

Submitting Digital Images for Competition

The source of the image can be any scanned photo, negative, 35mm slide or a digital camera. You may enter up to 3 images per competition. There will be a Class A competition for the more experienced photographers, and a Class B competition for the less experienced photographers. The digital competitions will be conducted on the same night as the tradition slide competitions. Digital images and traditional slides will be judged separately.

Preparing The Images

If you want to save the original image, make a duplicate to use for resizing, and for submitting.

- 1) Open file in Photoshop or Elements. Go to Image> Image Size (note: in some versions of Elements, go to Image>Resize>Image Size)
- 2) Check the box Resample Image.
- 3) Resize your final image to a maximum of either 1024 pixels WIDE and/or 768 pixels HIGH. Width or height may be LESS, but not more than these maximums.
- 4) Click OK. Image will now fit into 1024 x 768 dimensions or less.

NOTE: Ignore what happens in the Document Size box. It only applies when you want to print. It does not apply when you change pixels dimensions.

NOTE: Be aware that images with a vertical orientation must still not exceed 768 pixels high, and thus, your horizontal will be much less than 1024 pixels wide. This does not affect quality of projection.

EXAMPLE OF IMAGE SIZING:

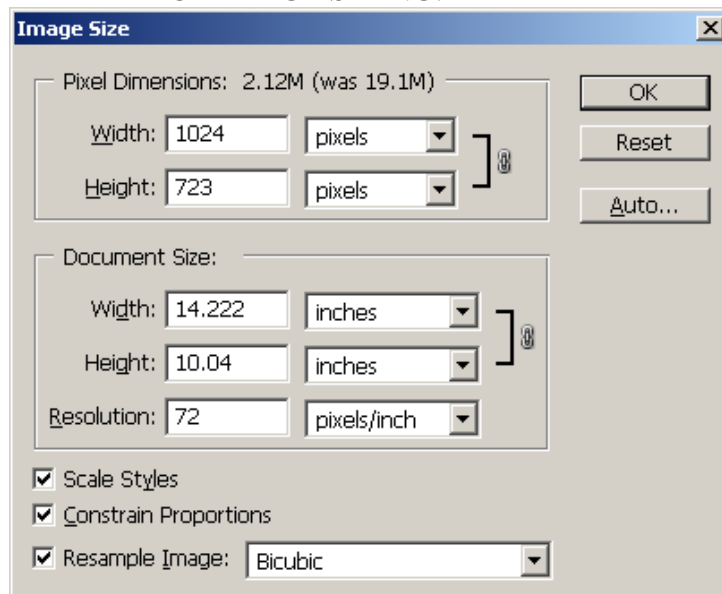


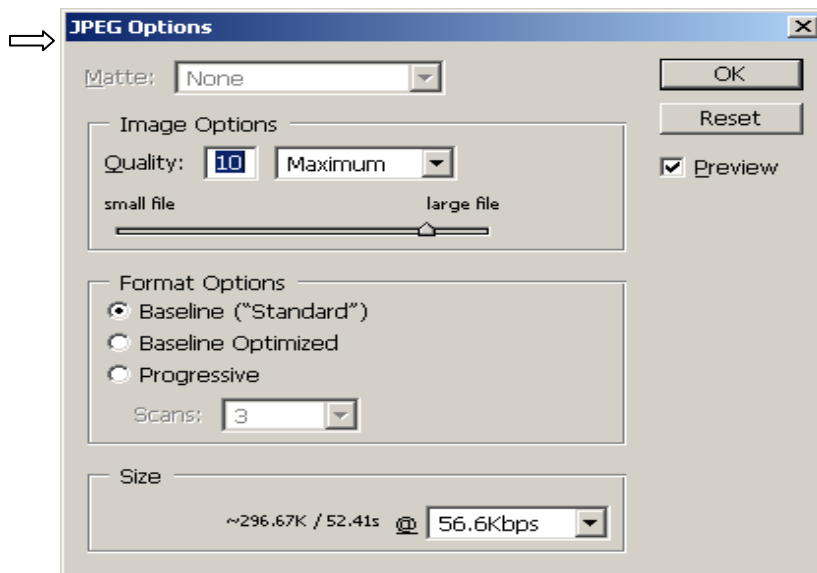
Image is now ready for the next step.....

5) File Sizing/Format: File size shown at the bottom of the next dialogue is for your info and is not an issue relative to submissions...

a) Under File> Save As

Enter the file name beginning with your last name followed by the competition class and the image title. (example SAVAGE-A-african landscape)
Please use caps for your name and class and lower case for image title.

b) Choose JPEG ...SAVE. A box will open titled JPEG Options.



c) Under Image Options: choose Quality 9 or 10.

d) Under Format Options: choose Baseline.

Click OK. This is the file you will submit.

CHECK YOUR IMAGE SIZE to be sure the image you now have is a JPEG file with image dimensions that fit within 1024 pixels WIDE and 768 pixels HIGH.

DO NOT CONFUSE THE IMAGE PARAMETERS WITH ANY PRINTING PARAMETERS. THEY ARE NOT RELATED!

Submit Digital Images to the Competition Chairman

- 1) Submit image files by email to: trey.jones@starrise.net
- 2) Subject line should start with "LMRA Digital Images"... then your name and class for competition. Example: LMRA Digital Images-SAVAGE-A
- 3) Email the images to the Competition Chairman on or before the Tuesday night of the week of competition.

OR

If you are unable to email your images, submit a CD so that the Competition Chairman receives it on or before the Tuesday night of the week of competition. On the CD, write your name and class of competition. Include with the CD, a paper listing of your entry files. Example:

1. SAVAGE-A-african landscape.jpg
2. SAVAGE-A-grizzly bear.jpg
3. SAVAGE-A-canadian landscape.jpg

If you wish to mail your CD, the address is:

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