

The amount of new parents that are turning to "[babywearing](#)" is incredible. Our local resident experts in the field, the [Magic City Slingers](#), have reason to enjoy this Friday the 13th as [their new business cards have arrived](#).

Birmingham's chapter (Alabama's first incidentally) of [Nine In, Nine Out](#), the national babywearing organization, says that its purpose is to bring together experienced "babywearers" and people who would like help choosing and using a baby carrier. They call it a "fellowship of the sling." You may want to [check out the nonprofit's site](#) to learn more about who founded the group and how it is helping newborns and parents.