

POST OFFICE



Located 89 The Entrance Road, The Entrance.
(In The Waterfront Plaza)

First post office

On 1st June, 1911, Mr A.H. Lewes was appointed Post Master. He was the proprietor of the Waiwera Guest House. The post office was a small free standing building on the lake side of the Guest House. It was also used as a polling booth until 1922. Mr Lewes resigned as Post Master on 6th October, 1912.

Second post office.

Opened on 23rd September, 1930. Built by Vinty Taylor opposite the approach to the old wooden bridge. Vinty acted as Post Master while running his general store. He was Post Master until 12th September, 1934. First telephonist was Miss Brida Pearce.

Third post office (pictured above)

Opened 12th September, 1934 by Deputy Postmaster General J.W. Kitto. The Post Master was Mr O. Yandell. At that time the post office area of The Entrance was 19 miles long (approx 30 kms.) with only one postman who rode a heavy pushbike. Mr Gavin Anderson was appointed last Post Master in 1992 as in November 1995 the post office was demolished to make way for the Citigate Sebel Waterfront Resort.