

Requirements for PPF Website Submissions

You must be a Portland Photographers' Forum member in good standing (your annual dues are paid) to post work on the PPF Website.

Portland Photographers' Forum makes no restrictions on gallery content other than the request that images be "in good taste." This standard will be enforced at the discretion of the PPF Webmaster.

Portland Photographers' Forum cannot guarantee the security of your pictures. All images will be marked "©Your Name." If you are concerned that someone might copy your images for other use, don't post your images.

- Images submitted for web page illustration may be resized or cropped.
 - Images submitted for member galleries will run un-cropped.
 - Images submitted for "activity" page galleries will run un-cropped.
 - Member galleries are one-size-fits-all.
 - Please limit submissions to a maximum of 26 images. Less is more.
 - Please pay close attention to image size requirements. If your photographs are too large or too small, the software used to build the galleries will automatically resize your images, and final picture quality likely will suffer.
1. All images must be submitted as 72ppi (pixels-per-inch) JPEG images.
 2. All images must be 450 on the longest dimension. This allows the gallery software to create gallery pages without further reducing or enlarging the images.
 3. When making JPEGs for the gallery, save the images at "medium" to "large" settings (Photoshop "8" is good.) Do not "optimize for Web use." This will reduce the image quality further.
 4. Be sure your image profiles are consistent if you want them to look consistent. Convert all your images to either "sRGB" or "Adobe RGB 1998." Which profile is up to you, just be consistent.
 5. The image's file name will show as the caption. Be descriptive and succinct; use Roman numerals in a series for best results.

Images may be attached to an e-mail message or several messages and sent to the Webmaster: <mailto:president@portlandphotoforum.com>. Please indicate whether pictures are for your member gallery or for other use. You also may submit images on disk, just ask for details at the e-mail address above.

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