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## Join Us for a Free Family Fun Day at the Beaumont Municipal Airport Quarterly Fly-in

The Beaumont Municipal Airport is excited to host the first Quarterly Fly-In of 2022 on Saturday, April 16, 2022, from 10 am until 5 pm at the Beaumont Municipal Airport (KBMT) at 455 Keith Road. There will be favorite food trucks like Kona Ice and A&E Smoking Pig, antique cars and planes, commemorative Air Force plane rides, and discount gas for pilots.

Airport Manager Chris Meaux said, "We had over 1500 people at our last event and can't wait to see many new faces out at the airport. It's sure to be a great family-filled day."

The event is free to enjoy, and everyone in your group will find something to obsess over. Take pictures, talk to pilots, and be sure to inquire about the new flight simulator training device which will be available later this year. Aspiring pilots would benefit from talking to some of these seasoned flyers. You can keep up on all the exciting things the airport is doing on their Facebook page.

**About Beaumont Municipal Airport:** The Beaumont Municipal Airport was originally constructed during the Great Depression as a Works Progress Administration Project (WPA) and activated on October 1, 1937. During World War II, the Army Air Corps used the field as a base of operations for antisubmarine patrols. Trans-Texas Airways and Delta Airlines provided commercial service until 1946. Since that time, the City of Beaumont has operated the Beaumont Municipal Airport as a general aviation facility.