

BAKERSFIELD REGION MOVIE THEATRES

By Mike Rivest <http://movie-theatre.org/contact.htm>

BORON

Boron **CLOSED**

150 seats.

BUTTONWILLOW

Buttonwillow **CLOSED**

? 1940

200 seats.

Willow **CLOSED**

102 Main

? 1940-? 1955

408 seats.

DELANO

Del Mac Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955-? 1969

400 cars.

Delano **CLOSED**

1008 Main

? 1930-? 1955

700 seats.

Sierra **OPEN**

915 11th Av.

<http://www.geocities.com/metroplex2>

003/

? 1950-

898 seats.



West **CLOSED**

1008 Fremont

? 1935-? 1955

375 seats.

FORD CITY

Bace **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1955

470 seats.

Roxy **CLOSED**

? 1940

460 seats.

KERNVILLE

Kern **CLOSED**

Closed by 1940

210 seats.

Kernville **CLOSED**

? 1950

LAMONT

Lamont **CLOSED**

? 1945-? 1955

400 seats.

South Lamont Drive-In

CLOSED

AKA: Thunderbird Drive-In

? 1955-? 1961

450 cars.

Thunderbird Drive-In

CLOSED

AKA: South Lamont Drive-In

? 1969

450 cars.

MC FARLAND

McFarland **CLOSED**

80 Kem

? 1945-? 1955

440 seats.

MOJAVE

Mecca **CLOSED**

322 Snyo

? 1940-? 1955

440 seats.



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RIDGECREST

China Lake Auditorium

OPEN LIVE

Naval Air Weapon Station China Lake
? 2000

This theatre also handles live performances and it is restricted to US citizens only.

Crest Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955-? 1985

300 cars.

Owners:

1964 E.R. Cummings

1969 Century

Ridge **CLOSED**

? 1975

Century owned this theatre.

Ridgecrest **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1969

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1964 E.R. Cummings

1969 Century

Ridgecrest Cinemas 5

OPEN

? 1998-



Rob Mazza

SHAFTLER

Del Kern Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955

375 cars.

Shafter **CLOSED**

? 1940-? 1950

650 seats.

State **CLOSED**

726 James

? 1945-? 1950

550 seats.

TAFT

Bace **CLOSED**

? 1945

600 seats.

Fox **REOPENING**

AKA: Hippodrome

514 Center

? 1955, 1996-2003, 2005-

1078 seats.

This theatre reopened 1996, 2 screens added next door in 1998, it closed in September 2003 when it was unable to compete with the Bakersfield megaplexs., it will reopen in 2005. in 1955 this theatre was owned by Fox West Coast.



Hippodrome **CLOSED**

AKA: Fox

? 1930-? 1950

1565 seats.

Sunset Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955-? 1961

628 cars.

TEHACHAPI

Beekay **CLOSED**

110 Green

? 1940-? 1955

312 seats.

Hitching Post Theatre 4

OPEN

201 S. Green

? 2003-

<http://www.hitchingposttheaters.com/>

This theatre refuses to show movies from Paramount.



Tehachapi **CLOSED**

? 1935

150 seats.

WASCEO

Cinema **CLOSED**

938 7th St



Poso **CLOSED**

9th and F

? 1950-? 1955

Wasco **CLOSED**

667 7th St.

? 1945-? 1955

725 seats.

Wasco Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955

36 listings

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