

The Unofficial



Driving Tour

PLEASE

No Doing Meth, Blue or Otherwise,
During the Tour.

It's Bad for Your Teeth.

LOS POLLOS HERMANOS

aka Twisters, 4257 Isleta Blvd. SW



Los Pollos Hermanos is a fast-food restaurant chain that specializes in fried chicken operating across the southwestern United States.

The name, pronounced [los 'po.ɔos er'ma.nos], is ungrammatical Spanish for "The Chicken Brothers." Founded by Gustavo Fring and Max Arciniega, the restaurant chain had fourteen locations throughout the southwest and was Gustavo Fring's major business concern. Los Pollos Hermanos is a subsidiary of Madrigal Electromotive, a German conglomerate with an ownership stake in the company. The restaurant also provided money-laundering and logistics for illegal activities.



THE CANDY LADY

524 Romero St NW



Blue Sky props consist of crystallized sugar and are essentially pieces of blue rock candy manufactured by the candy store "The Candy Lady" of Albuquerque.

"The Candy Lady" was approached to provide the show prop for "Breaking Bad" in the early seasons. The Blue Ice candy is available in small packets for a \$1 each in the store.

JESSE'S HOUSE

293 16th St. SW



The house, located at 9809 Margo Street, was originally owned by Jesse's aunt Ginny. Jesse moved in while his aunt was dying of lung cancer. After Jesse's aunt passed away, his parents took ownership of the house and allowed Jesse to stay there. The basement was used to detain "Krazy 8" Molina until he was killed by Walter White, while the ceiling above the hallway was damaged when Jesse used hydrofluoric acid to dissolve Emilio Koyama's corpse in the upstairs bathtub. Jesse decided to sell the house after what happened to Krazy 8 and Emilio, using the basement as a temporary meth lab while the house was still on the market. Much later, Jesse learned that the house was on sale again after the renovations. Seeking sweet revenge on his parents, he hired Saul Goodman to blackmail his parents into selling him the house at a price reduced by half with the information that they did not disclose the existence of the meth lab to the public. After spending the next few months alone in the house, which is still much larger than he needed, Jesse began hosting a multiday, non-stop, drug-addled party with strangers in an attempt to cope with his guilt following the murder of Gale Boetticher. This was followed by another wave of renovations to deal with the graffiti leftover from the party.

TUCO'S HEADQUARTERS

906 Park Ave. SW



Tuco Salamanca was a psychopathic Mexican drug kingpin, local in the Albuquerque area, who briefly became Walter White and Jesse Pinkman's meth distributor. Ruthless, unpredictable, and prone to violent outbursts, Tuco nevertheless respected Walter because of his superior product, intelligence, business style, and guts. He was the main antagonist at the end of Season 1 and the beginning of Season 2.



DOG HOUSE

1216 Central Ave. SW



Jesse Pinkman sold meth here before he and Walter White attempted to wholesale to Tuco Salamanca.

Jesse, scared of Tuco, bought a Ruger SP-101 here.

Jesse sat in his car here and gave money to a homeless man who knocked on its window before driving off.

DEA Field Office

Simms Building, 400 Gold Ave. SW



The **Albuquerque DEA Field Office** is the DEA's headquarters for Albuquerque and the surrounding region. It is part of the El Paso region. Hank Schrader and Steve Gomez operated out of the office for much of the show.



THE GROVE

aka, Grove Café & Market,

600 Central Ave. SW



The Grove is a café where Lydia Rodarte-Quayle often met Walter White and Todd Alquist at 10am on Tuesday mornings. Lydia always ordered chamomile tea, using stevia to sweeten it.

After returning from hiding in New Hampshire, Walt interrupted a meeting between Todd and Lydia at The Grove to pitch a new meth production process to them for the price of \$1,000,000. The three agree that Jack Welker should meet Walt that evening. It was revealed later that Walt had poisoned the stevia Lydia used in her tea with ricin.



CROSSROADS MOTEL

1001 Central Ave. SE

The **Crossroads Motel**, nicknamed by Hank Schrader "**The Crystal Palace**", is a place mostly populated by junkies.

The location itself is most notably synonymous with the character of Wendy, a prostitute who lives here and "works" the parking lot during the day hours providing sexual favors for money.



DENNY'S

2608 Central Ave. SE



JANE & JESSE'S DUPLEX

323-325 Terrace SW



Even though both she and Jesse smoke, she forbids smoking in the apartments under her father's orders. Before their relationship they once met in the back outside while smoking. As time goes on, however, they both smoke and do drugs inside Jesse's unit, and allow his place to fall into greater disrepair. At one point Walter White busts through Jesse's back door to get at the hidden stash of meth they had cooked, yet neither Jesse nor Jane seem to care about the big hole left in the door. Jesse vacates his apartment after Jane's death and eventually moves back into his former house.





LOYOLA'S

4500 Central Ave. SE

Mike's diner.

VAMONOS PEST CONTROL

2010 Ridgecrest Dr. SE

Vamonos Pest is a fumigation company based out of Albuquerque, NM. It was owned by Ira until he sold it to Mike Ehrmantraut, Walter White, and Jesse Pinkman to be used as a front for their methamphetamine manufacturing organization.



GUS FRING'S HOUSE

1213 Jefferson Blvd. NE



Gus invited Walter White over for dinner one evening. Gus offered Walt some advice: "Never make the same mistake twice."

After Gus' attempt to have Gale Boetticher replace Walt as his lead chemist, Walt bought a gun and set out to kill Gus. After Mike told him that he would never see Gus again, Walt goes to Gus' house. Before he reached the front door, he received a call from Mike telling him to go home.

During the war between Gus' Drug Empire and the Juárez Cartel, Walt wanted Jesse to poison Gus using the ricin he had cooked in the superlab. Gus invited Jesse Pinkman over for dinner after Jesse made up a reason to meet with him. Gus first asked Jesse if he could cook Walter's formula for Blue Sky without Walt. Jesse denied that he could, stating emphatically that he would not cook for Gus if Gus killed Walt. At this point Gus confessed that he wasn't going to kill Walt, but that he needed Jesse's help to prevent an all-out war with the cartel.

A1A CAR WASH

aka Octopus Car Wash,
9516 Snow Heights Cir. NE



The **A1A Car Wash** was an Albuquerque car wash owned, for many years, by Bogdan Wolynetz. When he was a high school chemistry teacher, Walter White worked part-time at the car wash as a cashier before deciding to quit after learning of his cancer diagnosis. The car wash was later bought by Walt and Skyler White as a money laundering facility for Walt's illegally procured gains.



THE WHITE RESIDENCE

3828 Piermont Dr. NE



The **White Residence**, located at 308 Negra Arroyo Lane, was the home of the White family including Walter, his wife Skyler, their son Walt Jr. and their infant daughter, Holly.

SAUL'S OFFICE

9800 Montgomery Blvd. NE



The Offices of Saul Goodman & Associates is where Saul Goodman, Attorney at Law, conducts most of his business. It is located in a strip mall in Albuquerque, New Mexico. On the outside there is a large sign with his slogan "Better Call Saul!" and an inflatable Statue of Liberty on the strip-mall's roof.



JOHN B. ROBERTS DAM

the corner of Juan Tabo & Osuna



John B. Robert Dam serves as the pickup point for both Jesse and later for Walt as each waits for the extractor.

HANK & MARIE'S HOUSE

4901 Cumbre del Sur Ct. NE



The **Schrader Residence** is the home of Marie Schrader and formerly her husband, Hank Schrader. A pueblo-style house in a neighborhood of pueblo-style houses, this residence is located at the end of a cul de sac, close to the Sandia Mountains. Hank brews his own beer, "Schraderbräu" in the garage, while Marie is often seen in the kitchen, stirring numerous packets of Splenda into hot beverages.



GARDUÑO'S

2100 Louisiana Blvd. NE



Home of the awkward guacamole.

BEST QUALITY VACUUM

aka On the Spot Vacuum Repair,

2714 4th St. NW



Best Quality Vacuum is Ed's legitimate place of business and where the clients for his other business wait before being given new identities.

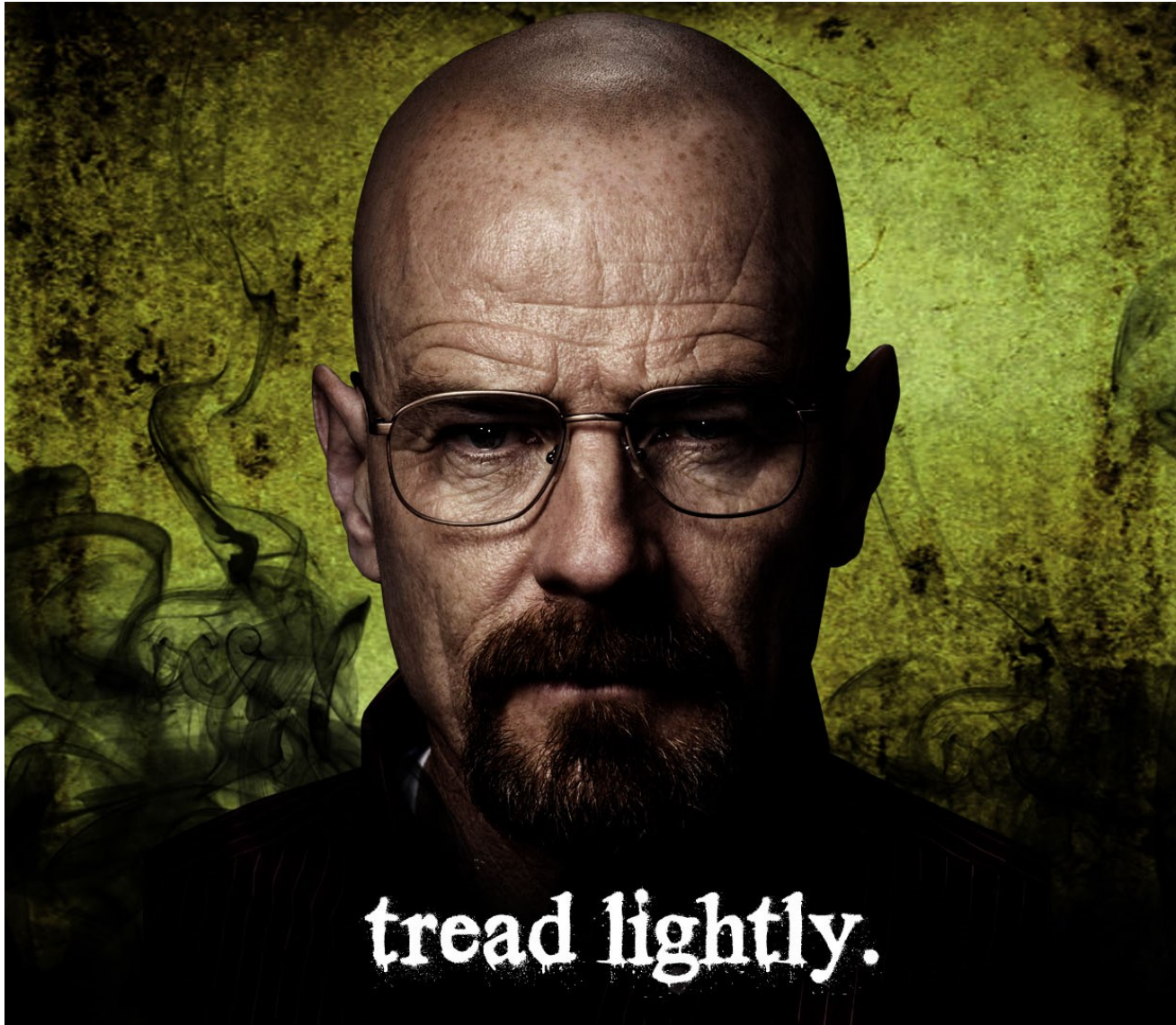
SUPERLAB

aka Delta Cleaners, 1613 Candelaria Rd. NE



The **superlab** was a large-scale, multimillion dollar laboratory facility located under an industrial laundry business in Albuquerque, New Mexico. It was constructed by Gustavo Fring for the purpose of manufacturing industrial amounts of illicit methamphetamine, and thus played a vital role in the expansion of Gus' Drug Empire. The lab was capable of cooking between 100 and 300 pounds of meth per week. The lab was designed by chemist Gale Boetticher and was utilized by Gale, Walter White, and Jesse Pinkman to produce Walter's signature blue meth. It was destroyed by a massive chemical fire.





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