

**TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY KINGSVILLE**  
**AIR SHOW PEP RALLY APRIL 13, 2012**













**Announcer Rob Reider gets the children motivated by encouraging a wave!**



**Members of the TAMUK Band play the National Anthem as the TAMUK Reserve Officer Training Corps cadets post the colors**



Reider introduces stunt man Paul Stender of the world famous Indy Boys stunt team, but Stender tells him he's feeling wheezy after eating a typical South Texas breakfast .... So ... Stender departs to a nearby port-o-potty ...





After a few 'tense' minutes ... Stender exits the port-o-potty ... feeling much better – to the amusement of the students in the stands ...





**Members of the US Navy Blue Angels flight and support teams are then introduced to the more than 7,000 students in attendance**





**Blue Angels pilot LT Dave Tickle (above) and Lt. John Hiltz (below) speak to the children about the importance of an education, avoiding common pitfalls, and making the most of their future.**





**KIII TV-3, KING TV69 and the Kingsville Record & Bishop News cameras were on hand to capture the Pep Rally for the nightly news ....**





**Reider chats with TAMUK president Dr. Steven Tallant about his ride with the US Navy Blue Angels  
As TAMUK stadium personnel (below) put a video disc of the flight on the TAMUK Jumbotron**



**Talent calls his flight with the Blues “a once-in-a-lifetime thrill”**



Reider then coordinates the flyover of air show aircraft from the US Coast Guard, the Disabled American Veterans Flight Team and World Aerobatic Champion Rob Holland







**While World Aerobatic Champion Rob Holland in his black MX-2 flies in close proximity to a US Customs and Border Patrol aircraft to bring the Pep Rally to a close. The Pep Rally was coordinated by NAS Kingsville School Liaison Officer Jeanie Alexander, TAMUK's Ruben Cantu and his staff, veteran air show announcer Rob Reider.**



**Photos by Jon Gagné, NAS Kingsville Public Affairs**

# “Meet The Blues” Event, JK Northway Expo & Convention Center Friday, April 13









**King Ranch corporate pilot Paul Fiala (center, left) and his wife talk with World Aerobatic Champion Rob Holland (center, right), and award-winning air show announcer Rob Reider.**





