

VINCENNES MOVIE THEATRES

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DAVIESS COUNTY

ELNORA

Elnora **CLOSED**
? 1940-? 1950

ODEN

Ritz **CLOSED**
? 1940-? 1955

WASHINGTON

East 50 Drive-In **CLOSED**
? 1955-? 1980
500 cars
Owners:
1955 S. J. Switow
1975 Kerasotes

Indiana OPEN

419 East Main
? 1930-
960 seats
* Late 1920's opened by McCorrell, H. E.
* Early 1930*s taken over by S. J. Switow
* Early 1970's taken over by Kerasotes
* Early 1980's twinned

Liberty **CLOSED**

? 1930-? 1950
400 seats
Owners:
1930 McCorrell, H. E.
1935 S. J. Switow

Temple Court **CLOSED**

? 1940-? 1950
S. J. Switow owned this theatre in 1950

DU BOIS COUNTY

FERDINAND

Star **CLOSED**
? 1935-? 1950
200 seats

HUNTINGBURG

Gem **CLOSED**
? 1935-? 1955
310 seats
E. L. Ornstein Theatres owned it in 1955.

Victory **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1955
468 seats

JASPER

Astra **CLOSED**
517 Main
1928-? 2000
488 seats
This theatre has been twinned in the 1980's



Family Drive-In **CLOSED**
? 1955-? 1985

Tivoli **CLOSED**

? 1935-? 1955
450 seats

KNOX COUNTY

BICKNELL

Colonial **CLOSED**
? 1935-? 1955
590 seats

Grand **CLOSED**

? 1930
McCorrell, H. E. owned this theatre.

Indiana **CLOSED**

? 1930-? 1950
560 seats
Owner in 1930: McCorrell, H. E.

Lyric **CLOSED**

? 1935-? 1940

DECKER

Decker **CLOSED**

Closed by? 1940

MONROE CITY

Community **CLOSED**

? 1940

Monroe **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1955
260 seats

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Alice **CLOSED**

? 1920-? 1945

Allison Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955-? 1975

Alliance Theater Corporation owned this drive-in

Fort Sackville **CLOSED**

711 Main

? 1940-? 1955

743 seats

Alliance Theater Corporation owned this 743-seat theatre from 1950-closing. It's now a bowling alley.



Knox Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955

Alliance Theater Corporation owned this drive-in

Lake **CLOSED**

? 1955

Lyric **CLOSED**

? 1920

Wilkerson-Lyons Enterprises owned this theatre.

Moon **CLOSED**

AKA: ShowPlace 3

529 S Main

? 1920-? 1975

490 seats

* Late 1910's opened

* Late 1940's taken over by Alliance Theater Corporation

* Early 1970's taken over by Cinecom Theatres Midwest States, Inc.

* Early 1980's taken over by Kerasotes and split into 3 cinemas and renamed ShowPlace 3

* 2003 closed when the ShowPlace 8 opened.



National Hi-Way **CLOSED**

? 1950

Pantheon **CLOSED**
RESTORING

428 Main

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

1921-? 1961

1,182 seats

Owners:

1921-1925 Wilkerson-Lyons Enterprises

1950-1961 Alliance Theater Corporation

This theatre is being restored.



Plaza **CLOSED**

635 Niblack Blvd

? 1975-2002

* Early 1970's opened by Cinecom Theatres Midwest States, Inc.

* Late 1970's taken over by Y & W Theatres

* Late 1980's taken over by Kerasotes and

twinned

* 2002 closed

Premier **CLOSED**

? 1955

Princess **CLOSED**

? 1920

Rialto **CLOSED**

? 1920-

ShowPlace 3 **CLOSED**

AKA: Moon

529 S Main

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ShowPlace 8 **OPEN**

1495 S Hart St

2003-

Kerasotes owns this stadium-seating theatre.



Strand **CLOSED**

? 1920-? 1955

Owners:

1925 Wilkerson-Lyons Enterprises

1950-1955 Alliance Theater Corporation

Vincennes Drive-In

CLOSED

Route 50

? 1961-? 1985

Owners:

1961 Alliance Theater Corporation

1980 Kerasotes



MARTIN COUNTY
LOOGOOTER

Ritz **CLOSED**

Main St.

? 1935-? 1955

400 seats

SHOALS

Shoals **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1955

250 seats

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PIKE COUNTY

PETERSBURG

Lincoln **CLOSED**

108 N 7th ST.

? 1935-? 1955

520 seats

Alliance Theater Corporation owned this theatre 1950-1955

Lyric **CLOSED**

518 Main

? 1940-? 1950

425 seats

Alliance Theater Corporation owned this theatre in 1950.

Petersburg Drive-In

CLOSED

? 1950

WINSLOW

Star **CLOSED**

? 1935-? 1955

380 seats

SPENCER COUNTY

CHRISNEY

Liberty **CLOSED**

? 1940

ROCKPORT

Alhambra **CLOSED**

? 1935

Holiday Drive-In **OPEN**

US 231 3 miles south of town, north of Ownesboro, KY

1955-

1,000 cars

This drive-in now has 5 screens, Indiana's largest.



Rio **CLOSED**

? 1940-? 1955

512 seats

Alliance Theater Corporation owned it in 1950-1955

46 listings

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