

# Welcome New Members

The following businesses have invested in our community through membership in the Wendell Chamber of Commerce.

## **Air Comfort Concepts**

PO Box 309  
Knightdale NC 27545  
Contact person-Shelley Hare  
Phone-919 833-4435  
Fax-252-478-3134

Website-www.aircomfortconcepts.org  
E-mail-comfort9436@yahoo.com

Type of business-HVAC Service & Installation

## **East Wake School of Integrated Technology**

5101 Rolesville Road  
Wendell NC 27591  
Contact person-Jamee Lynch  
Phone-919-365-2657  
E-mail-jlynch@wcpss.net

## **Snap Fitness**

2493 Wendell Blvd  
Wendell NC 27591  
Contact persons-Garrett McGown  
Mark Decker  
Phone-919 365-7627

[E-mail-wendellnc@snapfitness.com](mailto:Wendellnc@snapfitness.com)

Website-www.snapfitness.com  
Type of business-Fitness Center-247

## **Temple of Prayer C.O.G.I.C.**

4900 Rolesville Road  
Knightdale NC 27545  
Pastor-Harold R. McDonald  
Contact person-Brenda Allen  
Phone-919 366-3300  
Type of business-Church-  
SSchool 10:00am  
Worship 11:00am

## **Swofford Rentals**

PO Box 189  
Spring Hope NC 27882  
Contact Person-Pat Bass  
Phone-252-315-6052  
Fax-252-478-4659

[E-mail-pjbass1@earthlink.net](mailto:E-mail-pjbass1@earthlink.net)

Type of Business-Wendell Warehouse Rentals

## **EWTV 22**

950 Steeple Square Court  
Knightdale NC 27545  
Contact Person-Gary McConkey  
Phone-919 21-2201  
Fax-919 217-2208

[E-mail-Gary.McConkey@ci.knightdale.nc.us](mailto:E-mail-Gary.McConkey@ci.knightdale.nc.us)

Website-http://ewtv.org  
Type of Business-East Wake TV coverage of  
events and news

## Business of the Month



**December 2009**

Kannon's Clothing Inc. (919) 365-7074



**January 2010**

Hunter Computer Solutions  
(919) 365-7882

## The Chamber asked Dr. Robert Clayton of Acts Medical Clinic...



### **“How has the Chamber helped your business grow?”**

I was searching for a location for my clinic and I was told by someone to go talk to the town's Chamber of Commerce. I spoke with them and they were extremely helpful. They provided a list of real estate agents and other necessary contacts. They were there from start to finish and on opening day they were still holding my hand. My clinic would not be here without the help of the Chamber of Commerce.

### **“What did you do in order for this to work for you?”**

I kept in constant contact with the Chamber of Commerce and complied with the few requests they made. It was a true pleasure working with the members of the Chamber of Commerce.

## 2010 Census



The next U.S. census is set to be mailed out to households across the country in March of 2010. The 2010 Census is one of the shortest forms in history. It asks 10 questions and only takes about 10 minutes to complete. Accurate census data impacts the number of seats your state occupies in the U.S. House of Representatives and affects how more than 400 billion dollars in federal funds are distributed each year. Those funds help pay for such things as public education, road repair and construction, public transportation, programs for the elderly and emergency food and shelter. In fact, for each citizen who mails back a census form, their town or city receives approximately \$175 dollars a year for needed community services (that's \$75,000 for just 600 people). Make sure you are counted!

The Town of Wendell has received a Rural Business Enterprise Grant (RBEG) for sidewalk improvements within the downtown business district. Improvements and repairs are scheduled to be made along portions of Main, Fourth and Third Streets. The grant will require the town to pay close attention to public improvements such as additional handicap ramps, crosswalks, electrical improvements, and signage. The construction drawings are nearing completion and the Town of Wendell would like to provide information to the business owners and citizens about the process and scope prior to the plans being submitted to the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for approval.

There will be a public information meeting (floating) held at the Wendell Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, February the 18<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 until 6:00. Town staff and engineers would like to encourage your participation in this process.