

CEDAR FAIR L P
Form 5
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BENDER H PHILLIP

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Executive VP Operations

ONE CEDAR POINT DRIVE

(Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
02/17/2015

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

SANDUSKY, OH 44870-5259

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Units of Limited Partner Interest | | | | (A) or (D) Price | 52,529 | D | |

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

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

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount or Number of Shares |
| call options to purchase limited partnership units | \$ 36.95 | Â | Â | Â | Â Â Â (1) | 02/26/2023 | Units of Limited Partner Interest 18,1 |
| call options to purchase limited partnership units | \$ 29.53 | Â | Â | Â | Â Â Â (2) | 03/27/2022 | Units of Limited Partner Interest 12,3 |
| Phantom Units | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â Â | 03/03/2014 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/03/2015 ⁽⁴⁾ | Units of Limited Partner Interest 2,5 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BENDER H PHILLIP ONE CEDAR POINT DRIVE SANDUSKY, OH 44870-5259 | Â | Â | Â Executive VP Operations | Â |

Signatures

H. Philip Bender 02/17/2015
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Options vest at a rate of 33% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on February 26, 2014.
- (2) Options vest at a rate of 33% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on March 27, 2013.

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- (3) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one limited partner unit in Cedar Fair, L.P.
- (4) This award vests in two equal installments on March 3, 2014 and 2015, respectively, assuming the grantee continues to be employed with the Company.

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