



Grape Day Park,  
Downtown Escondido

**Saturday, November 14, 2015**  
**10:30am-4:30pm**

**Presented by the Escondido  
Downtown Business Association**

The Escondido Tamale Festival is a celebration of Tamales and all the great Latin foods that have become iconic staples of California's culture. It is also a look back at the history of the Spanish and Mexican

settlers who built the framework for this great state. The intent is to shine a bright light on those who have influenced and contributed to our multicultural community, and to show appreciation for the traditions which have so positively affected Escondido.

Attractions planned include:

- Tamale Contests & (ticketed) VIP Tasting area
- Grande Stage with Mariachis, Latin Dance and Music Performances
- Pequeno Stage for Youth Performances featuring local dance, music, martial arts and more
- Quinceanera Fashion Show & Chihuahua Fashion Show
- Early California history exhibits
- Makers Craft area; 100 artisan and holiday vendors
- Chihuahua Costume Contest and Fashion Show
- Low Rider Car Club display by "Dukes Car Club"

Portions of the proceeds from the Escondido Tamale Festival will be used to promote Historic Downtown Escondido as a shopping, dining and entertainment district.