



The [AeroShell Aerobatic Team](#) was in Birmingham as part of the the [2009 Barber Vintage Festival](#) this past weekend performing an air show. The 5<sup>th</sup> edition of the festival also featured bike shows and a swap meet. The team flies [the North American AT-6 Texan](#). The [Texan](#) first appeared in 1939 and was designed as a trainer for the United State Army Air Corps. According to the company's website, the plane is still flown as a basic trainer and as a light attach aircraft by the air forces of 22 countries.

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