

# Ideas Unlimited LIVE!

## I & E Maker-Times (Innovation & Entrepreneurship)

Monday March 23, 2026

12:00pm – 12:45pm ACC-Oscoda Room 301 OR Virtual

Meeting number (access code): 2429 812 2115

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🚩 Welcome/Introductions: Dr. Marv Pichla

🚩 I&E Presenter: **Jeremiah Tietz**

🚩 Jeremiah Tietz, a resident of Saginaw County Michigan is a zoologist, and business owner. He has dedicated his life to research and education promoting the betterment of both domestic animals and zoological wildlife in captivity. Early in life he had a drive to learn anything possible about animal care and husbandry, this catapulted his career in the zoological industry. His fascination with tropical birds as a child led to a passion for all rainforest species and a observation that there was an enormous deficit of credible information and research on many of these species. With the climate change and encroachment of civilization on natural habitats Jeremiah has realized the great importance for successful captive breeding programs for species in need.



Jeremiah's facilities include a federally licensed zoological breeding and quarantine facility, kennel, cattery, as well as the non-profit Zoological Park/ Wilderness Trails Zoo in Birch Run, MI with a focus on outreach to families and the education to future generations. Jeremiah is currently working on opening two new businesses, an upper scale Canine Daycare/ training facility and a Medical Recovery, Health and Wellness center. Jeremiah's previous enterprises have included a successful international award-winning tattoo and art studio. He is also a member of the Saginaw Chamber of Commerce, Birch Run Chamber of Commerce, Frankenmuth Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club International, and the 100 people who care organization.

🚩 Wrap-Up & THANK YOU'S

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