

# 120 YEARS of ESCONDIDO POSTAL HISTORY

This exhibit shows the various postmarks used at the Escondido, California post office from its inception in 1884 up until the 21st Century. Escondido's predecessor, the Apex post office, is naturally also shown.

In addition, those post offices which closed or were shut down, and whose mail and services were then taken over by the Escondido post office, are also shown. These consist of eight post offices, namely:

Bernardo, San Pasqual, Moosa, Vineyard, Twin Oaks, Silvano, Lake Hodges, and Jesmond Dene.

A number of items in this exhibit are unique and the only recorded examples of postmarks. Many other items shown are the Earliest or Latest Known Examples of postmarks.

*Especially notable items are bordered in red.*

