscal 2023 had a material impact on our consolidated financial statements upon adoption or is expected to have a material impact in future periods. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. Recent accounting pronouncements pending adoption are either not applicable or not expected to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.
2. Operating Group Information: We identify our operating groups based on the way our management organizes the components of our business for purposes of allocating resources and assessing performance. Our operating group structure reflects a brand-focused management approach, emphasizing operational coordination and resource allocation across each brand's direct to consumer, wholesale and licensing operations, as applicable. With our acquisition of Johnny Was on September 19, 2022, our business is organized as our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Johnny Was and Emerging Brands operating groups.

Corporate and Other is a reconciling category for reporting purposes and includes our corporate offices, substantially all financing activities, the elimination of any sales between operating groups, any other items that are not allocated to the operating groups, including LIFO inventory accounting adjustments, and the operations of our Lyons, Georgia distribution center and our Oxford America business, which we exited in Fiscal 2022. The accounting policies of the reportable operating segments are the same as those described in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K.

The table below presents certain financial information (in thousands) about our operating groups, as well as Corporate and Other.

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | First Half |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | iscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Net sales |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 245,443 |  | 243,965 | \$ | 484,878 |  | \$ 472,032 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 91,349 |  | 88,665 |  | 188,799 |  | 180,710 |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 52,023 |  | - |  | 101,514 |  | - |
| Emerging Brands |  | 31,580 |  | 29,913 |  | 65,571 |  | 61,676 |
| Corporate and Other |  | (76) |  | 887 |  | (346) |  | 1,593 |
| Consolidated net sales | \$ | 420,319 |  | 363,430 | \$ | 840,416 |  | \$ 716,011 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation and amortization |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 6,073 | \$ | 6,916 | \$ | 12,057 |  | \$ 13,534 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 3,979 |  | 3,121 |  | 7,371 |  | 6,096 |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4,717 |  | - |  | 9,909 |  | - |
| Emerging Brands |  | 460 |  | 393 |  | 885 |  | 752 |
| Corporate and Other |  | 58 |  | 192 |  | 237 |  | 430 |
| Consolidated depreciation and amortization | \$ | 15,287 | \$ | 10,622 | \$ | 30,459 |  | \$ 20,812 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating income (loss) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 51,037 | \$ | 58,918 | \$ | 106,558 |  | \$ 111,524 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 18,566 |  | 21,492 |  | 43,082 |  | 47,670 |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3,847 |  | - |  | 6,331 |  | - |
| Emerging Brands |  | 3,028 |  | 3,991 |  | 6,941 |  | 11,727 |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(8,804)$ |  | $(9,030)$ |  | $(14,937)$ |  | $(19,572)$ |
| Consolidated operating income |  | 67,674 |  | 75,371 | \$ | 147,975 |  | \$ 151,349 |
| Interest expense, net |  | 1,297 |  | 274 |  | 3,639 |  | 516 |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ | 66,377 | \$ | 75,097 | \$ | 144,336 |  | \$ 150,833 |


|  | July 29, 2023 |  | January 28, 2023 |  | July 30, 2022 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama ${ }^{(2)}$ | \$ | 548,893 | \$ | 569,833 | \$ | 524,765 |
| Lilly Pulitzer ${ }^{(3)}$ |  | 201,310 |  | 211,119 |  | 198,681 |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 330,503 |  | 334,603 |  | - |
| Emerging Brands ${ }^{(4)}$ |  | 92,675 |  | 91,306 |  | 76,368 |
| Corporate and Other ${ }^{(5)}$ |  | $(23,523)$ |  | $(18,196)$ |  | 157,388 |
| Consolidated Total Assets | \$ | 1,149,858 | \$ | 1,188,665 | \$ | 957,202 |

(1) The Johnny Was business was acquired on September 19, 2022.
(2) Increase in Tommy Bahama total assets from July 30, 2022, includes increases in operating lease assets and inventories.
(3) Increase in Lilly Pulitzer total assets from July 30, 2022, includes increases in property and equipment partially offset by decreases in operating lease assets.
(4) Increase in Emerging Brands total assets from July 30, 2022, includes increases in operating lease assets, inventories, property and equipment and other non-current assets.
(5) Decrease in Corporate and Other total assets from July 30, 2022, includes reductions in short-term investments and cash and cash equivalents, which were used to fund a portion of the acquisition purchase price for Johnny Was.

The tables below quantify net sales, for each operating group and in total (in thousands), and the percentage of net sales by distribution channel for each operating group and in total, for each period presented. We have calculated all percentages below based on actual data, and percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding.

|  | Second Quarter Fiscal 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Food \& Beverage | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ 245,443 | 46 \% | 28 \% | 12 \% | 14 \% | -\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 91,349 | 36 \% | 50 \% | - \% | 14 \% | - \% |
| Johnny Was | 52,023 | 38 \% | 43 \% | - \% | 19 \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 31,580 | 12 \% | 48 \% | - \% | 40 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other | (76) | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% | NM \% |
| Total | $\underline{\underline{\$ 420,319}}$ | 41 \% | 36 \% | 7 \% | 16 \% | - \% |


|  | Second Quarter Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Food \& Beverage | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ 243,965 | 48 \% | 28 \% | 11 \% | 13 \% | -\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 88,665 | 40 \% | 43 \% | - \% | 17 \% | - \% |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ | - | - \% | - \% | - | - \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 29,913 | 7 \% | 46 \% | - \% | 47 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other | 887 | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% | NM \% |
| Total | \$ 363,430 | 42 \% | 33 \% | 8 \% | 17 \% | - \% |


|  | First Half 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Food \& Beverage | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ 484,878 | 45 \% | 24 \% | 13 \% | 18 \% | -\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 188,799 | 35 \% | 49 \% | - \% | 16 \% | - \% |
| Johnny Was | 101,514 | 37 \% | 40 \% | -\% | 23 \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 65,571 | 10 \% | 42 \% | - \% | 48 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other | (346) | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% | NM \% |
| Consolidated net sales | \$840,416 | 39 \% | 33 \% | 7 \% | 21 \% | - \% |


|  | First Half 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Food \& Beverage | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ 472,032 | 47 \% | 24 \% | 12 \% | 17 \% | - \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 180,710 | 37 \% | 43 \% | - \% | 20 \% | - \% |
| Johnny Was ${ }^{(1)}$ | - | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 61,676 | 6 \% | 38 \% | - \% | 56 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other | 1,593 | - \% | - \% | - \% | - \% | NM \% |
| Consolidated net sales | \$ 716,011 | 41 \% | 30 \% | 8 \% | 21 \% | - \% |

(1) The Johnny Was business was acquired on September 19, 2022.
3. Revenue Recognition and Receivables: Our revenue consists of direct to consumer sales, including our retail store, ecommerce and food and beverage operations, and wholesale sales, as well as royalty income, which is included in royalties and other operating income in our consolidated statements of operations. We recognize revenue when performance obligations under the terms of the contracts with our customers are satisfied. Our accounting policies related to revenue recognition for each type of contract with customers is described in the significant accounting policies described in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K.

The table below quantifies net sales by distribution channel (in thousands) for each period presented.

|  | Second Quarter |  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | \$ 170,137 | \$ 153,976 | \$ 327,742 | \$ 290,056 |
| E-commerce | 152,264 | 118,816 | 278,028 | 215,289 |
| Food \& Beverage | 29,503 | 27,291 | 61,535 | 58,176 |
| Wholesale | 68,312 | 62,799 | 173,141 | 151,415 |
| Other | 103 | 548 | (30) | 1,075 |
| Net sales | \$ 420,319 | \$ 363,430 | \$840,416 | \$ 716,011 |

An estimated sales return liability of $\$ 14$ million, $\$ 12$ million and $\$ 14$ million for expected direct to consumer returns is classified in accrued expenses and other liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet as of July 29, 2023, January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, respectively. As of July 29, 2023, January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, prepaid expenses and other current assets included $\$ 4$ million, $\$ 4$ million and $\$ 5$ million, respectively, relating to the estimated value of inventory for expected direct to consumer and wholesale sales returns.

Substantially all amounts recognized in receivables, net represent trade receivables related to contracts with customers. In the ordinary course of our wholesale operations, we offer discounts, allowances and cooperative advertising support to and accept returns from certain of our wholesale customers for certain products. As of July 29, 2023, January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, reserve balances recorded as a reduction to receivables related to these items were $\$ 3$ million, $\$ 4$ million and $\$ 4$ million, respectively. As of July 29, 2023, January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, our provision for credit losses related to receivables included in our consolidated balance sheets was $\$ 1$ million, $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million, respectively.

Contract liabilities for gift cards purchased by consumers and merchandise credits received by customers but not yet redeemed, less any breakage income recognized to date, is included in accrued expenses and other liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet and totaled $\$ 18$ million, $\$ 19$ million and $\$ 15$ million as of July 29, 2023, January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, respectively.
4. Leases: For the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, operating lease expense was $\$ 18$ million and variable lease expense was $\$ 11$ million, resulting in total lease expense of $\$ 29$ million compared to $\$ 22$ million of total lease expense in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. For the First Half of Fiscal 2023, operating lease expense was $\$ 35$ million and variable lease expense was $\$ 21$ million, resulting in total lease expense of $\$ 56$ million compared to $\$ 47$ million of total lease expense in the First Half of Fiscal 2022.

Cash paid for lease amounts included in the measurement of operating lease liabilities in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 was $\$ 41$ million, while cash paid for lease amounts included in the measurement of operating lease liabilities in the First Half of Fiscal 2022 was $\$ 35$ million.

The increase in lease expense and cash paid was primarily driven by the acquisition of Johnny Was.

As of July 29, 2023, the stated lease liability payments for the fiscal years specified below were as follows (in thousands):

|  | Operating lease |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Remainder of 2023 | \$ | 39,686 |
| 2024 |  | 72,199 |
| 2025 |  | 55,324 |
| 2026 |  | 48,295 |
| 2027 |  | 34,751 |
| 2028 |  | 28,479 |
| After 2028 |  | 53,276 |
| Total lease payments | \$ | 332,010 |
| Less: Difference between discounted and undiscounted lease payments |  | 45,127 |
| Present value of lease liabilities | \$ | 286,883 |

5. Income Taxes: Our effective income tax rate for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 was $22.5 \%$ while our effective income tax rate for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 was $24.6 \%$. Our effective income tax rate for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 was $23.8 \%$ while our effective income tax rate for the First Half of Fiscal 2022 was 24.4\%.

The effective tax rate for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 benefitted significantly from the vesting of restricted stock awards at a price higher than the grant date fair value and certain other items that resulted in a lower tax rate than a more typical annual effective tax rate of approximately $25 \%$.

The First Half of Fiscal 2022 included the utilization of certain net operating loss carryforward amounts in certain state and foreign jurisdictions and certain other items.

## Inflation Reduction Act of 2022

On August 16, 2022, the U.S. government enacted the Inflation Reduction Act ("IRA") into law. The IRA implemented a corporate alternative minimum tax, subject to certain thresholds being met, and a $1 \%$ excise tax on share repurchases effective beginning January 1, 2023. We do not currently expect that the tax-related provisions of the IRA will have a material effect on our reported results, cash flows or financial position. For the First Half of Fiscal 2023, excise taxes included as part of the price of common stock repurchased during the period did not have a material effect on our reported results.
6. Shareholders' Equity: From time to time, we repurchase our common stock mainly through open market repurchase plans. During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 and First Half of 2023, we repurchased 186,000 shares of our common stock as part of an open market repurchase program at a cost of $\$ 19$ million. During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 and First Half of Fiscal 2022, we repurchased 339,000 and 830,000 shares of our common stock, respectively, at a cost of $\$ 30$ million and $\$ 73$ million, respectively. The excise taxes included in the cost of shares repurchased during Fiscal 2023 was not material. Additionally, subsequent to July 29, 2023, we repurchased an additional 10,000 shares of our common stock for $\$ 1$ million that completed the open market repurchase program as of August 31, 2023.

We also repurchase shares from our employees to cover employee tax liabilities related to the vesting of shares of our common stock. During the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, we repurchased $\$ 10$ million and $\$ 3$ million of shares, respectively, from our employees to cover employee tax liabilities related to the vesting of shares of our common stock.

The following tables detail the changes (in thousands) in our common stock, additional paid-in capital ("APIC"), retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income ("AOCI"), for each period presented.

|  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Common Stock |  | APIC |  | Retained Earnings |  | AOCI |  | Total |  |
| January 29, 2022 | S | 16,805 | \$ | 163,156 | \$ | 331,175 | \$ | $(3,472)$ | \$ | 507,664 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - |  | - |  | 57,408 |  | 477 |  | 57,885 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 5 |  | 387 |  | - |  | - |  | 392 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - |  | 2,725 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,725 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | (526) |  | $(3,131)$ |  | $(42,375)$ |  | - |  | $(46,032)$ |
| Dividends declared |  | - |  | - |  | $(9,214)$ |  | - |  | $(9,214)$ |
| April 30, 2022 | \$ | 16,284 | \$ | $\underline{ }$ | \$ | 336,994 | \$ | (2,995) | \$ | 513,420 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - |  | - |  | 56,612 |  | (125) |  | 56,487 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 15 |  | 475 |  | - |  | - |  | 490 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - |  | 2,527 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,527 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | (339) |  | - |  | $(29,475)$ |  | - |  | $(29,814)$ |
| Dividends declared |  | - |  | - |  | $(9,094)$ |  | - |  | $(9,094)$ |
| July 30, 2022 | \$ | 15,960 | \$ | 166,139 | \$ | 355,037 | \$ | $(3,120)$ | \$ | 534,016 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - |  | - |  | 19,666 |  | (450) |  | 19,216 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 1 |  | 379 |  | - |  | - |  | 380 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - |  | 2,545 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,545 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | (146) |  | - |  | $(13,977)$ |  | - |  | $(14,123)$ |
| Dividends declared |  | - |  | - |  | $(8,995)$ |  | - |  | $(8,995)$ |
| October 29, 2022 | \$ | 15,815 | \$ | 169,063 | \$ | 351,731 | \$ | (3,570) | \$ | 533,039 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - |  | - |  | 32,049 |  | 1,746 |  | 33,795 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 5 |  | 332 |  | - |  | - |  | 337 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - |  | 2,780 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,780 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | (46) |  | - |  | $(4,824)$ |  | - |  | $(4,870)$ |
| Dividends declared |  | - |  | - |  | $(8,811)$ |  | - |  | $(8,811)$ |
| January 28, 2023 | \$ | 15,774 | \$ | 172,175 | \$ | 370,145 | \$ | $\underline{(1,824)}$ | \$ | 556,270 |


|  | First Half Fiscal 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Common Stock |  | APIC | Retained Earnings |  | AOCI |  | Total |  |
| January 28, 2023 | \$ | 15,774 | \$ 172,175 | \$ | 370,145 | \$ | $(1,824)$ | \$ | 556,270 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - | - |  | 58,538 |  | (604) |  | 57,934 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 6 | 596 |  | - |  | - |  | 602 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - | 3,259 |  | - |  | - |  | 3,259 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | - | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |
| Dividends declared |  | - | - |  | $(10,640)$ |  | - |  | $(10,640)$ |
| April 29, 2023 | \$ | 15,780 | \$ 176,030 | \$ | 418,043 | \$ | $(2,428)$ | \$ | 607,425 |
| Comprehensive income |  | - | - |  | 51,453 |  | 319 |  | 51,772 |
| Shares issued under equity plans |  | 130 | 358 |  | - |  | - |  | 488 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards |  | - | 4,249 |  | - |  | - |  | 4,249 |
| Repurchase of shares |  | (280) | $(9,848)$ |  | $(18,800)$ |  | - |  | $(28,928)$ |
| Dividends declared |  | - | - |  | $(10,377)$ |  | - |  | $(10,377)$ |
| July 29, 2023 | \$ | 15,630 | \$ 170,789 | \$ | 440,319 | \$ | $(2,109)$ | \$ | $\underline{ }$ |

## Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan and Equity Compensation Expense

In recent years, we have granted a combination of service-based restricted share awards and awards based on relative total shareholder return ("TSR") to certain select employees.

## Service-Based Restricted Share Awards

The table below summarizes the service-based restricted share awards, including both restricted shares and restricted share units, activity for the First Half of Fiscal 2023:

|  | First Half Fiscal 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of Shares or Units |  |  |
| Awards outstanding at beginning of year | 212,945 | \$ | 64 |
| Awards granted | 58,055 | \$ | 115 |
| Awards vested, including awards repurchased from employees for employees' tax liability | $(111,095)$ | \$ | 41 |
| Awards forfeited | $(1,070)$ | \$ | 62 |
| Awards outstanding on July 29, 2023 | $\underline{ }$ | \$ | 99 |

## TSR-based Restricted Share Units

The table below summarizes the TSR-based restricted share unit activity at target for the First Half of Fiscal 2023:

|  | First Half Fiscal 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of Share Units |  |  |
| TSR-based awards outstanding at beginning of year | 196,040 | \$ | 89 |
| TSR-based awards granted | 74,605 | \$ | 153 |
| TSR-based restricted shares earned and vested, including restricted share units repurchased from employees for employees' tax liability | $(76,340)$ | \$ | 50 |
| TSR-based awards forfeited | - | \$ | - |
| TSR-based awards outstanding on July 29, 2023 | 194,305 | \$ | 129 |

7. Business Combinations: On September 19, 2022, we acquired JW Holdings, LLC and its subsidiaries (collectively "Johnny Was") (the "Acquisition"). We accounted for this transaction as a business combination, which generally requires that we record the assets acquired and liabilities assumed at fair value as of the acquisition date.

The provisional estimated acquisition-date fair values of major classes of assets acquired and liabilities assumed, including a reconciliation to the total purchase consideration, are as follows (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Provisional } \\ \text { Amounts at } \\ \text { January 28, } 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | Measurement Period Adjustments |  | Provisional Amounts at July 29, 2023 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 7,296 | \$ | - | \$ | 7,296 |
| Receivables |  | 8,777 |  | - |  | 8,777 |
| Inventories |  | 23,434 |  | - |  | 23,434 |
| Prepaid expenses and other assets |  | 6,353 |  | - |  | 6,353 |
| Property and equipment |  | 21,108 |  | - |  | 21,108 |
| Intangible assets |  | 134,640 |  | - |  | 134,640 |
| Goodwill |  | 96,637 |  | 1,403 |  | 98,040 |
| Operating lease assets |  | 54,859 |  | - |  | 54,859 |
| Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities |  | $(34,777)$ |  | 920 |  | $(33,857)$ |
| Non-current portion of operating lease liabilities |  | $(47,009)$ |  | - |  | $(47,009)$ |
| Purchase price | \$ | 271,318 | \$ | 2,323 | \$ | 273,641 |

As of July 29, 2023, we considered these amounts to be provisional because we were still in the process of reviewing information to support the valuations of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed. We made measurement-period adjustments, as shown in the table above, that increased the amount of provisional goodwill by $\$ 1$ million. We expect that goodwill will be deductible for income tax purposes.

Intangible assets allocated in connection with our preliminary purchase price allocation consisted of the following (in thousands):

|  | Useful life | Johnny Was acquisition |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Finite lived intangible assets acquired, primarily consisting of customer relationships | 8-13 years | \$ | 56,740 |
| Trade names and trademarks | Indefinite |  | 77,900 |
|  |  | \$ | 134,640 |

The following unaudited pro forma information presented below (in thousands, except per share data) shows the results of our operations for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 and First Half of 2022 as if the acquisition of Johnny Was had occurred at the beginning of Fiscal 2021. The information presented below is for illustrative purposes only, is not indicative of results that would have been achieved if the acquisition had occurred as of that date and is not intended to be a projection of future results of operations. The following unaudited pro forma information has been prepared from historical financial statements for Johnny Was and us for the periods presented, including without limitation, purchase accounting adjustments, but excluding any seller specific management/advisory or similar expenses and any synergies or operating cost reductions that may be achieved from the combined operations in the future.

|  | Second Quarter Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  | First Half Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Actu |  | Pro Forma |  | Actual |  | Pro Forma |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 363,430 | \$ | 413,657 | \$ | 716,011 | \$ | 819,831 |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ | 75,097 | \$ | 80,513 | \$ | 150,833 | \$ | 162,256 |
| Net earnings | \$ | 56,612 | \$ | 60,674 | \$ | 114,020 | \$ | 122,588 |
| Earnings per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | 3.56 | \$ | 3.81 | \$ | 7.07 | \$ | 7.61 |
| Diluted | \$ | 3.49 | \$ | 3.74 | \$ | 6.94 | \$ | 7.46 |

8. Debt: On March 6, 2023, we entered into a Second Amendment to the Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement (the "Revolving Credit Agreement"). The Revolving Credit Agreement provides for a revolving credit facility of up to $\$ 325$ million, which may be used to fund working capital, to fund future acquisitions and for general
corporate purposes. The Revolving Credit Agreement amended and restated our Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement (the "Prior Credit Agreement"). The Revolving Credit Agreement (1) extended the maturity of the facility from July 2024 to March 2028 and (2) modified certain provisions of the agreement. In other non-current assets, we capitalized debt issuance costs of $\$ 2$ million in connection with commitments upon entering into the Revolving Credit Agreement.

Pursuant to the Revolving Credit Agreement, the interest rate applicable to our borrowings under the Revolving Credit Agreement are based on either the Term Secured Overnight Financing Rate plus an applicable margin of 135 to 185 basis points or prime plus an applicable margin of 25 to 75 basis points.

The Revolving Credit Agreement generally (1) is limited to a borrowing base consisting of specified percentages of eligible categories of assets, (2) accrues variable-rate interest (weighted average interest rate of $8 \%$ as of July 29, 2023), unused line fees and letter of credit fees based upon average utilization or unused availability, as applicable, (3) requires periodic interest payments with principal due at maturity and (4) is secured by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the assets of Oxford Industries, Inc. and its domestic subsidiaries, including accounts receivable, books and records, chattel paper, deposit accounts, equipment, certain general intangibles, inventory, investment property (including the equity interests of certain subsidiaries), negotiable collateral, life insurance policies, supporting obligations, commercial tort claims, cash and cash equivalents, eligible trademarks, proceeds and other personal property.

We have issued standby letters of credit of $\$ 6$ million in the aggregate under the Revolving Credit Agreement as of July 29, 2023. Outstanding letters of credit under the Revolving Credit Agreement reduce the amount of borrowings available to us.

As of July 29, 2023, we had $\$ 48$ million of borrowings outstanding and $\$ 266$ million in unused availability under the Revolving Credit Agreement. Under the Prior Credit Agreement as of January 28, 2023, and July 30, 2022, we had $\$ 119$ million and $\$ 0$ million of borrowings outstanding, and $\$ 199$ million and $\$ 322$ million of unused availability, respectively.

## Compliance with Covenants

The Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to a number of affirmative covenants regarding the delivery of financial information, compliance with law, maintenance of property, insurance requirements and conduct of business. Also, the Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to certain negative covenants or other restrictions including, among other things, limitations on our ability to (1) incur debt, (2) guaranty certain obligations, (3) incur liens, (4) pay dividends to shareholders, (5) repurchase shares of our common stock, (6) make investments, (7) sell assets or stock of subsidiaries, (8) acquire assets or businesses, (9) merge or consolidate with other companies or (10) prepay, retire, repurchase or redeem debt.

Additionally, the Revolving Credit Agreement contains a financial covenant that applies only if excess availability under the agreement for three consecutive business days is less than the greater of (1) \$23.5 million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability. In such case, our fixed charge coverage ratio as defined in the Revolving Credit Agreement must not be less than 1.0 to 1.0 for the immediately preceding 12 fiscal months for which financial statements have been delivered. This financial covenant continues to apply until we have maintained excess availability under the Revolving Credit Agreement of more than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability for 30 consecutive days.

We believe that the affirmative covenants, negative covenants, financial covenants and other restrictions under the Revolving Credit Agreement are customary for those included in similar facilities entered into at the time we amended the Revolving Credit Agreement. During Fiscal 2023 and as of July 29, 2023, no financial covenant testing was required pursuant to our Revolving Credit Agreement, or the Prior Credit Agreement, as applicable, as the minimum availability threshold was met at all times. As of July 29, 2023, we were compliant with all applicable covenants related to the Revolving Credit Agreement.
9. Subsequent Event: In August 2023, the Tommy Bahama Marlin Bar in Lahaina, Hawaii on the island of Maui was destroyed by wildfires. We maintain property loss insurance coverage and expect to recover substantially all losses on inventory, property and equipment and other fire-related costs from insurance proceeds. Our other locations on Maui, including a Tommy Bahama restaurant in Wailea, have also been negatively affected by the wildfires.

## ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto contained in this report and the consolidated financial statements, notes to consolidated financial statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations contained in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K.

## OVERVIEW

## Business Overview

We are a leading branded apparel company that designs, sources, markets and distributes products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Johnny Was, Southern Tide, TBBC and Duck Head lifestyle brands.

Our business strategy is to drive excellence across a portfolio of lifestyle brands that create sustained, profitable growth. We consider lifestyle brands to be those brands that have a clearly defined and targeted point of view inspired by an appealing lifestyle or attitude. Furthermore, we believe lifestyle brands that create an emotional connection can command greater loyalty and higher price points and create licensing opportunities. We believe the attraction of a lifestyle brand depends on creating compelling product, effectively communicating the respective lifestyle brand message and distributing products to consumers where and when they want them. We believe the principal competitive factors in the apparel industry are the reputation, value, and image of brand names; design of differentiated, innovative or otherwise compelling product; consumer preference; price; quality; marketing (including through rapidly shifting digital and social media vehicles); product fulfillment capabilities; and customer service. Our ability to compete successfully in the apparel industry is dependent on our proficiency in foreseeing changes and trends in fashion and consumer preference and presenting appealing products for consumers. Our design-led, commercially informed lifestyle brand operations strive to provide exciting, differentiated fashion products each season as well as certain core products that consumers expect from us.

On September 19, 2022, we acquired Johnny Was. Johnny Was products are sold through the Johnny Was website and full-price retail stores and outlets as well as select department stores and specialty stores. We continue to execute acquisition and integration activities in connection with the Johnny Was acquisition, such as investing in technology infrastructure, and streamlining corporate and operational support structures.

During Fiscal 2022, 80\% of our consolidated net sales were through our direct to consumer channels of distribution, which consist of our brand specific full-price retail stores, e-commerce websites and outlets, as well as our Tommy Bahama food and beverage operations. The remaining $20 \%$ of our net sales was generated through our wholesale distribution channels, which complement our direct to consumer operations and provide access to a larger base of consumers. Our wholesale operations consist of sales of products bearing the trademarks of our lifestyle brands to various specialty stores, better department stores, Signature Stores, multi-branded e-commerce retailers and other retailers.

For additional information about our business and our operating groups, see Part I, Item 1. Business of our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. Important factors relating to certain risks which could impact our business are described in Part I. Item 1A. Risk Factors of our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K.

## Industry Overview

We operate in a highly competitive apparel market that continues to evolve rapidly with the expanding application of technology to fashion retail. No single apparel firm or small group of apparel firms dominates the apparel industry, and our competitors vary by operating group and distribution channel. The apparel industry is cyclical and very dependent on the overall level and focus of discretionary consumer spending, which changes as consumer preferences and regional, domestic and international economic conditions change. Also, in recent years consumers have chosen to spend less of their discretionary spending on certain product categories, including apparel, while spending more on services and other product
categories. Further, negative economic conditions often have a longer and more severe impact on the apparel industry than on other industries due, in part, to apparel purchases often being more of a discretionary purchase.

This competitive and evolving environment requires that brands and retailers approach their operations, including marketing and advertising, very differently than they have historically and may result in increased operating costs and investments to generate growth or even maintain existing sales levels. While the competition and evolution present significant risks, especially for traditional retailers who fail or are unable to adapt, we believe it also presents a tremendous opportunity for brands and retailers to capitalize on the changing consumer environment.

We believe our lifestyle brands have true competitive advantages, and we continue to invest in and leverage technology to serve our consumers when and where they want to be served. We continue to believe that our lifestyle brands, with their strong emotional connections with consumers, are well suited to succeed and thrive in the long term while managing the various challenges facing our industry in the current environment.

The current macroenvironment, with heightened concerns about inflation, a global economic recession, geopolitical issues, the stability of the U.S. banking system, the availability and cost of credit and continued increases in interest rates, combined with heightened promotional activity in our industry, is creating a complex and challenging retail environment, which may impact our businesses and exacerbate some of the inherent challenges to our operations. There remains significant uncertainty in the macroeconomic environment, and the impact of these and other factors could have a major effect on our businesses.

## Key Operating Results:

The following table sets forth our consolidated operating results (in thousands, except per share amounts) for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to the First Half of Fiscal 2022:

|  | First Half |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | Fiscal 2023 |  |  |
| Operating income | $\$ 840,416$ | $\$$ | 716,011 |
| Net earnings | $\$$ | 147,975 | $\$$ |
| Net earnings per diluted share | $\$ 151,349$ |  |  |
| Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted | 109,991 | $\$$ | 114,020 |

Net earnings per diluted share were $\$ 6.86$ in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 6.94$ in the First Half of Fiscal 2022. The $1 \%$ decrease in net earnings per diluted share included a $4 \%$ decrease in net earnings as well as a $2 \%$ reduction in weighted average shares outstanding due to open market share repurchases in Fiscal 2023 and Fiscal 2022. The decreased net earnings were primarily due to (1) lower operating income at Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, and Emerging Brands and (2) increased interest expense. These decreases were partially offset by (1) the inclusion of the operating income of Johnny Was in the First Half of 2023, (2) a lower operating loss at Corporate and Other and (3) a lower effective tax rate.

## COMPARABLE SALES

We often disclose comparable sales to provide additional information regarding changes in our results of operations between periods. Our disclosures of comparable sales include net sales from our full-price retail stores and e-commerce sites, excluding sales associated with e-commerce flash clearance sales. We believe that the inclusion of both full-price retail stores and e-commerce sites in the comparable sales disclosures is a more meaningful way of reporting our comparable sales results, given similar inventory planning, allocation and return policies, as well as our cross-channel marketing and other initiatives for the direct to consumer channels. For our comparable sales disclosures, we exclude (1) outlet store sales and e-commerce flash clearance sales, as those clearance sales are used primarily to liquidate end of season inventory, which may vary significantly depending on the level of end of season inventory on hand and generally occur at lower gross margins than our non-clearance direct to consumer sales, and (2) food and beverage sales, as we do not currently believe that the inclusion of food and beverage sales in our comparable sales disclosures is meaningful in
assessing our branded apparel businesses. Comparable sales information reflects net sales, including shipping and handling revenues, if any, associated with product sales.

For purposes of our disclosures, comparable sales consists of sales through e-commerce sites and any physical fullprice retail stores that were owned and open as of the beginning of the prior fiscal year and which did not have during the relevant periods, and is not within the current fiscal year scheduled to have, (1) a remodel or other event which would result in a closure for an extended period of time (which we define as a period of two weeks or longer), (2) a greater than $15 \%$ change in the size of the retail space due to expansion, reduction or relocation to a new retail space or (3) a relocation to a new space that is significantly different from the prior retail space. For those stores which are excluded based on the preceding sentence, the stores continue to be excluded from comparable sales until the criteria for a new store is met subsequent to the remodel, relocation, or other event. A full-price retail store that is remodeled will generally continue to be included in our comparable sales metrics as a store is not typically closed for longer than a two-week period during a remodel; however, a full-price retail store that is relocated generally will not be included in our comparable sales metrics until that store has been open in the relocated space for the entirety of the prior fiscal year because the size or other characteristics of the store typically change significantly from the prior location. Any stores that were closed during the prior fiscal year or current fiscal year, or which we expect to close or vacate in the current fiscal year, as well as any pop-up or temporary store locations, are excluded from our comparable sales metrics.

Definitions and calculations of comparable sales differ among companies, and therefore comparable sales metrics disclosed by us may not be comparable to the metrics disclosed by other companies.

## DIRECT TO CONSUMER LOCATIONS

The table below provides information about the number of direct to consumer locations for our brands as of the dates specified. For Johnny Was, locations are only included subsequent to the date of acquisition. The amounts below include our permanent locations and exclude any pop-up or temporary store locations which have an initial lease term of 12 months or less.

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 29, } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { January 28, } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 29, } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama full-price retail stores | 101 | 103 | 102 | 102 |
| Tommy Bahama retail-food \& beverage locations | 22 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Tommy Bahama outlets | 33 | 33 | 35 | 35 |
| Total Tommy Bahama locations | 156 | 157 | 158 | 158 |
| Lilly Pulitzer full-price retail stores | 59 | 59 | 58 | 58 |
| Johnny Was full-price retail stores | 67 | 65 | - | - |
| Johnny Was outlets | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| Total Johnny Was locations | 69 | 67 | - | - |
| Southern Tide full-price retail stores | 13 | 6 | 5 | 4 |
| TBBC full-price retail stores | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Total Oxford direct to consumer locations | 300 | 292 | 223 | 221 |

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

## SECOND QUARTER OF FISCAL 2023 COMPARED TO SECOND QUARTER OF FISCAL 2022

The discussion and tables below compare our statements of operations for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 to the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. Each dollar and percentage change provided reflects the change between these fiscal periods unless indicated otherwise. Each dollar and share amount included in the tables is in thousands except for per share amounts. We have calculated all percentages based on actual data, and percentage columns in tables may not add due to rounding. Individual line items of our consolidated statements of operations, including gross profit, may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

The following table sets forth the specified line items in our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations both in dollars (in thousands) and as a percentage of net sales as well as the dollar change and the percentage
change as compared to the same period of the prior year. The table also includes net earnings per diluted share and diluted weighted average shares outstanding (in thousands), as well as the change and the percentage change for each of these items as compared to the same period of the prior year.

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal |  | Fiscal |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ 420,319 | 100.0 \% | \$ 363,430 | 100.0 \% | \$ 56,889 | 15.7 \% |
| Cost of goods sold | 151,590 | 36.1 \% | 131,281 | 36.1 \% | 20,309 | 15.5 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ 268,729 | 63.9 \% | \$ 232,149 | 63.9 \% | \$ 36,580 | 15.8 \% |
| SG\&A | 205,231 | 48.8 \% | 163,135 | 44.9 \% | 42,096 | 25.8 \% |
| Royalties and other operating income | 4,176 | 1.0 \% | 6,357 | 1.7 \% | $(2,181)$ | (34.3)\% |
| Operating income | \$ 67,674 | 16.1 \% | 75,371 | 20.7 \% | \$ $(7,697)$ | (10.2)\% |
| Interest expense, net | 1,297 | 0.3 \% | 274 | 0.1 \% | 1,023 | 373.4 \% |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ 66,377 | 15.8 \% | \$ 75,097 | 20.7 \% | \$ (8,720) | (11.6)\% |
| Income tax expense | 14,924 | 3.6 \% | 18,485 | 5.1 \% | $(3,561)$ | (19.3)\% |
| Net earnings | \$ 51,453 | 12.2 \% | \$ 56,612 | 15.6 \% | \$ (5,159) | (9.1) $\%$ |
| Net earnings per diluted share | \$ 3.22 |  | \$ 3.49 |  | \$ (0.27) | (7.7) $\%$ |
| Weighted average shares outstanding diluted | 15,979 |  | 16,238 |  | (259) | $\underline{(1.6)} \%$ |

## Net Sales

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | l 2023 |  | cal 2022 |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 245,443 | \$ | 243,965 | \$ | 1,478 | 0.6 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 91,349 |  | 88,665 |  | 2,684 | 3.0 \% |
| Johnny Was |  | 52,023 |  | - |  | 52,023 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 31,580 |  | 29,913 |  | 1,667 | 5.6 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | (76) |  | 887 |  | (963) | (108.6)\% |
| Consolidated net sales | \$ | 420,319 | \$ | 363,430 | \$ | 56,889 | 15.7 \% |

Consolidated net sales were $\$ 420$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to net sales of $\$ 363$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. The $16 \%$ increase in net sales included (1) $\$ 52$ million in sales for Johnny Was, which was acquired during the Third Quarter of Fiscal 2022, and (2) increases in each operating group.

The increase in net sales by distribution channel consisted of the following:

- an increase in full-price e-commerce sales of $\$ 17$ million, or $15 \%$, including (1) $\$ 22$ million of e-commerce sales in Johnny Was, (2) a $\$ 2$ million increase in Tommy Bahama and (3) a $\$ 1$ million increase in Emerging Brands. These increases were partially offset by an $\$ 8$ million decrease in Lilly Pulitzer;
- an increase in Lilly Pulitzer e-commerce flash clearance sales of $\$ 16$ million with no similar e-commerce flash clearance sales in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022;
- an increase in full-price retail sales of $\$ 15$ million, or $11 \%$, including (1) $\$ 18$ million of retail sales in Johnny Was and (2) a $\$ 2$ million increase in Emerging Brands as we opened new retail locations. These increases were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 3$ million decrease in Tommy Bahama and (2) a $\$ 3$ million decrease in Lilly Pulitzer;
- an increase in wholesale sales of $\$ 6$ million, or $9 \%$, including $\$ 10$ million of wholesale sales in Johnny Was. This increase was partially offset by (1) a $\$ 3$ million decrease in Lilly Pulitzer and (2) a $\$ 2$ million decrease in Emerging Brands;
- an increase in food and beverage sales of $\$ 2$ million, or $8 \%$; and
- an increase in outlet sales of $\$ 2$ million, or $9 \%$, primarily due to the addition of Johnny Was.

The following table presents the proportion of our consolidated net sales by distribution channel for each period presented. We have calculated all percentages below on actual data, and percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding.

|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 41 \% | 42 \% |
| E-commerce | 36 \% | 33 \% |
| Food \& beverage | 7 \% | 8 \% |
| Wholesale | 16 \% | 17 \% |
| Total | 100 \% | 100 \% |

## Tommy Bahama:

Tommy Bahama net sales increased $\$ 1$ million, or $1 \%$, in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, with an increase in (1) food and beverage sales of $\$ 2$ million, or $8 \%$, (2) e-commerce sales of $\$ 2$ million, or $2 \%$, and (3) wholesale sales. These increases were partially offset by a decrease in full-price retail sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $3 \%$. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Tommy Bahama for each period presented:

|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 46 \% | 48 \% |
| E-commerce | 28 \% | 28 \% |
| Food \& beverage | 12 \% | 11 \% |
| Wholesale | 14 \% | 13 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Lilly Pulitzer:

Lilly Pulitzer net sales increased $\$ 3$ million, or 3\%, in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023. The increase was primarily driven by an increase in e-commerce sales of $\$ 8$ million, or $22 \%$, including an increase in e-commerce flash sales of $\$ 16$ million, with no e-commerce flash sales in the Second Quarter of 2022, and a decrease in full-price e-commerce sales of \$8 million, or $21 \%$. This increase was partially offset by decreases in (1) retail sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $8 \%$, and (2) wholesale sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $19 \%$. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Lilly Pulitzer for each period presented:

|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 36 \% | 40 \% |
| E-commerce | 50 \% | 43 \% |
| Wholesale | 14 \% | 17 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Johnny Was:

Johnny Was net sales were $\$ 52$ million during the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Johnny Was for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023:

|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 38 \% | -\% |
| E-commerce | 43 \% | - \% |
| Wholesale | 19 \% | - \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | -\% |

## Emerging Brands:

Emerging Brands net sales increased $\$ 2$ million, or 6\%, in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023. By distribution channel, the $\$ 2$ million increase included increases of (1) $\$ 2$ million, or $89 \%$, in retail sales as we opened new retail locations and (2) $\$ 1$ million, or $10 \%$, in e-commerce sales. These increases were partially offset by a $\$ 2$ million, or $11 \%$, decrease in wholesale sales that includes the impact of the acquisition and conversion of three former Southern Tide Signature Store operations to company owned retail stores. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Emerging Brands for each period presented:

|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 12 \% | 7 \% |
| E-commerce | 48 \% | 46 \% |
| Wholesale | 40 \% | 47 \% |
| Total | 100 \% | 100 \% |

## Corporate and Other:

Corporate and Other net sales primarily consist of net sales of our Lyons, Georgia distribution center business, our Oxford America business, which we exited in Fiscal 2022, and the elimination of any sales between operating groups.

## Gross Profit

The tables below present gross profit by operating group and in total for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 and the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022, as well as the dollar change and percentage change between those two periods, and gross margin by operating group and in total. Our gross profit and gross margin, which is calculated as gross profit divided by net sales, may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as the statement of operations classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 155,294 | \$ | 156,796 | \$ | $(1,502)$ | (1.0)\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 63,099 |  | 63,320 |  | (221) | (0.3)\% |
| Johnny Was |  | 35,922 |  | - |  | 35,922 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 15,793 |  | 14,127 |  | 1,666 | 11.8 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(1,379)$ |  | $(2,094)$ |  | 715 | NM \% |
| Consolidated gross profit | \$ | 268,729 | \$ | 232,149 | \$ | 36,580 | 15.8 \% |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,432 | \$ | 2,733 |  |  |  |


|  | Second Quarter |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Tommy Bahama | 63.3 \% | 64.3 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 69.1 \% | 71.4 \% |
| Johnny Was | 69.1 \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 50.0 \% | 47.2 \% |
| Corporate and Other | NM \% | NM \% |
| Consolidated gross margin | 63.9 \% | 63.9 \% |

The increased gross profit of $16 \%$ was primarily due to the $16 \%$ increase in net sales. The comparable gross margin included (1) increased e-commerce flash clearance sales in Lilly Pulitzer and (2) increased sales during the loyalty award, Flip Side marketing, and end of season clearance events in Tommy Bahama. These decreases were partially offset by (1) the $69.1 \%$ gross margin of Johnny Was, (2) a $\$ 1$ million lower LIFO accounting charge in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022, (3) higher gross margin in Emerging Brands resulting from lower inventory markdowns and (4) lower freight costs.

## Tommy Bahama:

The lower gross margin for Tommy Bahama was primarily due to an increased proportion of direct to consumer sales occurring during periodic loyalty award, Flip Side marketing and end of season clearance events. This decrease was partially offset by (1) reduced freight costs and (2) increased food and beverage gross margins.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

The lower gross margin for Lilly Pulitzer was primarily due to a change in sales mix with e-commerce flash clearance sales representing a larger proportion of net sales. There were no e-commerce flash sales in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. This decrease was partially offset by (1) lower freight costs and (2) a change in sales mix with wholesale sales representing a lower proportion of Lilly Pulitzer net sales.

## Johnny Was:

Gross margin for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 was 69.1\%.

## Emerging Brands:

The higher gross margin for Emerging Brands was primarily due to (1) lower inventory markdowns and (2) a change in sales mix with direct to consumer sales representing a larger proportion of net sales. These increases were partially offset by lower gross margin on wholesale sales due to off-price wholesale sales of previously marked down inventory representing a greater proportion of wholesale sales.

## Corporate and Other:

The gross profit in Corporate and Other primarily reflects the impact of LIFO accounting adjustments, which was a $\$ 1$ million charge in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 and $\$ 3$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022, and the gross profit of the Lyons, Georgia distribution center and Oxford America businesses. The LIFO accounting impact in Corporate and Other in each period includes the net impact of (1) a charge in Corporate and Other when inventory that had been marked down in an operating group in a prior period was ultimately sold, (2) a credit in Corporate and Other when inventory had been marked down in an operating group in the current period, but had not been sold as of period end and (3) the change in the LIFO reserve, if any.

SG\&A

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| SG\&A | \$ | 205,231 | \$ | 163,135 | \$ | 42,096 | 25.8 \% |
| SG\&A (as a \% of net sales) |  | 48.8 \% |  | 44.9 |  |  |  |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Johnny Was intangible assets | \$ | 3,463 | \$ | - |  |  |  |

SG\&A was $\$ 205$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 163$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022, with approximately $\$ 32$ million, or $76 \%$, of the increase due to the SG\&A of Johnny Was. The $26 \%$ increase in total SG\&A in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 included the following, each of which includes the SG\&A of Johnny Was: (1) increased employment costs of $\$ 12$ million, primarily due to increased head count, pay rate increases and other employment cost increases, including in our direct to consumer and distribution center operations partially offset by lower incentive compensation amounts, (2) a $\$ 9$ million increase in advertising expense, (3) a $\$ 6$ million increase in occupancy expenses, (4) a $\$ 6$ million increase in variable expenses related to higher sales, including credit card transaction fees, supplies, commissions, royalties and other expenses, (5) a $\$ 5$ million increase in administrative expenses including professional fees, travel and other items, (6) a $\$ 3$ million increase in amortization of intangible assets and (7) a $\$ 1$ million increase in depreciation expense.

## Royalties and other operating income

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  | 022 |  |  |  |
| Royalties and other operating income | \$ | 4,176 | \$ | 6,357 | \$ | $(2,181)$ | (34.3)\% |

Royalties and other operating income typically consists primarily of income received from third parties from the licensing of our brands. The decreased royalties and other operating income in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 was primarily due to decreased royalty income in Tommy Bahama reflecting the lower sales of our licensing partners.

## Operating income (loss)

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 51,037 | \$ | 58,918 | \$ | $(7,881)$ | (13.4)\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 18,566 |  | 21,492 |  | $(2,926)$ | (13.6)\% |
| Johnny Was |  | 3,847 |  | - |  | 3,847 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 3,028 |  | 3,991 |  | (963) | (24.1)\% |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(8,804)$ |  | $(9,030)$ |  | 226 | NM \% |
| Consolidated operating income | \$ | 67,674 | \$ | 75,371 | \$ | $(7,697)$ | (10.2) $\%$ |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,432 | \$ | 2,733 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Johnny Was intangible assets | \$ | 3,463 | \$ | - |  |  |  |

Operating income was $\$ 68$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 75$ million in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. The decreased operating income included lower operating income in Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, and Emerging Brands. These decreases were partially offset by (1) the operating income of Johnny Was and (2) a lower operating loss in Corporate and Other. Changes in operating income (loss) by operating group are discussed below.

## Tommy Bahama:

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 245,443 | \$ | 243,965 | \$ | 1,478 | 0.6 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 155,294 | \$ | 156,796 | \$ | $(1,502)$ | (1.0)\% |
| Gross margin |  | 63.3 |  | 64.3 |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 51,037 | \$ | 58,918 | \$ | $(7,881)$ | (13.4)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 20.8 |  | 24.2 |  |  |  |

The decreased operating income for Tommy Bahama was due to (1) increased SG\&A, (2) lower gross margin and (3) lower royalty income. These decreases were partially offset by higher net sales. The increased SG\&A was primarily due to (1) $\$ 2$ million in increased employment costs, (2) a $\$ 2$ million increase in advertising expense, (3) $\$ 1$ million of increased variable expenses and (4) a $\$ 1$ million increase in occupancy expenses.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 91,349 | \$ |  | 88,665 |  |  | 2,684 | 3.0 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 63,099 |  |  | 63,320 |  |  | (221) | (0.3)\% |
| Gross margin |  | 69.1 |  |  | 71.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 18,566 | \$ | \$ | 21,492 |  |  | $(2,926)$ | (13.6)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 20.3 |  |  | 24.2 |  |  |  |  |

The decreased operating income for Lilly Pulitzer was due to (1) increased SG\&A and (2) lower gross margin. These decreases were partially offset by higher net sales. The increased SG\&A was primarily due to (1) \$1 million in increased employment costs and (2) \$1 million of increased depreciation expense.

Johnny Was:

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 52,023 | \$ |  | - | \$ | 52,023 | 100.0 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 35,922 | \$ |  | - | \$ | 35,922 | 100.0 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 69.1 |  |  | - |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 3,847 | \$ |  | - | \$ | 3,847 | 100.0 \% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 7.4 |  |  | - |  |  |  |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Johnny Was intangible assets | \$ | 3,463 | \$ |  | - |  |  |  |

Operating income for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 represents the acquired operations of Johnny Was that were negatively impacted by $\$ 3$ million of amortization of intangible assets.

## Emerging Brands:



The decreased operating income for Emerging Brands was primarily due to increased SG\&A partially offset by higher sales and gross margin. The increased SG\&A included (1) higher SG\&A associated with new retail store operations, including related employment costs, occupancy costs and administrative expenses, (2) higher advertising expense and (3) increased variable expenses resulting from increased sales.

## Corporate and Other:

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 2023 |  | 12022 |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | (76) | \$ | 887 | \$ | (963) | (108.6)\% |
| Gross profit | \$ | $(1,379)$ | \$ | $(2,094)$ | \$ | 715 | NM \% |
| Operating loss | \$ | $(8,804)$ | \$ | $(9,030)$ | \$ | 226 | NM \% |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,432 | \$ | 2,733 |  |  |  |

The improved operating results in Corporate and Other were primarily a result of (1) decreased SG\&A, including decreased incentive compensation amounts and (2) a lower net LIFO accounting charge in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023.

## Interest expense, net

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Interest expense, net | \$ | 1,297 | \$ | 274 | \$ | 1,023 | 373.4 \% |

The higher interest expense in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 was primarily due to debt utilized to fund a portion of the acquisition of Johnny Was, while there was no debt outstanding in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. The interest expense for the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 primarily consisted of unused line fees and amortization of deferred financing fees associated with the Prior Credit Agreement.

## Income tax

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 12023 |  | 2022 |  |  |  |
| Income tax expense | \$ | 14,924 | \$ | 18,485 | \$ | $(3,561)$ | (19.3)\% |
| Effective tax rate |  | 22.5 |  | 24.6 |  |  |  |

Both the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 and the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 benefitted from certain items that resulted in a lower tax rate than the more typical annual effective tax rate of approximately $25 \%$.

The income tax expense in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 included the vesting of restricted stock awards at a price higher than the grant date fair value and certain other items. Income tax expense in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 included the benefit of the utilization of certain net operating loss carryforward amounts in certain state and foreign jurisdictions and certain other items.

## Net earnings

|  | Second Quarter |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 420,319 | \$ | 363,430 |
| Operating income | \$ | 67,674 | \$ | 75,371 |
| Net earnings | \$ | 51,453 | \$ | 56,612 |
| Net earnings per diluted share | \$ | 3.22 | \$ | 3.49 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted |  | 15,979 |  | 16,238 |

Net earnings per diluted share were $\$ 3.22$ in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 3.49$ in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022 reflecting the (1) increased SG\&A, (2) increased interest expense and (3) decreased royalties and other operating income. These decreases were partially offset by (1) higher sales and gross margin, (2) a decreased effective income tax rate and (3) share repurchases as noted above.

## FIRST HALF OF FISCAL 2023 COMPARED TO FIRST HALF OF FISCAL 2022

The discussion and tables below compare our statements of operations for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022. Each dollar and percentage change provided reflects the change between these fiscal periods unless indicated otherwise. Each dollar and share amount included in the tables is in thousands except for per share amounts. We have calculated all percentages based on actual data, and percentage columns in tables may not add due to rounding. Individual line items of our consolidated statements of operations, including gross profit, may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

The following table sets forth the specified line items in our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations both in dollars (in thousands) and as a percentage of net sales as well as the dollar change and the percentage change as compared to the same period of the prior year. The table also includes net earnings per diluted share and diluted weighted average shares outstanding (in thousands), as well as the change and the percentage change for each of these items as compared to the same period of the prior year.

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal |  | Fiscal |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ 840,416 | 100.0 \% | \$ 716,011 | 100.0 \% | \$ 124,405 | 17.4 \% |
| Cost of goods sold | 296,558 | 35.3 \% | 257,485 | 36.0 \% | 39,073 | 15.2 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ 543,858 | 64.7 \% | \$458,526 | 64.0 \% | \$ 85,332 | 18.6 \% |
| SG\&A | 408,380 | 48.6 \% | 320,547 | 44.8 \% | 87,833 | 27.4 \% |
| Royalties and other operating income | 12,497 | 1.5 \% | 13,370 | 1.9 \% | (873) | (6.5)\% |
| Operating income | \$ 147,975 | 17.6 \% | \$ 151,349 | 21.1 \% | \$ (3,374) | (2.2)\% |
| Interest expense, net | 3,639 | 0.4 \% | 516 | 0.1 \% | 3,123 | 605.2 \% |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ 144,336 | 17.2 \% | \$ 150,833 | 21.1 \% | \$ (6,497) | (4.3)\% |
| Income tax expense | 34,345 | 4.1 \% | 36,813 | 5.1 \% | $(2,468)$ | (6.7)\% |
| Net earnings | \$ 109,991 | 13.1 \% | \$ 114,020 | 15.9 \% | \$ (4,029) | (3.5) $\%$ |
| Net earnings per diluted share | \$ 6.86 |  | \$ 6.94 |  | \$ (0.08) | (1.2) $\%$ |
| Weighted average shares outstanding diluted | 16,025 |  | 16,430 |  | (405) | (2.5) $\%$ |

## Net Sales

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 484,878 | \$ | 472,032 | \$ | 12,846 | 2.7 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 188,799 |  | 180,710 |  | 8,089 | 4.5 \% |
| Johnny Was |  | 101,514 |  | - |  | 101,514 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 65,571 |  | 61,676 |  | 3,895 | 6.3 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | (346) |  | 1,593 |  | $(1,939)$ | (121.7)\% |
| Consolidated net sales | \$ | 840,416 | \$ | 716,011 | \$ | 124,405 | 17.4 \% |

Consolidated net sales were $\$ 840$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to net sales of $\$ 716$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2022. The $17 \%$ increase in net sales included (1) $\$ 102$ million in sales for Johnny Was, which was acquired during the Third Quarter of Fiscal 2022 and (2) increases in each operating group.

The increase in net sales by distribution channel consisted of the following:

- an increase in full-price retail sales of $\$ 35$ million, or $14 \%$, including (1) $\$ 36$ million of retail sales in Johnny Was and (2) a $\$ 4$ million increase in Emerging Brands as we opened new retail locations. These increases were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 2$ million decrease in Tommy Bahama and (2) a $\$ 1$ million decrease in Lilly Pulitzer;
- an increase in full-price e-commerce sales of $\$ 54$ million, or $26 \%$, including (1) $\$ 41$ million of e-commerce sales in Johnny Was, (2) a $\$ 5$ million increase in Lilly Pulitzer, (3) a $\$ 4$ million increase in Tommy Bahama and (4) a $\$ 4$ million increase in Emerging Brands;
- an increase in wholesale sales of $\$ 22$ million, or $14 \%$, including (1) $\$ 23$ million of wholesale sales in Johnny Was and (2) a $\$ 6$ million increase in Tommy Bahama. These increases were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 4$ million decrease in Lilly Pulitzer and (2) a $\$ 3$ million decrease in Emerging Brands;
- an increase in Lilly Pulitzer e-commerce flash clearance sales of $\$ 9$ million, or $115 \%$;
- an increase in food and beverage sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $6 \%$; and
- an increase in outlet sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $9 \%$, primarily driven by the addition of Johnny Was.

The following table presents the proportion of our consolidated net sales by distribution channel for each period presented. We have calculated all percentages below on actual data, and percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding.

|  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 39 \% | 41 \% |
| E-commerce | 33 \% | $30 \%$ |
| Food \& beverage | 7 \% | 8 \% |
| Wholesale | 21 \% | 21 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Tommy Bahama:

Tommy Bahama net sales increased $\$ 13$ million, or $3 \%$, in the First Half of Fiscal 2023, with an increase in (1) wholesale sales of $\$ 6$ million, or $8 \%$, (2) e-commerce sales of $\$ 5$ million, or $4 \%$, (3) food and beverage sales of $\$ 3$ million, or $6 \%$, and (4) outlet sales of $\$ 1$ million, or $3 \%$. These increases were partially offset by a decrease in full-price retail sales of $\$ 2$ million, or $1 \%$. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Tommy Bahama for each period presented:

|  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 45 \% | 47 \% |
| E-commerce | 24 \% | 24 \% |
| Food \& beverage | 13 \% | 12 \% |
| Wholesale | 18 \% | 17 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Lilly Pulitzer:

Lilly Pulitzer net sales increased $\$ 8$ million, or 5\%, in the First Half of Fiscal 2023. The First Half of Fiscal 2023 benefited from a larger e-commerce flash clearance sale and a $30 \%$ off direct to consumer event. The increase in net sales by distribution channel included an increase in e-commerce sales of $\$ 13$ million, or $17 \%$, including increased e-commerce flash clearance sales of $\$ 9$ million, or $115 \%$, and increased full-price e-commerce sales of $\$ 5$ million or $7 \%$. This increase was partially offset by decreased (1) wholesale sales of $\$ 4$ million, or $11 \%$ and (2) retail sales of $\$ 1$ million, or $2 \%$. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Lilly Pulitzer for each period presented:

|  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | $35 \%$ | $37 \%$ |
| E-commerce | 49 \% | 43 \% |
| Wholesale | 16 \% | 20 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Johnny Was:

Johnny Was net sales were $\$ 102$ million during the First Half of Fiscal 2023. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Johnny Was for each period presented:

|  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 37 \% | - \% |
| E-commerce | 40 \% | - \% |
| Wholesale | 23 \% | - \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | - \% |

## Emerging Brands:

Emerging Brands net sales increased $\$ 4$ million, or 6\%, in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 with increased sales in each brand. By distribution channel, the $\$ 4$ million increase included increases of (1) $\$ 4$ million, or $17 \%$, in e-commerce and (2) $\$ 3$ million, or $73 \%$, in retail sales as we opened new retail locations. These increases were partially offset by a $\$ 3$ million, or $8 \%$, decrease in wholesale sales that includes the impact of the acquisition and conversion of three former Southern Tide Signature Store operations to company owned retail stores. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Emerging Brands for each period presented:

|  | First Half |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| Retail | 10 \% | 6 \% |
| E-commerce | 42 \% | 38 \% |
| Wholesale | 48 \% | 56 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Corporate and Other:

Corporate and Other net sales primarily consist of net sales of our Lyons, Georgia distribution center business, our Oxford America business, which we exited in Fiscal 2022, and the elimination of any sales between operating groups.

## Gross Profit

The tables below present gross profit by operating group and in total for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, as well as the dollar change and percentage change between those two periods, and gross margin by operating group and in total. Our gross profit and gross margin, which is calculated as gross profit divided by net sales, may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as the statement of operations classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 313,536 | \$ | 304,139 | \$ | 9,397 | 3.1 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 131,395 |  | 126,848 |  | 4,547 | 3.6 \% |
| Johnny Was |  | 69,510 |  | - |  | 69,510 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 31,425 |  | 30,475 |  | 950 | 3.1 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(2,008)$ |  | $(2,936)$ |  | 928 | NM \% |
| Consolidated gross profit | \$ | 543,858 | \$ | 458,526 | \$ | 85,332 | 18.6 \% |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 2,758 | \$ | 3,737 |  |  |  |


|  | Fiscal 2023 | Fiscal 2022 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama | 64.7 \% | 64.4 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer | 69.6 \% | 70.2 \% |
| Johnny Was | 68.5 \% | - \% |
| Emerging Brands | 47.9 \% | 49.4 \% |
| Corporate and Other | NM \% | NM \% |
| Consolidated gross margin | 64.7 \% | 64.0 \% |

The increased gross profit of $19 \%$ was primarily due to the $17 \%$ increase in net sales as well as increased consolidated gross margin. The higher gross margin included (1) the $68.5 \%$ gross margin of Johnny Was, (2) reduced freight costs, (3) improved initial product margins, as certain sales prices were increased more than the increased product costs during the last year and (4) a $\$ 1$ million lower LIFO accounting charge in the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 compared to the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2022. These increases were partially offset by (1) increased e-commerce flash clearance sales in Lilly Pulitzer and (2) increased sales during the loyalty award, Flip Side marketing, and end of season clearance events in Tommy Bahama.

## Tommy Bahama:

The higher gross margin for Tommy Bahama was primarily due to (1) reduced freight costs, (2) improved initial product margins and (3) increased food and beverage gross margins. These increases were partially offset by increased sales during the loyalty award, Flip Side marketing, and end of season clearance events in Tommy Bahama.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

The lower gross margin for Lilly Pulitzer was primarily due to a change in sales mix with e-commerce flash clearance sales representing a larger proportion of net sales. This decrease was partially offset by (1) lower freight costs, (2) an increase in initial product margins and (3) a change in sales mix with wholesale sales representing a lower proportion of Lilly Pulitzer net sales.

## Johnny Was:

Gross margin for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 was 68.5\%.

## Emerging Brands:

The lower gross margin for Emerging Brands was primarily due to lower gross margin on wholesale sales due to offprice wholesale sales of previously marked down inventory representing a greater proportion of wholesale sales. This decrease was partially offset by a change in sales mix with direct to consumer sales representing a greater proportion of net sales.

## Corporate and Other:

The gross profit in Corporate and Other primarily reflects the impact of LIFO accounting adjustments, which was a $\$ 3$ million charge in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and $\$ 4$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2022, and the gross profit of the Lyons, Georgia distribution center and Oxford America businesses. The LIFO accounting impact in Corporate and Other in each period includes the net impact of (1) a charge in Corporate and Other when inventory that had been marked down in an operating group in a prior period was ultimately sold, (2) a credit in Corporate and Other when inventory had been marked down in an operating group in the current period, but had not been sold as of period end and (3) the change in the LIFO reserve, if any.

SG\&A

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| SG\&A | \$ | 408,380 | \$ | 320,547 | \$ | 87,833 | 27.4 \% |
| SG\&A (as a \% of net sales) |  | 48.6 \% |  | 44.8 \% |  |  |  |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Johnny Was intangible assets | \$ | 6,926 | \$ | - |  |  |  |

SG\&A was $\$ 408$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 321$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2022, with approximately $\$ 63$ million, or $72 \%$, of the increase due to the SG\&A of Johnny Was. The $27 \%$ increase in total SG\&A in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 included the following, each of which includes the SG\&A of Johnny Was: (1) increased employment costs of $\$ 25$ million, primarily due to increased head count, pay rate increases and other employment cost increases, including in our direct to consumer and distribution center operations partially offset by lower incentive compensation amounts, (2) an $\$ 18$ million increase in advertising expense, (3) a $\$ 12$ million increase in occupancy expenses, (4) a $\$ 12$ million increase in variable expenses related to higher sales, including credit card transaction fees, supplies, commissions, royalties and other expenses, (5) a $\$ 11$ million increase in administrative expenses including professional fees, travel and other items, (6) a $\$ 7$ million increase in amortization of intangible assets and (7) a $\$ 2$ million increase in depreciation expense.

## Royalties and other operating income

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Royalties and other operating income | \$ | 12,497 | \$ | 13,370 | \$ | (873) | (6.5) $\%$ |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gain on sale of Merida manufacturing facility | \$ | $(1,756)$ | \$ | - |  |  |  |

Royalties and other operating income typically consists primarily of income received from third parties from the licensing of our brands. The decreased royalties and other operating income in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 was primarily due to decreased royalty income in Tommy Bahama reflecting the lower sales of our licensing partners. This decrease was partially offset by a $\$ 2$ million gain recorded in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 on the sale of the Merida manufacturing facility in Mexico previously operated by our Lanier Apparel operating group, which we exited in Fiscal 2021.

## Operating income (loss)

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 106,558 | \$ | 111,524 | \$ | $(4,966)$ | (4.5)\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 43,082 |  | 47,670 |  | $(4,588)$ | (9.6)\% |
| Johnny Was |  | 6,331 |  | - |  | 6,331 | 100.0 \% |
| Emerging Brands |  | 6,941 |  | 11,727 |  | $(4,786)$ | (40.8)\% |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(14,937)$ |  | $(19,572)$ |  | 4,635 | NM \% |
| Consolidated operating income | \$ | 147,975 | \$ | 151,349 | \$ | $(3,374)$ | (2.2) $\%$ |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 2,758 | \$ | 3,737 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Johnny Was intangible assets | \$ | 6,926 | \$ | - |  |  |  |
| Gain on sale of Merida manufacturing facility | \$ | $(1,756)$ | \$ | - |  |  |  |

Operating income was $\$ 148$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 151$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2022. The decreased operating income included lower operating income in Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Emerging Brands. These decreases were partially offset by (1) the operating income of Johnny Was and (2) a lower operating loss in Corporate and Other.

## Tommy Bahama:

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 484,878 |  | 472,032 |  | 12,846 | 2.7 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 313,536 |  | 304,139 |  | 9,397 | 3.1 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 64.7 |  | 64.4 |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 106,558 |  | 111,524 |  | $(4,966)$ | (4.5)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 22.0 |  | 23.6 |  |  |  |

The decreased operating income for Tommy Bahama was primarily due to (1) increased SG\&A and (2) lower royalty income. These decreases were partially offset by higher sales and gross margin. The increased SG\&A was primarily due to (1) $\$ 6$ million of increased employment costs, (2) $\$ 3$ million increase in advertising expense, (3) $\$ 2$ million of increased variable expenses and (4) $\$ 2$ million increase in occupancy expenses.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

|  | First Half |  |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 188,799 | \$ | 180,710 |  | \$ | 8,089 | 4.5 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 131,395 | \$ | 126,848 |  | \$ | 4,547 | 3.6 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 69.6 |  | 70.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 43,082 | \$ | 47,670 |  | \$ | $(4,588)$ | (9.6)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 22.8 |  | 26.4 |  |  |  |  |

The decreased operating income for Lilly Pulitzer was due to increased SG\&A and lower gross margin, partially offset by higher sales. The increased SG\&A was primarily due to (1) $\$ 3$ million in increased advertising expense, (2) a $\$ 2$ million increase in administrative expenses including professional fees, travel and other items, (3) $\$ 1$ million of increased employment costs, (4) \$1 million of increased variable expenses and (5) \$1 million of increased depreciation.

Johnny Was:


Operating income for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 represents the acquired operations of Johnny Was that were negatively impacted by (1) $\$ 7$ million of amortization of intangible assets and (2) $\$ 1$ million of costs associated with the implementation of a new e-commerce platform.

## Emerging Brands:

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  | 2022 |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 65,571 | \$ | 61,676 | \$ | 3,895 | 6.3 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 31,425 | \$ | 30,475 | \$ | 950 | 3.1 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 47.9 |  | 49.4 |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 6,941 | \$ | 11,727 | \$ | $(4,786)$ | (40.8)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 10.6 |  | 19.0 |  |  |  |

The decreased operating income for Emerging Brands was due to increased SG\&A and lower gross margin, partially offset by higher sales. The increased SG\&A included (1) higher SG\&A associated with new retail store operations, including related employment costs, occupancy costs and administrative expenses, (2) higher advertising expense and (3) increased variable expenses resulting from increased sales.

Corporate and Other:

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  | al 2022 |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | (346) | \$ | 1,593 | \$ | $(1,939)$ | (121.7)\% |
| Gross profit | \$ | $(2,008)$ | \$ | $(2,936)$ | \$ | 928 | NM \% |
| Operating loss | \$ | $(14,937)$ | \$ | $(19,572)$ | \$ | 4,635 | NM \% |
| Notable items included in amounts above: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 2,758 | \$ | 3,737 |  |  |  |
| Gain on sale of Merida manufacturing facility | \$ | $(1,756)$ | \$ | - |  |  |  |

The improved operating results in Corporate and Other were primarily a result of (1) a $\$ 2$ million gain on the sale of the Merida manufacturing facility in Mexico, (2) decreased SG\&A, including decreased incentive compensation amounts and (3) a lower net LIFO accounting charge in the First Half of Fiscal 2023.

## Interest expense, net

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interest expense, net | \$ | 3,639 | \$ | 516 | \$ | 3,123 | 605.2 \% |

The higher interest expense in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 was primarily due to debt utilized to fund a portion of the acquisition of Johnny Was, while there was no debt outstanding in the First Half of Fiscal 2022. The interest expense for the First Half of Fiscal 2022 primarily consisted of unused line fees and amortization of deferred financing fees associated with the Prior Credit Agreement.

## Income tax

|  | First Half |  |  |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | al 2023 |  | 12022 |  |  |  |
| Income tax expense | \$ | 34,345 | \$ | 36,813 | \$ | $(2,468)$ | (6.7)\% |
| Effective tax rate |  | 23.8 |  | 24.4 |  |  |  |

Both the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022 benefited from the net favorable impact of certain items that resulted in a lower effective tax rate than the more typical annual effective tax rate of approximately $25 \%$.

The income tax expense in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 included the benefit of the vesting of restricted stock awards at a price higher than the grant date fair value and certain other items. The First Half of Fiscal 2022 benefited from the utilization of certain net operating loss carryforward amounts in certain state and foreign jurisdictions and certain other items.

## Net earnings

|  | First Half |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 840,416 | \$ | 716,011 |
| Operating income | \$ | 147,975 | \$ | 151,349 |
| Net earnings | \$ | 109,991 | \$ | 114,020 |
| Net earnings per diluted share | \$ | 6.86 | \$ | 6.94 |

Net earnings per diluted share were $\$ 6.86$ in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 compared to $\$ 6.94$ in the First Half of Fiscal 2022 reflecting the (1) increased SG\&A, (2) increased interest expense and (3) decreased royalties and operating other income. These decreases were partially offset by (1) higher sales and gross margin, (2) a decreased effective income tax rate and (3) share repurchases as noted above.

## FINANCIAL CONDITION, LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Our primary source of revenue and cash flow is through our design, sourcing, marketing and distribution of branded apparel products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Johnny Was, Southern Tide, TBBC and Duck Head lifestyle brands. We primarily distribute our products to our customers via direct to consumer channels of distribution, but we also distribute our products via wholesale channels of distribution.

Our primary uses of cash flow include the purchase of our branded apparel products from third party suppliers located outside of the United States, as well as operating expenses, including employee compensation and benefits, operating lease commitments and other occupancy-related costs, marketing and advertising costs, information technology costs, variable expenses, distribution costs, other general and administrative expenses and the periodic payment of interest. Additionally, we use our cash to fund capital expenditures and other investing activities, dividends, share repurchases and repayment of indebtedness, if any. In the ordinary course of business, we maintain certain levels of inventory, extend credit to our wholesale customers and pay our operating expenses. Thus, we require a certain amount of ongoing working capital to operate our business. Our need for working capital is typically seasonal with the greatest working capital requirements to support our larger spring, summer and holiday direct to consumer seasons. Our capital needs depend on many factors including the results of our operations and cash flows, anticipated growth rates, the need to finance inventory levels and the success of our various products.

We have a long history of generating sufficient cash flows from operations to satisfy our cash requirements for our ongoing capital expenditure needs as well as payment of dividends and repayment of our debt. Thus, we believe our anticipated future cash flows from operating activities will provide (1) sufficient cash over both the short and long term to satisfy our ongoing operating cash requirements, (2) ample funds to continue to invest in our businesses, (3) additional cash flow to repay outstanding debt and (4) sufficient cash for other strategic initiatives. Also, if cash inflows are less than cash outflows, we have access to amounts under our \$325 million Revolving Credit Agreement, subject to its terms, which is described below.

## Working Capital

| (\$ in thousands) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July 29, } \\ & 2023 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 28, } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 29, } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total current assets | \$ | 282,380 | \$ | 330,463 | \$ | 421,248 | \$ | 400,335 |
| Total current liabilities | \$ | 232,561 | \$ | 269,639 | \$ | 222,640 | \$ | 226,166 |
| Working capital | \$ | 49,819 | \$ | 60,824 | \$ | 198,608 | \$ | 174,169 |
| Working capital ratio |  | 1.21 |  | 1.23 |  | 1.89 |  | 1.77 |

Our working capital ratio is calculated by dividing total current assets by total current liabilities. Current assets as of July 29, 2023, decreased from July 30, 2022 primarily due to the decrease in cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments, which was used to fund a portion of the Johnny Was acquisition purchase price, partially offset by increased inventories, receivables, and prepaid expenses and other current assets, primarily due to the assets related to Johnny Was. Current liabilities as of July 29, 2023 increased from July 30, 2022 primarily due to the current liabilities associated with Johnny Was, partially offset by lower accrued incentive compensation and accrued taxes. Changes in current assets and current liabilities are discussed below.

## Balance Sheet

The following tables set forth certain information included in our consolidated balance sheets (in thousands). Below each table are explanations for any significant changes in the balances as of July 29, 2023 as compared to July 30, 2022.

Current Assets:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 29, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 28, } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \end{gathered}$ |  | January2022 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 7,790 | \$ | 8,826 | \$ | 31,269 | \$ | 44,859 |
| Short-term investments |  | - |  | - |  | 154,754 |  | 164,890 |
| Receivables, net |  | 55,583 |  | 43,986 |  | 48,691 |  | 31,588 |
| Inventories, net |  | 161,866 |  | 220,138 |  | 135,483 |  | 117,709 |
| Income tax receivable |  | 19,401 |  | 19,440 |  | 19,743 |  | 19,728 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 37,740 |  | 38,073 |  | 31,308 |  | 21,561 |
| Total current assets | \$ | 282,380 | \$ | 330,463 | \$ | 421,248 | \$ | 400,335 |

Cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments were $\$ 8$ million as of July 29, 2023, compared to $\$ 186$ million as of July 30, 2022. The decrease in cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments from July 30, 2022 was due to the use of cash and short-term investments to fund a portion of the Johnny Was acquisition purchase price, with the remainder funded via borrowings pursuant to our Revolving Credit Agreement.

The increased receivables, net as of July 29, 2023, included $\$ 9$ million of receivables associated with Johnny Was partially offset by decreases in receivables of our other brands primarily due to lower wholesale sales.

Inventories, net, included a $\$ 76$ million and $\$ 74$ million LIFO reserve as of July 29, 2023, and July 30, 2022, respectively. The increased inventories, net as of July 29, 2023 included inventories of $\$ 18$ million associated with Johnny Was. The increase in inventories of our other brands included (1) anticipated sales growth in each of our brands, (2) higher levels of core product and (3) increased product costs.

The increase in prepaid expenses and other current assets as of July 29, 2023 was primarily due to prepaid expenses and other current assets associated with Johnny Was.

Non-current Assets:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 29, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 28, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \end{gathered}$ |  | January 29, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Property and equipment, net | \$ | 188,004 | \$ | 177,584 | \$ | 150,887 | \$ | 152,447 |
| Intangible assets, net |  | 277,114 |  | 283,845 |  | 154,853 |  | 155,307 |
| Goodwill |  | 123,079 |  | 120,498 |  | 23,861 |  | 23,869 |
| Operating lease assets |  | 241,452 |  | 240,690 |  | 179,217 |  | 195,100 |
| Other assets, net |  | 37,829 |  | 35,585 |  | 27,136 |  | 30,584 |
| Total non-current assets | \$ | 867,478 | \$ | 858,202 | \$ | 535,954 | \$ | 557,307 |

Property and equipment, net as of July 29, 2023, increased primarily due to the addition of $\$ 20$ million of property and equipment associated with Johnny Was. The additional increase was due to capital expenditures exceeding depreciation since July 30, 2022.

Intangible assets, net and goodwill as of July 29, 2023, increased primarily due to the $\$ 135$ million of intangible assets, less accumulated amortization, and $\$ 98$ million of goodwill associated with the acquisition of Johnny Was.

Operating lease assets as of July 29, 2023, increased primarily due to the operating lease assets associated with Johnny Was of $\$ 55$ million and additional increases in operating lease assets associated with new or extended operating leases in our other businesses. The increase in other assets, net as of July 29, 2023, was primarily due to an increase in equity investments in unconsolidated entities including the $\$ 8$ million investment in Fiscal 2022 in the entity that owns the Tommy Bahama resort.

Liabilities:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July } 29, \\ 2023, \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { January 28, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { July 30, } \\ 2022 \end{gathered}$ |  | January 29,2022 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total current liabilities | \$ | 232,561 | \$ | 269,639 | \$ | 222,640 | \$ | 226,166 |
| Long-term debt |  | 48,472 |  | 119,011 |  | - |  | - |
| Non-current portion of operating lease liabilities |  | 219,207 |  | 220,709 |  | 180,092 |  | 199,488 |
| Other non-current liabilities |  | 20,402 |  | 20,055 |  | 19,200 |  | 21,413 |
| Deferred income taxes |  | 4,587 |  | 2,981 |  | 1,254 |  | 2,911 |
| Total liabilities | \$ | 525,229 | \$ | 632,395 | \$ | 423,186 | \$ | 449,978 |

Current liabilities increased as of July 29, 2023 primarily due to current liabilities of $\$ 27$ million associated with Johnny Was. This increase was partially offset by lower accrued incentive compensation amounts and lower accrued income taxes.

The long-term debt of $\$ 48$ million as of July 29, 2023, was primarily due to borrowing certain amounts to fund a portion of the acquisition of Johnny Was. The non-current portion of operating lease liabilities as of July 29, 2023 increased primarily due to the addition of $\$ 47$ million of operating lease liability amounts associated with Johnny Was partially offset by the net impact of the payment of operating lease liabilities and reductions in liabilities.

## Statement of Cash Flows

The following table sets forth the net cash flows for the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022 (in thousands):

|  | First Half |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2023 |  | Fiscal 2022 |  |
| Cash provided by operating activities | \$ | 152,500 | \$ | 90,629 |
| Cash used in investing activities |  | $(32,638)$ |  | $(9,796)$ |
| Cash used in financing activities |  | $(120,881)$ |  | $(94,803)$ |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | \$ | $(1,019)$ | \$ | $(13,970)$ |

Cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments, in the aggregate, were $\$ 8$ million and $\$ 186$ million as of July 29, 2023, and July 30, 2022, respectively. The decrease in cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments from July 30 , 2022, was due to the use of cash and short-term investments to fund the acquisition of Johnny Was, with the remainder of the purchase price funded through borrowings pursuant to our Revolving Credit Agreement. Changes in cash flows in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022 related to operating activities, investing activities and financing activities are discussed below.

## Operating Activities:

In the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, operating activities provided $\$ 153$ million and $\$ 91$ million of cash, respectively. The cash flow from operating activities for each period primarily consisted of net earnings for the relevant period adjusted, as applicable, for non-cash activities including depreciation, amortization of intangible assets, equity-based compensation, gain on sale of assets, and other non-cash items as well as the net impact of changes in deferred income taxes and operating assets and liabilities.

In the First Half of Fiscal 2023, the net change in operating assets and liabilities was primarily due to a decrease in inventories that increased cash flow from operations, partially offset by a decrease in current liabilities and an increase in receivables that decreased cash flow from operations. In the First Half of Fiscal 2022, the net change in operating assets and liabilities was primarily due to an increase in inventories, receivables and prepaid expenses that decreased cash flow from operations.

## Investing Activities:

In the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, investing activities used $\$ 33$ million and $\$ 10$ million of cash, respectively. On an ongoing basis, our cash flow used in investing activities primarily consists of our capital expenditures, which totaled $\$ 31$ million and $\$ 20$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, respectively. In addition to our capital expenditures in the First Half of Fiscal 2023, we paid $\$ 3$ million in the aggregate for a working capital settlement associated with the acquisition of Johnny Was and the acquisition of three former Southern Tide Signature Stores. We also received $\$ 2$ million from the sale of the Merida manufacturing facility in Mexico. In the First Half of Fiscal 2022, we converted $\$ 10$ million of short-term investments to cash based on our short-term cash needs.

On an ongoing basis, our cash flow used in investing activities is expected to primarily consist of our capital expenditure investments in (1) direct to consumer operations, including opening, relocating and remodeling locations, and facilities enhancements for distribution centers and offices, and (2) information technology initiatives, including ecommerce capabilities.

## Financing Activities:

In the First Half of Fiscal 2023 and the First Half of Fiscal 2022, financing activities used $\$ 121$ million and $\$ 95$ million of cash, respectively. In the First Half of Fiscal 2023, we repurchased $\$ 29$ million of shares, including repurchased shares of our stock pursuant to an open market stock repurchase program and of equity awards in respect of employee tax withholding liabilities, paid $\$ 21$ million of dividends and paid $\$ 2$ million in deferred financing costs associated with the amendment of the Revolving Credit Agreement. In the First Half of Fiscal 2022, we repurchased $\$ 76$ million of shares, including repurchased shares of our stock pursuant to an open market stock repurchase program and of equity awards in respect of employee tax withholding liabilities; paid $\$ 18$ million of dividends and paid $\$ 2$ million of contingent consideration for the final contingent consideration payment related to the TBBC acquisition.

If net cash requirements are less than our net cash flows, we may repay amounts outstanding on our Revolving Credit Agreement, if any, consistent with our repayment of $\$ 71$ million of long-term debt in the First Half of Fiscal 2023. Alternatively, to the extent we are in a net debt position, and our net cash requirements exceed our net cash flows, we may borrow amounts from our Revolving Credit Agreement.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

We have a long history of generating sufficient cash flows from operations to satisfy our cash requirements for our ongoing capital expenditure needs as well as payment of dividends and repayment of our debt. Thus, we believe our anticipated future cash flows from operating activities will provide (1) sufficient cash over both the short and long term to satisfy our ongoing operating cash requirements, (2) ample funds to continue to invest in our lifestyle brands, direct to consumer initiatives and information technology projects, (3) additional cash flow to repay outstanding debt and (4) sufficient cash for other strategic initiatives.

Our capital needs depend on many factors including the results of our operations and cash flows, future growth rates, the need to finance inventory and the success of our various products. To the extent cash flow needs in the future exceed cash flow provided by our operations, we will have access, subject to its terms, to our Revolving Credit Agreement to provide funding for operating activities, capital expenditures and acquisitions, if any, and any other investing or financing activities.

Our cash and debt, as well as availability, levels in future periods will not be comparable to historical amounts, particularly after the completion of the acquisition of Johnny Was in September 2022. We anticipate our debt will be further reduced during the Second Half of Fiscal 2023 following the reduction of long-term debt by $\$ 71$ million in the First Half of Fiscal 2023. Further, we continue to assess, and may possibly make changes to, our capital structure, which we may achieve by borrowing from additional credit facilities, selling debt or equity securities or repurchasing additional shares of our stock in the future. Changes in our capital structure, if any, will depend on prevailing market conditions, our liquidity requirements, contractual restrictions and other factors. The amounts involved may be material.

## \$325 Million Revolving Credit Agreement

On March 6, 2023, we amended the Revolving Credit Agreement to, among other things, mature in March 2028. As of July 29, 2023, we had borrowings of \$48 million, issued standby letters of credit of \$6 million, and availability of \$266 million under the Revolving Credit Agreement.

Pursuant to the Revolving Credit Agreement, the interest rate applicable to our borrowings under the Revolving Credit Agreement are based on either the Term Secured Overnight Financing Rate plus an applicable margin of 135 to 185 basis points or prime plus an applicable margin of 25 to 75 basis points.

The Revolving Credit Agreement generally (1) is limited to a borrowing base consisting of specified percentages of eligible categories of assets, (2) accrues variable-rate interest (weighted average interest rate of $8 \%$ as of July 29, 2023), unused line fees and letter of credit fees based upon average utilization or unused availability, as applicable, (3) requires periodic interest payments with principal due at maturity and (4) is secured by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the assets of Oxford Industries, Inc. and its domestic subsidiaries, including accounts receivable, books and records, chattel paper, deposit accounts, equipment, certain general intangibles, inventory, investment property (including the equity interests of certain subsidiaries), negotiable collateral, life insurance policies, supporting obligations, commercial tort claims, cash and cash equivalents, eligible trademarks, proceeds and other personal property.

The Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to a number of affirmative covenants regarding the delivery of financial information, compliance with law, maintenance of property, insurance requirements and conduct of business. Also, the Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to certain negative covenants or other restrictions including, among other things, limitations on our ability to (1) incur debt, (2) guaranty certain obligations, (3) incur liens, (4) pay dividends to shareholders, (5) repurchase shares of our common stock, (6) make investments, (7) sell assets or stock of subsidiaries, (8) acquire assets or businesses, (9) merge or consolidate with other companies or (10) prepay, retire, repurchase or redeem debt.

Additionally, the Revolving Credit Agreement contains a financial covenant that applies only if excess availability under the agreement for three consecutive business days is less than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability. In such case, our fixed charge coverage ratio as defined in the Revolving Credit Agreement must not be less than 1.0 to 1.0 for the immediately preceding 12 fiscal months for which financial statements have been delivered. This financial covenant continues to apply until we have maintained excess availability under the Revolving Credit Agreement of more than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability for 30 consecutive days.

We believe that the affirmative covenants, negative covenants, financial covenants and other restrictions under the Revolving Credit Agreement are customary for those included in similar facilities entered into at the time we amended the Revolving Credit Agreement. During Fiscal 2023 and as of July 29, 2023, no financial covenant testing was required pursuant to our Revolving Credit Agreement or the Prior Credit Agreement, as applicable, as the minimum availability threshold was met at all times. As of July 29, 2023, we were compliant with all applicable covenants related to the Revolving Credit Agreement.

## Operating Lease Commitments:

Refer to Note 4 in our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this report for additional information about our operating lease commitments as of July 29, 2023.

## Dividends:

On August 30, 2023, our Board of Directors approved a cash dividend of $\$ 0.65$ per share payable on October 27, 2023 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on October 13, 2023. Although we have paid dividends each quarter since we became a public company in July 1960, we may discontinue or modify dividend payments at any time if we determine that other uses of our capital, including payment of outstanding debt, funding of acquisitions, funding of capital expenditures or repurchases of outstanding shares, may be in our best interest; if our expectations of future cash flows and future cash needs outweigh the ability to pay a dividend; or if the terms of our credit facility, other debt instruments or
applicable law limit our ability to pay dividends. We may borrow to fund dividends or repurchase shares in the short term subject to the terms and conditions of our credit facility, other debt instruments and applicable law. All cash flow from operations will not be paid out as dividends.

## Capital Expenditures:

Our anticipated capital expenditures for Fiscal 2023, including the $\$ 31$ million incurred in the First Half of Fiscal 2023, are expected to be approximately $\$ 90$ million, as compared to $\$ 47$ million for Fiscal 2022. The planned increase in capital expenditures includes spend associated with new brick and mortar locations and relocations and remodels of existing locations resulting in a year-over-year net increase of full price stores of approximately 25 by the end of Fiscal 2023. The spend associated with these brick and mortar locations represents about one-half of the planned capital expenditure amount for 2023. Additionally, we will continue with our investments in our various technology systems initiatives, including e-commerce and omnichannel capabilities, data management and analytics, customer data and insights, cybersecurity, automation including artificial intelligence and infrastructure. Finally, we anticipate spend associated with a multi-year Southeastern United States distribution center enhancement project to ensure best-in-class direct-to-consumer throughput capabilities for our brands.

## Other Liquidity Items:

Our contractual obligations as of July 29, 2023 except for the decreased debt outstanding, as discussed above, have not changed materially from the contractual obligations outstanding at January 28, 2023, as disclosed in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. We have not entered into agreements which meet the SEC's definition of an off balance sheet financing arrangement, other than operating leases, and have made no financial commitments or guarantees with respect to any unconsolidated subsidiaries or special purpose entities.

## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations are based upon our condensed consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP in a consistent manner. The preparation of these financial statements requires the selection and application of accounting policies. Further, the application of GAAP requires us to make estimates and judgments about future events that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses and related disclosures. We base our estimates on historical experience, current trends and various other assumptions that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources.

Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions. We believe it is possible that other professionals, applying reasonable judgment to the same set of facts and circumstances, could develop and support a range of alternative estimated amounts. We believe that we have appropriately applied our critical accounting policies. However, in the event that inappropriate assumptions or methods were used relating to the critical accounting policies, our consolidated statements of operations could be materially misstated.

Our critical accounting policies and estimates are discussed in Part II, Item 7, Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. There have not been any significant changes to our critical accounting policies and estimates during the First Half of Fiscal 2023. A detailed summary of significant accounting policies is included in Note 1 to our consolidated financial statements contained in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K.

## SEASONAL ASPECTS OF OUR BUSINESS

Each of our operating groups is impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style, as well as by distribution channel, may vary significantly depending on the time of year. As a result, our quarterly operating results and working capital requirements fluctuate significantly from quarter to quarter. Typically, the demand for products for our larger brands is higher in the spring, summer and holiday seasons and lower in the fall season (the third quarter of our
fiscal year). Thus, our third quarter historically has had the lowest net sales and net earnings compared to other quarters. Further, the impact of certain unusual or non-recurring items, economic conditions, our e-commerce flash clearance sales, wholesale product shipments, weather, acquisitions or other factors affecting our operations may vary from one year to the next. Therefore, due to the potential impact of these items, we do not believe that net sales or operating income in the First Half of Fiscal 2023 is indicative of the expected proportion of amounts by quarter for future periods.

## ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

We are exposed to certain interest rate, foreign currency, commodity and inflation risks as discussed in Part II, Item 7A, Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K. There have not been any material changes in our exposure to these risks during the First Half of Fiscal 2023 other than our decreased exposure to interest rates resulting from our decreased borrowings relative to January 28, 2023.

## ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

## Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Our company, under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, have evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based upon that evaluation, our principal executive officer and our principal financial officer concluded that, as of the end of the period covered by this report, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective.

## Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

There were no changes in our internal controls over financial reporting identified in connection with the evaluation required by Rule 13a-15(d) of the Exchange Act during the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023 that materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

## PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

## ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

From time to time, we are a party to litigation and regulatory actions arising in the ordinary course of business. These actions may relate to trademark and other intellectual property, employee relations matters, real estate, licensing arrangements, importing or exporting regulations, product safety requirements, taxation or other topics. We are not currently a party to any litigation or regulatory action or aware of any proceedings contemplated by governmental authorities that we believe could reasonably be expected to have a material impact on our financial position, results of operations or cash flows. However, our assessment of any litigation or other legal claims could potentially change in light of the discovery of additional factors not presently known or determinations by judges, juries, or others which are not consistent with our evaluation of the possible liability or outcome of such litigation or claims.

## ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

Our business is subject to numerous risks. Investors should carefully consider the factors discussed in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K, which could materially affect our business, financial condition or operating results. We operate in a competitive and rapidly changing business environment and additional risks and uncertainties that we currently consider immaterial or not presently known to us may also adversely affect our business. The risks described in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K are not the only risks facing our company.

## ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

(a) During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, we did not make any unregistered sales of equity securities.
(c) During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, we repurchased the following shares of our common stock:

| Fiscal Month | Total Number of Shares Purchased |  |  | Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plans or Programs | Dollar Value (000s) of Shares That May Yet be Purchased Under the Plans or Programs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May (4/30/23-5/27/23) | 47,034 | \$ | 105.12 | 47,034 | \$ 45,056 |
| June (5/28/23-7/1/23) | 84,228 | \$ | 99.36 | 84,228 | \$ 36,687 |
| July (7/2/23-7/29/23) | 147,719 | \$ | 105.44 | 147,719 | \$ 31,052 |
| Total | 278,981 | \$ | 103.55 | $\underline{278,981}$ | \$ 31,052 |

On December 7, 2021, our Board of Directors authorized us to spend up to $\$ 150$ million to repurchase shares of our stock. This authorization superseded and replaced all previous authorizations to repurchase shares of our stock and has no automatic expiration.

Pursuant to the Board of Directors' authorization, we entered into a $\$ 20$ million open market stock repurchase program (Rule 10b5-1 plan) to acquire shares of our stock, under which we repurchased 186,000 shares of our common stock for $\$ 19$ million during the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023. After considering the repurchases during the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, there was $\$ 1$ million remaining under the open market repurchase program and $\$ 31$ million remaining under the Board of Directors' authorization as of July 29, 2023.

Subsequent to July 29, 2023, we repurchased an additional 10,000 shares of our common stock for $\$ 1$ million that completed the open market repurchase program as of August 31, 2023.

Also, we have certain stock incentive plans as described in Note 8 to our consolidated financial statements included in our Fiscal 2022 Form 10-K, all of which are publicly announced plans. Under the plans, we can repurchase shares from employees to cover employee tax liabilities related to the vesting of shares of our stock. During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, we repurchased $\$ 10$ million of shares from employees, which are included in the table above.

## ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION

During the Second Quarter of Fiscal 2023, none of our directors or officers adopted or terminated a "Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement" or a "non-Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement," as each term is defined in Item 408 of Regulation S-K.

## ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

| 3.1 | Restated Articles of Incorporation of Oxford Industries, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Form 10Q for the fiscal quarter ended July 29, 2017). |
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| 3.2 | Bylaws of Oxford Industries, Inc., as amended (filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 18, 2020). |
| 31.1 | Section 302 Certification by Principal Executive Officer.* |
| 31.2 | Section 302 Certification by Principal Financial Officer.* |
| 32 | Section 906 Certification by Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer.* |
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| 101.SCH | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document* |
| 101.CAL | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document* |
| 101.DEF | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document* |
| 101.LAB | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document* |
| 101.PRE | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document* |
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|  | * Filed herewith. |

## 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 thereunto duly authorized.

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES,INC.

(Registrant)
/s/ K. Scott Grassmyer
K. Scott Grassmyer

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer
(Authorized Signatory)

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a) AND SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Thomas C. Chubb III, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this report on Form $10-Q$ of Oxford Industries, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: September 1, 2023
/s/ Thomas C. Chubb III
Thomas C. Chubb III
Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President
(Principal Executive Officer)

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a) AND SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, K. Scott Grassmyer, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this report on Form $10-Q$ of Oxford Industries, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: September 1, 2023

| /s/ K. Scott Grassmyer |
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| K. Scott Grassmyer |
| Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and |
| Chief Operating Officer |
| (Principal Financial Officer) |

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO <br> 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, <br> AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO <br> SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q ("Form 10-Q") for the quarter ended July 29, 2023 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, Thomas C. Chubb III, Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President of the Company, and I, K. Scott Grassmyer, Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer of the Company, each certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that, to my knowledge:
(1) The Form 10-Q fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
(2) The information contained in the Form 10-Q fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.
/s/ Thomas C. Chubb III
Thomas C. Chubb III
Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President
September 1, 2023
/s/ K. Scott Grassmyer
K. Scott Grassmyer

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and
Chief Operating Officer
September 1, 2023


[^0]:    See accompanying notes.

