Here’s What’s Great About Alpine!

THINGS TO SEE AND DO:

- Museum of the Big Bend (located on the campus of Sul Ross State University)
- The Alpine Cowboys, a **semipro baseball team** in the Pecos League
- **Theatre of the Big Bend** - outdoor performances in summer by Sul Ross’s theater program
- **Fort Davis National Historic Site** - 25 miles away
- **Chihuahuan Desert Nature Center** - near Fort Davis; 20 miles away
- **McDonald Observatory** - 40 minutes away
- **Big Bend National Park** - about an hour and 15 minutes away
- **Big Bend Ranch State Park** - about 3 hours away

ANNUAL EVENTS:

- Texas Cowboy Poetry Gathering - March
- Trappings of Texas - April/May
- Viva Big Bend Music Festival - July; in Fort Davis, Marfa, Marathon
- ARTWALK - November

SCHOOLS:

- One Elementary School; one Middle School; one High School  [http://www.alpine.esc18.net](http://www.alpine.esc18.net)
- Sul Ross State University

OTHER FUN FACTS:

- Alpine is also home to rodeos, theatrical productions, a weekly farmer’s market, a bounty of live music, and more.
- It is a friendly, bustling community of a little over 5,000 people in a scenic West Texas valley; elevation of 4,475 feet.
- Alpine is the county seat of Brewster County, the largest county area-wise in Texas.

LINKS:

- [https://visitalpinetx.com](https://visitalpinetx.com) Visitor’s Bureau
- [http://alpinetexas.com](http://alpinetexas.com) Chamber of Commerce
- [https://visitbigbend.com](https://visitbigbend.com) Visit Big Bend