

Send in your pictures . . .

So how to do that and what are the “rules”

In no particular order of importance:

1. Shoot your pictures at the largest resolution that your camera is capable of producing. Some members may be tempted to dial back the resolution because “you can get more pictures on the card” – BUT they are of lower quality.
2. Use an email program and “Attach” your image directly. Sending images by any other mechanism can result in a severely downsized image that looks “fuzzy” when projected. Do not use your web based image sharing mechanism – and there are lots of them – to send in images. They often produce small sized images and fuzzy picture results. Some of these websites require someone to sign up as a member before you can access these “shared images”. And all of them require somebody to figure them out and know how to get at the picture, download it, etc. Too much time!
3. Send your images to [cameraclub@kanataseniors.ca](mailto:cameraclub@kanataseniors.ca)
4. If you want your pictures included on our Photo Gallery, you must include your name as part of the image name  
Shot As IMG0912.jpg  
Renamed as Fall Colours by John Williamson.jpg  
Only photos identified as such will be forwarded to the webmaster for inclusion in the gallery
5. The purpose of these challenges is to encourage everyone to get out and take more pictures. So, instead of digging thru your old pictures, try and get out and shoot something during the month of the challenge!
6. Processing of your image in Photoshop is allowed and encouraged. Feel free to play with the creative stuff available in Photoshop or any other image processing software that you have.

The real story – we ask you to send the pictures the same size and resolution as you capture them. The reason for this is that for many club members, this is the easiest way of handling the pictures – no processing, no resizing, etc. For some of the new cameras on the market this can lead to very large jpg files being emailed.

Do we need them that big? Not really. The size required for optimum projection is about 1Mb-1.5Mb in size. So, if you are really comfortable processing and resizing your own images go ahead, just make sure the size is up there in the 1-1.5Mb size.

And finally, to check out the Camera Club gallery, go to:

[www.kanataseniors.ca/camera-club.html](http://www.kanataseniors.ca/camera-club.html)

and click on one of the galleries at the bottom of the page.