

HOW TO PREPARE YOUR PHOTOS FOR DPI-SIG PHOTO CONTESTS & SLIDE SHOWS



Three Easy Steps:

- 1) Title your digital photos (JPG images only)
- 2) Resize your photos (using your photo editor)
- 3) E-mail your photos (send all in one e-mail)

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1 Title Your Photos

NOTE: JPG is the only type of digital image that is acceptable (not BMP, GIF, TIFF, etc.)

Monthly Theme Slide Show (submit up to 6 photos)

Use only a dash (-) between each word, note that there are no spaces between words, number each photo (01, 02, etc.), and type in ".jpg" extension (duplicate the example below with your photos)



Monthly Theme Slide Show

Renamed photo title:
JohnDoe-01-Nature-Tulips.jpg

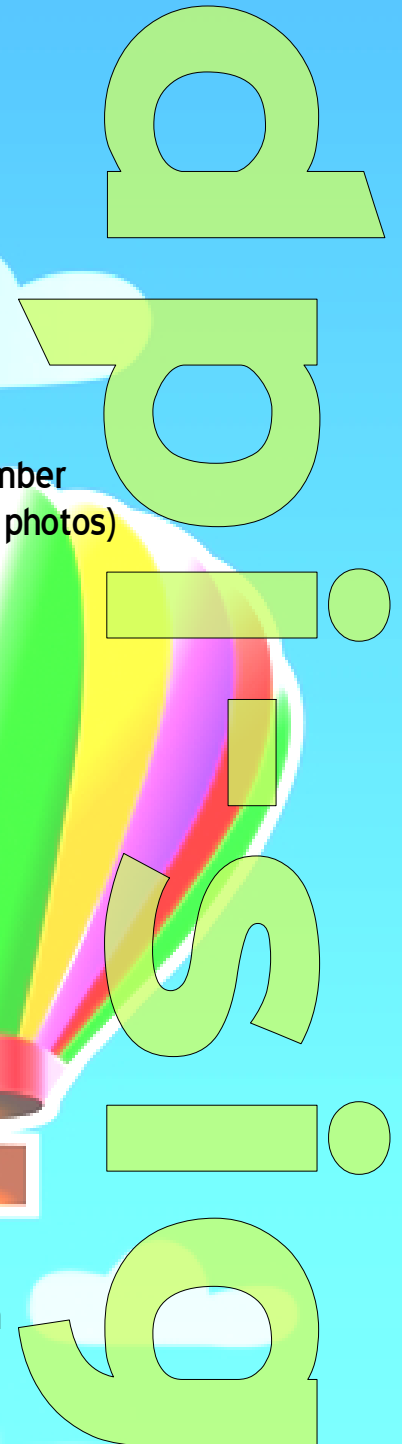


Club Competitions

Renamed photo title:
CANYON by John Doe.jpg

Club Competition (submit up to 4 photos)

Place a space between each word, all CAPITAL letters for title, and type in ".jpg" extension (duplicate the example above with your photos)



Resize Your Photos

Using the photo editor* that's installed on your computer, complete the following for each photo:

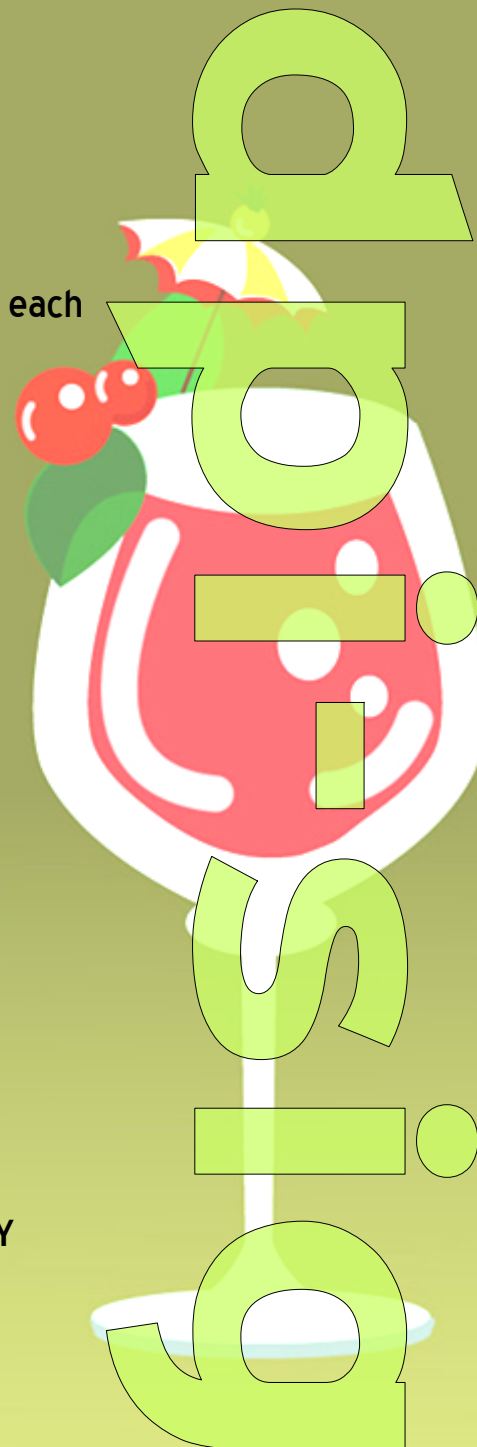
- Resize the image to 1024 pixels x 768 pixels
- Horizontal side no larger than 1024 pixels and vertical side no larger than 768 pixels
- No adjustment of DPI (dots per inch) resolution of photos necessary

NOTE: Each properly resized image will be approximately 1/2 MB (megabyte)

* Examples are: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Elements, Adobe Lightroom, Faststone Image Viewer, etc.

E-mail Your Photos to DPI-SIG

- For CLUB COMPETITIONS, include in the body of the e-mail:
 - *Name of club: DPI-SIG*
 - *Name of maker: your first and last name*
 - *Photo title (of each image)*
 - *Class / Division: A (Advanced) or B (Beginner) / Color or Mono*
 - *Indicate number of images entered (see previous page)*
- For CLUB COMPETITIONS or SLIDE SHOWS, attach all photo files to one e-mail ONLY
- Attach them simply as individual photo files, not as slide shows or anything else
- Send one e-mail with all attached photos to the appropriate destination:
 - dpi-theme@naples.net (monthly theme slide show photos)
 - dpi-compete@naples.net (club competition)





Suggested Work Flow

- 1) Copy the selected photos to a new file folder and name the file folder
- 2) Use your computer's photo editor to open and resize your photos
- 3) Save photos ("Save As") with proper titles before sending by e-mail
- 4) Compose new e-mail and attach all photos before sending
- 5) Send photos to:
dpi-theme@naples.net (monthly theme slide show)
dpi-compete@naples.net (club competition)

Caution Adobe Elements users: send your photos as files and not slide shows or anything else. Thank you!

