LIBERTY ALL STAR EQUITY FUND

Form N-Q May 22, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-04809

LIBERTY ALL-STAR EQUITY FUND

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

1290 Broadway, Suite 1100, Denver, Colorado 80203

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Alex J. Marks
ALPS Fund Services, Inc.
1290 Broadway, Suite 1100

<u>Denver, Colorado 80203</u>

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (303) 623-2577

Date of fiscal year end: December 31

Date of reporting period: January 1 – March 31, 2015

Item 1 – Schedule of Investments.

Liberty All-Star® Equity Fund Schedule of Investments As of March 31, 2015 (unaudited)

	SHARES	MARKET VALUE
COMMON STOCKS (97.60%)		
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (17.43	%)	
Auto Components (1.06%)	,	
Johnson Controls, Inc.	154,000	\$7,767,760
TRW Automotive Holdings Corp.(a)	48,400	5,074,740
	•	12,842,500
Automobiles (0.51%)		, ,
Ford Motor Co.	385,900	6,228,426
	,	, ,
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure (5.17%)		
Carnival Corp.	247,850	11,857,144
Chipotle Mexican Grill, Inc.(a)	9,875	6,424,082
Marriott International, Inc., Class A	189,101	15,188,592
McDonald's Corp.	63,000	6,138,720
Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd.	70,341	5,757,411
Starbucks Corp.	180,791	17,120,908
		62,486,857
Household Durables (1.96%)		
Lennar Corp., Class A	54,590	2,828,308
PulteGroup, Inc.	413,529	9,192,750
Taylor Morrison Home Corp., Class A ^(a)	71,159	1,483,665
Toll Brothers, Inc. ^(a)	258,677	10,176,353
		23,681,076
Internet & Catalog Retail (2.05%)		
Amazon.com, Inc. ^(a)	36,278	13,499,044
priceline.com, Inc. ^(a)	9,680	11,268,972
		24,768,016
Media (3.29%)		
CBS Corp., Class B	59,019	3,578,322
Comcast Corp., Class A	109,912	6,206,731
The Interpublic Group of Cos., Inc.	128,075	2,833,019
News Corp., Class A ^(a)	305,600	4,892,656
News Corp., Class B ^(a)	112,445	1,784,502
Omnicom Group, Inc.	93,825	7,316,474
Time Warner Cable, Inc.	24,956	3,740,405
The Walt Disney Co.	90,298	9,471,357
		39,823,466
Multi-Line Retail (0.75%)		
Dollar General Corp. ^(a)	119,789	9,029,695
Specialty Retail (1.91%)		
The Home Depot, Inc.	77,739	8,831,928
Office Depot, Inc.(a)	482,550	4,439,460

Staples, Inc. 297,632 4,846,937

MARKET

	SHARES	VALUE
COMMON STOCKS (continued)		
Specialty Retail (continued)		
Tiffany & Co.	57,315	\$5,044,293
		23,162,618
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods (0.		4 605 110
NIKE, Inc., Class B	46,099	4,625,112
Under Armour, Inc., Class A ^(a)	52,800	4,263,600
		8,888,712
CONSUMER STAPLES (3.99%)		
Beverages (1.01%)		
Diageo PLC(b)	28,189	3,116,858
Monster Beverage Corp.(a)	24,900	3,446,035
PepsiCo, Inc.	60,000	5,737,200
•		12,300,093
Food & Staples Retailing (1.14%)		
Costco Wholesale Corp.	44,775	6,783,189
CVS Health Corp.	68,000	7,018,280
		13,801,469
Food Products (0.60%)		
Mead Johnson Nutrition Co.	71,900	7,228,107
Household Decidents (0.50%)		
Household Products (0.59%) The Procter & Gamble Co.	87,500	7,169,750
The Flocter & Gamble Co.	67,300	7,109,730
Personal Products (0.65%)		
The Estee Lauder Cos., Inc., Class A	94,327	7,844,233
	,	.,
ENERGY (10.01%)		
Energy Equipment & Services (2.31%))	
Baker Hughes, Inc.	66,300	4,215,354
Schlumberger Ltd.	139,415	11,632,787
Weatherford International Ltd.(a)	988,830	12,162,609
		28,010,750
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels (7.70%)		- 4
Anadarko Petroleum Corp.	62,372	5,165,025
BP PLC ^(b)	244,301	9,554,612
Chesapeake Energy Corp.(c)	845,186	11,967,834
Chevron Corp.	58,000	6,088,840
ConocoPhillips	86,500	5,385,490
Devon Energy Corp.	139,559	8,416,803
EOG Resources, Inc.	55,601	5,098,056
Exxon Mobil Corp.	44,775	3,805,875
Murphy Oil Corp. Occidental Petroleum Corp.	94,175 86,500	4,388,555 6,314,500
occidental i cubicum corp.	00,500	0,514,500

	SHARES	MARKET VALUE
COMMON STOCKS (continued)		
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels (continued) Peabody Energy Corp. (c) Royal Dutch Shell PLC, Class A(b) SM Energy Co. WPX Energy, Inc. (a)	1,192,725 154,493 54,844 825,256	\$5,868,207 9,215,508 2,834,338 9,020,048 93,123,691
FINANCIALS (27.74%) Banks (0.39%)		
First Niagara Financial Group, Inc.	539,370	4,768,031
Capital Markets (6.51%)		
Affiliated Managers Group, Inc.(a)	23,772	5,105,750
Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	33,696	4,408,785
The Charles Schwab Corp.	349,919	10,651,534
Franklin Resources, Inc.	117,500	6,030,100
The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	34,275	6,442,672
Morgan Stanley	357,175	12,747,576
State Street Corp.	359,846	26,459,476
UBS Group AG ^(a)	370,400	6,952,408
		78,798,301
Commercial Banks (5.06%)		
Barclays PLC ^(b)	261,781	3,814,149
BB&T Corp.	205,000	7,992,950
Comerica, Inc.	55,614	2,509,860
First Republic Bank	101,737	5,808,165
The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc.	70,666	6,588,898
Regions Financial Corp.	725,353	6,854,586
SunTrust Banks, Inc.	441,478	18,140,331
Wells Fargo & Co.	174,000	9,465,600
C (2.410)		61,174,539
Consumer Finance (2.41%)	46,000	2 502 520
American Express Co.	46,000	3,593,520
Capital One Financial Corp.	101,000	7,960,820
Visa, Inc., Class A	268,132	17,538,514 29,092,854
Diversified Financial Services (5.14%)		29,092,634
Bank of America Corp.	517,200	7,959,708
Citigroup, Inc.	418,729	21,572,918
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	422,320	25,584,146
Voya Financial, Inc.	162,620	7,010,548
	102,020	62,127,320
Insurance (6.52%)		- /· ,:
ACE Ltd.	84,900	9,465,501
	•	, ,

MARKET SHARES VALUE COMMON STOCKS (continued) Insurance (continued) The Allstate Corp. 66,717 \$4,748,249 American International Group, Inc. 253,105 13,867,623 Assured Guaranty Ltd. 246,096 6,494,473 Axis Capital Holdings Ltd. 8,046,480 156,000 First American Financial Corp. 3,940,927 110,452 Genworth Financial, Inc., Class A(a) 197,100 1,440,801 The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. 238,295 9,965,497 MetLife, Inc. 304,725 15,403,849 Willis Group Holdings PLC 115,350 5,557,563 78,930,963 Real Estate Investment Trusts (1.30%) American Tower Corp. 130,160 12,254,564 NorthStar Realty Finance Corp. 158,413 2,870,444 Paramount Group, Inc. 31,582 609,533 Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc., Class A 522 9,714 15,744,255 Real Estate Management & Development (0.41%) Forest City Enterprises, Inc., Class A^(a) 193,469 4,937,329 **HEALTH CARE (12.88%)** Biotechnology (3.44%) Alexion Pharmaceuticals, Inc.(a) 71,188 12,336,880 BioMarin Pharmaceutical, Inc.(a) 60,545 7,545,118 Celgene Corp.(a) 87,530 10,090,458 Gilead Sciences, Inc.(a) 118,492 11,627,620 41,600,076 Health Care Equipment & Supplies (1.65%) Baxter International, Inc. 93,875 6,430,438 Hologic, Inc.(a) 5,577,922 168,900 Zimmer Holdings, Inc. 68,000 7,991,360 19,999,720 Health Care Providers & Services (2.09%) Catamaran Corp.(a) 159,548 9,499,488 Cigna Corp. 80,500 10,419,920 Envision Healthcare Holdings, Inc.(a) 71,252 2,732,514 Laboratory Corp. of America Holdings^(a) 21,175 2,669,956 25,321,878 Health Care Technology (1.54%)

54,000

166,668

6,447,060

12,210,098 18,657,158

athenahealth, Inc.(a)(c)

Cerner Corp.(a)

Edyal Filling. LIDENTY ALL STAN Ed			
COMMON STOCKS (continued)	SHARES	MARKET VALUE	
Life Sciences Tools & Services (1.27%)			
Illumina, Inc. ^(a)	46,800	\$8,687,952	
Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc.	49,500	6,649,830	
		15,337,782	
Pharmaceuticals (2.89%)			
Abbott Laboratories	107,925	5,000,165	
Actavis PLC ^(a)	22,995	6,843,772	
Johnson & Johnson	66,500	6,689,900	
Perrigo Co. PLC	48,365	8,006,826	
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.(b)	134,200	8,360,660	
		34,901,323	
INDUSTRIALS (4.64%)			
Aerospace & Defense (1.27%)			
The Boeing Co.	4,095	614,578	
Bombardier, Inc., Class B	795,158	1,574,413	
Precision Castparts Corp.	32,223	6,766,830	
Textron, Inc.	144,901	6,423,461	
		15,379,282	
Building Products (0.32%)			
Masco Corp.	142,896	3,815,323	
1	,		
Electrical Equipment (0.72%)			
Eaton Corp. PLC	129,000	8,764,260	
1	,		
Machinery (1.46%)			
Caterpillar, Inc.	64,000	5,121,920	
Parker-Hannifin Corp.	52,825	6,274,553	
Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.	65,550	6,250,848	
	/	17,647,321	
Trading Companies & Distributors (0.55%)	%)	.,,-	
Fastenal Co.	99,492	4,122,451	
HD Supply Holdings, Inc.(a)	81,516	2,539,631	
FF-7	,	6,662,082	
Transportation Infrastructure (0.32%)		-, -,	
A	271 (20	2 002 200	

Communications Equipment (1.71%)		
Cisco Systems, Inc.	263,000	7,239,075
QUALCOMM, Inc.	193,900	13,445,026 20,684,101
Computers & Peripherals (1.72%)		
Hewlett-Packard Co.	461,400	14,377,224

14,377,224

Aegean Marine Petroleum Network, Inc. 271,629 3,903,309

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (20.09%)

MARKET

21112	** * * * * *
SHARES	VALUE
SHAILS	VALUE

	SHARES	VALUE		
COMMON STOCKS (continued)				
Computers & Peripherals (continu	ed)			
Stratasys Ltd. ^{(a)(c)}	122,555	\$6,468,453		
		20,845,677		
Electronic Equipment & Instrument	nts (1.16%)			
Avnet, Inc.	4,671	207,860		
Corning, Inc.	209,425	4,749,759		
TE Connectivity Ltd.	127,000	9,095,740		
·		14,053,359		
Internet Software & Services (6.89	9%)			
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd.(a)(b)	46,250	3,849,850		
CoStar Group, Inc.(a)	31,459	6,223,534		
Equinix, Inc.	33,006	7,685,447		
Facebook, Inc., Class A ^(a)	233,788	19,220,880		
Google, Inc., Class A(a)	12,340	6,844,998		
Google, Inc., Class C ^(a)	23,010	12,609,480		
LinkedIn Corp., Class A ^(a)	33,420	8,350,321		
Mercadolibre, Inc.	32,076	3,929,952		
Pandora Media, Inc.(a)	106,968	1,733,951		
Rackspace Hosting, Inc.(a)	148,255	7,648,476		
Yelp, Inc.(a)	110,722	5,242,687		
•		83,339,576		
IT Services (0.39%)				
Teradata Corp.(a)	106,000	4,678,840		
•				
Semiconductors & Semiconductor	Equipment	(1.52%)		
ARM Holdings PLC(b)	139,120	6,858,616		
Intel Corp.	200,050	6,255,564		
Micron Technology, Inc.(a)	193,619	5,252,883		
		18,367,063		
Software (6.65%)				
FireEye, Inc. ^{(a)(c)}	68,772	2,699,301		
Microsoft Corp.	344,500	14,005,647		
Mobileye N.V.(a)	161,410	6,784,062		
Oracle Corp.	191,025	8,242,729		
Salesforce.com, Inc.(a)	382,406	25,548,545		
ServiceNow, Inc.(a)	115,000	9,059,700		
Splunk, Inc.(a)	90,900	5,381,280		
Symantec Corp.	372,712	8,708,416		
· •		80,429,680		
Technology Hardware & Equipme	ent (0.05%)			
Apple, Inc.	4,891	608,587		

COMMON STOCKS (continued) MATERIALS (0.75%) Chemicals (0.75%) Ecolab, Inc. EI du Pont de Nemours & Co.	SHARES 40,578 61,800	MARKET VALUE \$4,641,312 4,416,846
UTILITIES (0.07%) Electric Utilities (0.07%) FirstEnergy Corp.	22,865	9,058,158
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (COST OF \$933,135,282)		1,180,819,253
SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS (4.10%) REPURCHASE AGREEMENT (2.33%)	PAR VALUE/ SHARES	
Repurchase agreement with State Street Bank & Trust Co., dated 3/31/15, due 04/01/15 at 0.01%, collateralized by Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., 3.00%, 03/15/43, market value of \$28,822,730 and par value of \$36,880,000. (Repurchase proceeds of \$28,250,008). (COST OF \$28,250,000)	\$28,250,000	\$28,250,000
INVESTMENTS PURCHASED WITH COLLATERAL FROM SECURITIES LOANED (1.77%) State Street Navigator Securities Lending Prime Portfolio, 0.16% (COST OF \$21,371,894)	21,371,894	21,371,894
TOTAL SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS (COST OF \$49,621,894)		49,621,894
TOTAL INVESTMENTS (101.70%) (COST OF \$982,757,176) ^(d)		1,230,441,147
LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF OTHER ASSETS (-1.70%)		(20,623,940)
NET ASSETS (100.00%)		\$1,209,817,207
NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE (179,951,943 SHARES OUTSTANDING)		\$6.72

- (a) Non-income producing security.
- (b) American Depositary Receipt.
- (c) Security, or a portion of the security position, is currently on loan.
- (d) Cost of investments for federal income tax purposes is \$990,005,434.

Gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation at March 31, 2015 based on cost of investments for federal income tax purposes is as follows:

Gross unrealized appreciation \$296,358,886 Gross unrealized depreciation (55,923,173) Net unrealized appreciation \$240,435,713

See Notes to Schedule of Investments.

Liberty All-Star® Equity Fund Notes to Schedule of Investments As of March 31, 2015 (unaudited)

Security Valuation

Equity securities, including common stocks and exchange-traded funds are valued at the last sale price at the close of the principal exchange on which they trade, except for securities listed on the NASDAQ Stock Market LLC ("NASDAQ"), which are valued at the NASDAQ official closing price. Unlisted securities or listed securities for which there were no sales during the day are valued at the closing bid price on such exchanges or over-the-counter markets.

Cash collateral from securities lending activity is reinvested in the State Street Navigator Securities Lending Prime Portfolio, a registered investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "1940 Act"), which operates as a money market fund in compliance with Rule 2a-7 under the 1940 Act. Shares of registered investment companies are valued daily at that investment company's net asset value per share. Repurchase agreements are valued at cost, which approximates fair value.

The Fund's investments are valued at market value or, in the absence of market value with respect to any portfolio securities, at fair value according to procedures adopted by the Fund's Board of Trustees (the "Board"). When market quotations are not readily available, or in management's judgment they do not accurately reflect fair value of a security, or an event occurs after the market close but before the Fund is priced that materially affects the value of a security, the securities will be valued by the Adviser, ALPS Advisors, Inc. using fair valuation procedures established by the Board. Examples of potentially significant events that could materially impact a Fund's net asset value include, but are not limited to: single issuer events such as corporate actions, reorganizations, mergers, spin-offs, liquidations, acquisitions and buyouts; corporate announcements on earnings or product offerings; regulatory news; and litigation and multiple issuer events such as governmental actions; natural disasters or armed conflicts that affect a country or a region; or significant market fluctuations. Potential significant events are monitored by the Adviser and/or Valuation Committee through independent reviews of market indicators, general news sources and communications from the Fund's custodian.

Foreign Securities

The Fund may directly purchase securities of foreign issuers. Investing in securities of foreign issuers involves special risks not typically associated with investing in securities of U.S. issuers. The risks include possible reevaluation of currencies, the inability to repatriate foreign currency, less complete financial information about companies and possible future adverse political and economic developments. Moreover, securities of many foreign issuers and their markets may be less liquid and their prices more volatile than those of securities of comparable U.S. issuers. For the period ended March 31, 2015, the Fund only held American Depositary Receipts and did not hold any securities denominated in foreign currencies.

Security Transactions

Security transactions are recorded on trade date. Cost is determined and gains/(losses) are based upon the specific identification method for both financial statement and federal income tax purposes.

Income Recognition

Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Corporate actions and dividend income are recorded on the ex-date. The Fund estimates components of distributions from real estate investment trusts ("REITs"). Distributions received in excess of income are recorded as a reduction of the cost of the related investments. Once the REIT reports annually the tax character of its distributions, the Fund revises its estimates. If the Fund no longer owns the applicable securities, any distributions received in excess of income are recorded as realized gains.

Repurchase Agreements

The Fund engages in repurchase agreement transactions with institutions that the Fund's investment advisor has determined are creditworthy. The Fund, through its custodian, receives delivery of underlying securities collateralizing a repurchase agreement. Collateral is at least equal, at all times, to the value of the repurchase obligation, including interest. A repurchase agreement transaction involves certain risks in the event of default or insolvency of the counterparty. These risks include possible delays or restrictions upon a Fund's ability to dispose of the underlying securities and a possible decline in the value of the underlying securities during the period while the Fund seeks to assert its rights. These collateral agreements mitigate the counterparty credit risk by providing for a single net settlement with a counterparty of all financial transactions covered by the agreement in an event of default as defined under such agreement.

Repurchase agreements are entered into by the Fund under a Master Repurchase Agreement ("MRA") which permits the Fund, under certain circumstances, including an event of default (such as bankruptcy or insolvency), to offset payables and/or receivables under the MRA with collateral held and/or posted to the counterparty and create one single net payment due or from the Fund.

Lending of Portfolio Securities

The Fund may lend its portfolio securities only to borrowers that are approved by the Fund's securities lending agent, State Street Bank & Trust Co. ("SSB"). The Fund will limit such lending to not more than 30% of the value of its total assets. The borrower pledges and maintains with the Fund collateral consisting of cash (U.S. Dollar only), securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or its agencies or instrumentalities, or by irrevocable bank letters of credit issued by a person other than the borrower or an affiliate of the borrower. The initial collateral received by the Fund is required to have a value of no less than 102% of the market value of the loaned securities for securities traded on U.S. exchanges and a value of no less than 105% of the market value for all other securities. The collateral is maintained thereafter, at a market value equal to no less than 100% of the current value of the securities on loan. The market value of the loaned securities is determined at the close of each business day and any additional required collateral is delivered to the Fund on the next business day. During the term of the loan, the Fund is entitled to all distributions made on or in respect of the loaned securities. Loans of securities are terminable at any time and the borrower, after notice, is required to return borrowed securities within the standard time period for settlement of securities transactions.

Any cash collateral received is reinvested in a money market fund managed by SSB as disclosed in the Fund's Schedule of Investments. Non-cash collateral, in the form of securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or its agencies or instrumentalities, is not disclosed in the Fund's Schedule of Investments as it is held by the lending agent on behalf of the Fund, and the Fund does not have the ability to re-hypothecate these securities. As of March 31, 2015, the market value of securities on loan was \$27,675,402, and the total cash collateral and non-cash collateral received was \$21,371,894 and \$7,600,078, respectively.

The risks of securities lending include the risk that the borrower may not provide additional collateral when required or may not return the securities when due. To mitigate these risks, the Fund benefits from a borrower default indemnity provided by SSB. SSB's indemnity allows for full replacement of securities lent. However, the Fund could suffer a loss if the value of the investments purchased with cash collateral falls below the value of the cash collateral received.

Fair Value Measurements

The Fund discloses the classification of its fair value measurements following a three-tier hierarchy based on the inputs used to measure fair value. Inputs refer broadly to the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risk. Inputs may be observable or unobservable. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability that are developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability that are developed based on the best information available.

Valuation techniques used to value the Fund's investments by major category are as follows:

Equity securities, exchange-traded funds and registered investment companies are categorized as Level 1 in the hierarchy. In the event there were no sales during the day or closing prices are not available, securities are valued at the mean of the most recent quoted bid and ask prices on such day and are generally categorized as Level 2 in the hierarchy. Repurchase agreements are valued at cost, which approximates fair value, and are categorized as Level 2 in the hierarchy.

Various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments as of the end of the reporting period. When inputs used fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy, the level in the hierarchy within which the fair value measurement falls is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. The designated input levels are not necessarily an indication of the risk or liquidity associated with these investments.

These inputs are categorized in the following hierarchy under applicable financial accounting standards:

Level 1 $\frac{\text{Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical investments, unrestricted assets or liabilities that a Fund has the ability to access at the measurement date;$

Level 2 Quoted prices which are not active, quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets or inputs other than quoted prices that are observable (either directly or indirectly) for substantially the full term of the asset or liability; and

Level 3 Significant unobservable prices or inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments) where there is little or no market activity for the asset or liability at the measurement date.

The following is a summary of the inputs used to value the Fund's investments as of March 31, 2015:

	Valuation Inputs			
			Lev	vel
Investments in Securities at Value*	Level 1	Level 2	3	Total
Common Stocks	\$1,180,819,253	\$-	\$	- \$1,180,819,253
Short Term Investment	_	28,250,000		- 28,250,000
Investment Purchased with Collateral from Securities				
Loaned	21,371,894	_		- 21,371,894
Total	\$1,202,191,147	\$28,250,000	\$	- \$1,230,441,147

^{*}See Schedule of Investments for industry classifications.

The Fund recognizes transfers between levels as of the end of the period. For the period ended March 31, 2015, the Fund did not have any transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 securities. The Fund did not have any securities which used significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) in determining fair value during the period.

Indemnification

In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into contracts that contain a variety of representations and warranties and which provide general indemnities. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown, as this would involve future claims against the Fund. Also, under the Fund's organizational documents and by contract, the Trustees and Officers of the Fund are indemnified against certain liabilities that may arise out of their duties to the Fund. However, based on experience, the Fund expects the risk of loss due to these warranties and indemnities to be minimal.

Item 2 - Controls and Procedures.

The registrant's Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer have evaluated the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940) within 90 days of this filing and have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures were effective, as of that date.

There was no change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under (b) the Investment Company Act of 1940) during registrant's last fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Item 3 – Exhibits.

Separate certifications for the registrant's Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer, as required by Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, are attached as Ex99.CERT.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

LIBERTY ALL-STAR EQUITY FUND

By: /s/ William Parmentier
William Parmentier
President (principal executive officer)

Date: May 22, 2015

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ William Parmentier
William Parmentier
President (principal executive officer)

Date: May 22, 2015

By: /s/ Kimberly Storms
Kimberly Storms
Treasurer (principal finance)

Treasurer (principal financial officer)

Date: May 22, 2015