**Mike Drawdy Speaks at the OCA February 2017 Meeting**

Please join us for a great evening, at the Ohio Cichlid Association February monthly meeting. We now have twice the space, with your choice of lecture seating or a round table to share with your family and friends. Our speaker this month is Mike Drawdy (See his bio below).

Mike Drawdy, owner of *Imperial Tropicals* in Lakeland, Florida, is a third generation Florida fish farmer. Because his family had been breeding and raising fish since 1970, Mike literally grew up on the farm. After spending 4 years serving our country in the United States Marine Corps, he started working at Imperial and has not looked back.  Mike keeps and breeds many different types of fish on their farm, including livebearers, tetras, catfishes and cichlids. Mike is always working to introduce new species that would be good for the fish-keeping hobby. He also loves to share his aquarium fish passion with hobbyists, by aquarium society lecturing and posting entertaining fish farming videos on YouTube and the latest fish pictures on Facebook.  Mike served on the board for the Florida Farm Bureau, and is currently on the Board of Directors for the Florida Tropical Fish Farms Association.

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