

Image size on the website

Pictures on websites don't need to be as hi-resolution as pictures that you might print out. Unfortunately, most cameras and smartphone cameras save pictures which are far too hi res. They come out on the website as huge and don't fit the page.

I've done a test page with pictures of various sizes to see how they come out. It is here:-

<http://broughtonparkfc.rfu.club/image-size-test-page>

I tried the raw picture which came from my smart phone at 4000 x 3000 pixels and it was far too big. Similarly with 2000 x 1500. I reduced it to **1000 x 750** and this size just fits the page. This is probably the largest size you should use.

I don't use a PeeCee, Microsoft or Apple but a [Chromebook](#). The image editor I use is [Pixlr Editor](#) which can be used for free in a browser. It can be found here:-

<https://pixlr.com/editor/>

Unfortunately Pixlr does not seem to work in Microsoft Edge. So what is new. I hate Microsoft!! Works OK in Chrome. On my PeeCee it is a bit slow but it zips along on my [Chromebook](#). I don't know whether it works in Safari on a Mac? Not sure about Firefox?

Click on 'Open image from Computer'. Navigate to the folder where your image is. Click on the file you want. Click on 'Open' or 'Load' whatever your computers says to load your image into the editor. Click on 'Image' from the top menu and then 'Image size', make sure 'constrain proportions' is ticked then change the horizontal size to the size you want. Click on 'OK'.

You can save this resized image by clicking on 'File' in the top menu and then 'Save' or just press CTRL S. Make sure the destination 'My Computer' is highlighted. Click 'OK'. Change the name if you don't want to overwrite the original and then click on 'Save'.

Cropping images to remove bits not needed.

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Make sure that the crop tool is selected at the top on the left hand side .

Drag a rectangle over the part you want to keep. With a mouse hold the left button down and drag. With a trackpad press with one finger and drag with the other. After your rectangle surrounds the part you want to keep, click anywhere else in the image, and you will be asked if you want to apply the changes. If you do, click on 'Yes'.

You can save this cropped image by clicking on 'File' in the top menu and then 'Save' or just press CTRL S. Make sure the destination 'My Computer' is highlighted. Click 'OK'. Change the name if you don't want to overwrite the original and then click on 'Save'.

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There is also a facility in the Website Editor to crop and resize images. Perhaps you would like to experiment with that. Just select the image and then click on 'Image Editor', you can Crop, Resize, Rotate, Filters, Preset. Make sure that you have the original image somewhere in case you make a boob.