

**Coming Attractions...****Primetime Tradeshow****April 2, 2009****Memorial Auditorium****4 to 7 PM****Look for more details to follow**

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**THE CHAMBER CONNECTION**

The Chamber  
Community Calendar

**Feb. 2nd, 4- 8 PM**

Lions Club Groundhog  
Supper (*pancakes, sausage, applesauce & drinks*) @ Knights of Columbus Hall  
Donations accepted

**Feb. 6, 7- 8:30 AM**

Slate Creek Chamber  
Coffee

**Feb. 13, 4 - 7 PM**

Kiwanis Pancake & Sausage or Biscuits & Gravy Supper @ Raymond Frye  
Tickets needed in advance or at door.

**Feb. 14****Happy Valentine's Day****Feb. 19, 12 noon**

Chamber's Third  
Thursday Luncheon @  
The Steakhouse  
Guest speaker - Roger  
Emley GKN Aerospace  
VP and General Manager

**Feb. 24****Fat Tuesday****Coming soon....****April 2, 4 - 7 PM**

Primetime Tradeshow  
More info to follow...

**April 25**

Chamber Golf Tourney

Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything.

~George Bernard Shaw~

Change has come to the Chamber. The Chamber team has changed, the Chamber office has undergone a paint change, and the Chamber membership has changed by leaps and bounds. This will be the year of change at the Chamber. Change is a good thing.

The January Membership Event netted us an additional 130 new members. Some of these are completely new to the Chamber, some are old friends who have rejoined us, and many are out-of-towners. This is a phenomenal mix. I want us to continue the diversity in our Chamber members. It is this diversity that will allow our Chamber to grow and flourish. I also want to personally thank each and every person who volunteered their time to the membership event. This event was a success because of you. Thank you!!!!

As the new Director at the Chamber, I ask for your support, patience, and continued commitment as we continue to grow. And remember, change is a good thing.

*Jill Clark*

**Welcome...**

to Dena Martens, the Chamber's new Administrative Assistant. Please come by and meet Dena and see the changes we have made to our office.

**Congratulations...**

to the Chamber's Award

Winners:

**Distinguished Service Award -**

Jan Korte

**Business of the Year -**

Wal-Mart

**President's Promoter Award -**

Sr. Babe Ruth Baseball

Chris & Joann Buckman

Cathy Davis

Sherry Wiley

**Thank you ...**

To the Noon Lions for painting the Chamber office and to Mark Goodrum for supplying the paint.

*Live Well,  
LIVE  
Wellington*

# Welcome New Members

#1 Home Inspection Co.	Farmers Insurance Megan Rahe	Mill Creek Lumber
A-1 Storage	Farmers Union	North 81 Storage
A.D. Rosenblatt Kosher Meats, LLC	First United Methodist Church	Ottaway Amusements
Amanda Dowler Photography	Gilmore & Bell, PC	Personal Threads
American Metal Fabr., Inc.	Glen Ledbetter	Pet Parlor
Andy's Bar & Grill	H & R Block	Preferred Health Systems
Bi Plane Productions	Hawkins Extinguisher Co.	Professional Bank Forms
BNSF	Hermosa Sterling Jewelry	Professional Body Works
Calvary Lutheran Church	Horsch Construction	Quality Health Care
Carl Parcher	Hutchison Construction	Ranson Financial Consultants
Carol Pfalzgraf	J & M Wealth Strategies, LLC	Red Rave Posters
Cass Information Systems	Jan S. Korte, CPA	Renn & Co., Linda Ricketts
Charles E. Mahaney Roofing Co., Inc	Jeffrey's Lawn Care	Renn & Co., Jami Kuchar
Children's Mercy Family Health Ptrs.	Jerry Lewallen	Renn & Co., Marilyn McLain
Cool Rush Water	Julia Stallbaumer	Richard and Janet Hamlin
Cornerstone of Wichita	KanOkla Networks	Robert White
Country Side Walk Trading Post	Kansas Foot Center, P.A.	Roger & Nancy McNett
Custom Home Products	Kansas Outtakes Photography & Mktg.	Ron Johnson
Dale Liston	Kansas Power Pool	Russell Rentals
DCNC Programming	Karl & Jean Braddick	Serenity Home Health
Dean Eklund	Kent Bassford, CPA	Sew Memorable Quilts
Dee Anna Stout	Lana Jeffries	Shelly Jacobs
Don & Marlene Flickinger	Larry & Kathi Shimer	Sherry Doctor
Donna Renn	LeNora Davidson	Sherry Wiley
Ducks n Bucks	Lighthouse Electric, LLC	Simple Simon Pizza/Taco Tico
Dunn & Company	Linda's Homes For Rental	Skeet Sirmons Productions
Dusti Fansler	Lou Bradbury	Southwest Business Products, Inc
Edward Jones Investment	Marilyn & Larry Driskell	Spangenberg Phillips
Entermotion Design Studio	Matt & Kelli Barton	State Farm Insurance
Ernie Fink	McKenna & Co. Builders	Steve Mitchell
Evan Watson	Mid- America Orthopedics, LLC	Stover's Restoration
Excellence in Hospital Billing	Mid-Kansas Dermatology	Sumner Cty. Geographic Info. Svc,
Farm Credit of the Heartland		Sunshine Inn

# Welcome New Members cont.

Terry Nunemaker	Wellington Animal Clinic, Inc
The Alternate Energy Task Force	Wellington Community Theater
Tony's Electrical & Generator Services	Wellington Wheel Alignment & Brake
Total Electric	Wellington Youth Wrestling
Travis Hubin, D.O.	Whitetail Exteriors, Inc
Turning Pointe Booster Club	Wichita Lifeline Inc
United Country Theurer Auction/Realty	Wilson & Company
Vance Williams	Your Chamber Connection
Vickie Taylor	Zeka Farms
Waldorf-Riley Heating & Cooling	



Coming Soon!!!

## Sponsorship Opportunities

Here is a preview of the sponsorship opportunities that the Chamber has available for 2009:

**Primetime Tradeshow**

**Golf Tournament**

**Wheat Festival**

**Fall Festival**

The sponsorship opportunities that are available are wide-ranging in sponsor participation and benefits. If you would like additional information on the sponsorships available, please contact the Chamber at 620-326-7466 or via email [jclark@sutv.com](mailto:jclark@sutv.com). More details to follow.