

marquee[mɑːˈkiː] *n*

большая палатка, шатёр

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mar-quee [ˈmɑːrkiː] *noun, adjective* *BrE* [ˈmɑːrkiː] *NAmE* [ˈmɑːrkiː]**noun**

1. a large tent used at social events
2. (NAmE) a covered entrance to a theatre, hotel, etc. often with a sign on or above it

Word Origin:late 17th cent.: from ↑*marquise*, taken as plural and assimilated to ↑*-ee*.Example Bank:

- The guests sat under a large marquee.
- The wedding reception was held in a marquee.
- We drove past a theater marquee with his name on it.

adjective only before noun (especially NAmE) (especially in sport)

most important or most popular

- He is one of the marquee names in men's tennis.
- The men's and women's 200m are the marquee events.

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1. *British English* a large tent at an outdoor event or large party, used especially for eating or drinking in
2. *American English* a large sign above the door of a theatre or cinema which covers the entrance and gives the name of the play or film
3. *American English* **marquee player, actor etc** someone who people want to see because they are good or famous

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