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## EXPERIENCE, TRADITION, INNOVATION AT THE SERVICE OF PHILATELY

## Vaccari srl Books is 15 years old

For 15 years it has been a valid reference for **philatelic and postal-historical culture**. Since 1989, in fact, Vaccari srl Books has been publishing highly specialised works devoted to philately and philatelic collecting, obtaining prestigious awards in Italy and abroad.

Just a few examples:

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- "Le tariffe postali italiane 1862-2000" (6 volumes) by G.Micheli, about Italian postal rates from 1862 to 2000, with laws, decrees and regulations;
- "1866 La liberazione del Veneto" (2 volumes) by L.Carra, about the liberation of Veneto, postal history and catalogue with evaluations for rates, franking, mixed franking and post offices;
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- "La Libreria Filatelica per corrispondenza" presents more than 700 books, some of them foreign works in their original language.
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  - "Recoveries", series devoted to documents and publications about the post, postal-history, philately or history, rare or odd, which have been sold out and are quite impossible to find.
  - "Philatelic Studies", series with extremely detailed studies about special and peculiar aspects connected to philately, such as a peculiar image (for example the effigies of the IV issue of the Kingdom of Sardinia), a technical characteristic deeply analysed (for ex. fluorescence or colour or printing techniques).
  - "Handies", reference works such as philatelic catalogues also with quotations, guides, dictionaries of philatelic terms to read tests in a foreign language.



- "The Blue Anteater" is the catalogue for works on history, gastronomy, sport, art, local culture, and guides for the free time, all subjects dealt with by Vaccari srl for some years. It is important, in fact, to keep contact with the local reality illustrating also the traditions and culture peculiar to the area of Vignola and its surroundings (http://formichiereblu.it).

The company, aiming at spreading philatelic culture and philatelic collecting, makes use of **modern** and **innovative services**. The **two magazines**, for example, appear also in the site of the company (http://www.vaccari.it) in internet already since 1996.

"Vaccari Magazine", specialised in philately and postal history, has reached its 15<sup>th</sup> year of publication and it is one of the best awarded magazines in the world. Since 2000 it has been possible to consult it even in internet (http://www.vaccarimagazine.it).

"Vaccari news", the recent on-line magazine, deals not only with traditional philately, but also with postal history, thematics and specialisations beyond the postage stamp, such as postmarks, machine philately, postal stationery. As a constant reference the current events and news, which are proposed synthetically in real time, often accompanied by one or more images (http://www.vaccarinews.it). Thanks to the on-line archives, it is possible to read about 700 pieces of information published from 8 March 2003.

