Presented by Aqua Growers

“GROWING YOUR DREAM”

3 Day Aquaponics Workshop

DATE: OCTOBER 10-12, 2014

Aqua Growers Teaching Facility
Livonia, Michigan

Speakers:
Charlie Shultz – Lethbridge College
Alberta Canada
(formerly University of Virgin Islands)

Jim Gill – Aqua Growers
Ken Chio – Aqua Growers

Topics:
* Status of Aquaponics
* Water Quality (BO)
* Lighting Technology
* Integrated Pest Management
* Guidelines for Aquaponics
* Freshwater Shrimp (Macrobrachium)

*BO = Breakout session with hands-on participation for all students

Guidelines for Aquaponics
Construction of a System
Tilapia Production BO (breeding, fry rearing, grow out, processing & Harvest)
Plant Production (BO)
(media, seedlings, harvesting, UVI System)

Registration Information: www.aquagrowers.com or email: michele@aquagrowers.com
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3 Day Aquaponics Workshop

October 10-12, 2014  9:00am to 4:30 pm

Lodging Information

**HOTELS CLOSE TO FACILITY:**

- Comfort Inn & Suites Center  
  29235 Buckingham Street  
  Livonia, MI  
  734-458-7111

- Quality Inn and Suites  
  30375 Plymouth Road  
  Livonia, MI  
  734-261-6800

**HOTELS CLOSE TO METRO AIRPORT:**

- Four Points by Sheraton Metro Airport  
  8800 Wickham Road  
  Romulus, MI  
  734-729-9000

- Comfort Inn Metropolitan Airport  
  31800 Wick Road  
  Romulus, MI  
  734-326-2100

**IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE:**

When registering for your room for the Livonia area hotels, please make sure you say you are with **Aqua Growers** to get the lower rate!!

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**Bio of Mr. Charlie Shultz:** Mr. Shultz earned two B.S. degrees, Biology and Fisheries Science, from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in 1996. He has recently completed his graduate coursework and research on indoor lighting options for aquaponic food production and is expected soon to receive his M.S. degree in aquaculture from Kentucky State University. Mr. Shultz worked as a tilapia broodstock manager & laboratory technician at the Virginia Tech Aquaculture Center and as an aquaculture research analyst for 14 years at the University of the Virgin Islands (UVI) Agricultural Experiment Station where he specialized in tilapia production in Aquaponic and Biofloc culture systems. Currently, Charlie serves as the Aquaponics Researcher at Lethbridge College in Southern Alberta, Canada. He authored or co-authored more than 20 papers (journal articles, publications in conference proceedings and popular articles) and has given more than 50 presentations at conferences and workshops across the US throughout the Caribbean, and many other countries including Mexico, Singapore, New Zealand and United Arab Emirates. Mr. Shultz co-taught the UVI International Tilapia Aquaculture and Aquaponics Course 14 times and has co-taught intensive short courses in Puerto Rico, Arizona, Michigan, Tennessee, North Carolina, Singapore, Ontario, Alberta and British Columbia. Since 2006, he has served as an independent inspector for USDA organic certification (crop production).

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REGISTRATION FEE(S)

**Early Bird Registration:** (prior to September 10th, 2014) $755.00 ________

Reserve Your Seat NOW - only a **$100 Deposit each** $100.00 ________

**Balance of $655 each person due by September 10th, 2014** $555.75 ________

**Student Discount 35% off** (Reg Price of $855) $555.75 ________

**Multiple Discount - ($100 off Reg Price of $855)** $755.00 ea. ________

(when 2 or more from same company register)

**After September 10th, 2014** $855.00 ________

Total # of Attendees: __________

TOTAL DUE: __________

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Should you find it necessary to cancel your seat 30 or more days before the Seminar registration, fees will be refunded in full. Cancellations 5-29 days prior to the Seminar will result in a 75% refund. Cancellations made less than 5 days before a Seminar or non-attendance without cancellation will not be refunded. Aqua Growers, LLC reserves the right to cancel a Seminar without liability to registrants except for full refund of tendered payment. Thank You

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