

THE NEW FACE OF GAY (excerpt)

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Another openly-gay business pioneer of the 21st Century is **Ken Hunt** of Chelsea's [Steel Gym](#). He has taken a gym, which in the recent past had a reputation that was quite subpar prior to his ownership of the establishment, and transformed it into one of the leading workout venues in New York City for those devoted to fitness. Accepting everyone from all walks of life, Hunt also appeals to individuals who might otherwise not find comfort in any other workout venue. Creating specific workout routines for individuals who are HIV-positive, those who may have an overactive thyroid or people who may simply be looking to gain a little weight to add muscle, Hunt helps everyone develop and achieve their goals. Leading by such an example, Hunt exemplifies and epitomizes what it means to be a pioneer within the 21st Century. By opening a business that accepts everyone and brings the gay community closer to the mainstream, he is a leader in the charge against homophobia.

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