

Italy and Colonies Study Circle Auctions – Guidance for Vendors

The Auction Secretary requires three pieces of information for each lot as follows:-

Vendors Item No

- simple sequence number starting at 1

Description *(give all relevant details - see check lists below)*

- **For definitive stamps:-**
 - o Year of issue, face value, type (eg VEII, Floreale etc), condition (MM, UM etc), catalogue number & catalogue value
- **For commemoratives stamps:-**
 - o Year of issue, face value (or set), set name (eg Garibaldi, St Francis etc) , condition (MM, UM), catalogue number(s) & catalogue value
- **For postal history:-**
 - o Date or year of posting, where posted, destination, franking, marks and cachets, relevant back stamps, any other relevant information.

Reserve Price

- As a guide, on average, stamps should be no more than about 10% of Sassone catalogue value (unless they are particularly rare).

Lots should listed in groups

- Geographical Original (eg. Italy, Libia, Levant etc)
- Time Period (eg. Pre-stamp, Kingdom, WW1 etc)
- Special Interest (eg, Air, Express, Registered, Postage Due etc)

Special Request to Vendors.

Where possible, it would be very helpful if your list could be submitted electronically by email. Several possible formats would be acceptable including **Excel Spreadsheet**, **Word Document** or **Plain Text** file. *(If in doubt, please contact the Auction Secretary for advice).*

Where an electronic submission is not possible, please write your list on the form below *(further copies of the form can be downloaded from the website or obtained from the Auction Secretary – contact details below)*

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