

# Photo Posting 101

Q. Can I upload photos to the message board?

A. No, Voyager has no way of hosting photos. You must have them already available on the web.

Q. Is there a limit to the size of the photo?

A. Try to keep the width at or below 800 pixels.

Q. What about Format?

A. JPEG files seem to be the best since the file size is small.

Q. What can I post? Funny jokes, etc?

A. **NO NUDITY – NO PROFANITY!** I shouldn't have to explain that any further. If you are not sure if it is appropriate...then it probably isn't. As far as funny stuff, let's not get too carried away, as we all get a lot of this in our emails anyway. Try to at least stay on topic (motorcycles).

Q. Once I have a photo on the WEB, how can I show it on the Message Board?

A. This is a little tricky at first. You must use HTML tags to display the photo. The first **RULE** is **DO NOT** post the photos on the main board. The reason for this is it forces everyone to download the photo every time they come to the message board. It is very annoying for someone using a dial-up connection. That said; follow these steps.

1. Start a new message and enter a subject.
2. In the **\*Type your message here:** field, state the nature of your photo.
3. Post this message, and approve it.
4. Return to the message board.
5. Now with your browser, go to your photo you have posted somewhere on the net. I am going to use one of my photos as a reference. I enter in the browser <http://www.tl1000.com/99tlr.jpg> and my photo shows. I then copy that link.
6. Now return to the message board and reply to your own message. In the subject field, state that the photo is contained within.
7. In the **\*Type your message here:** field enter `<img src=` then paste your link you copied above. Now close the HTML tag with `>` You **MUST** have the `< >` at the beginning and end. My photo above would look like this: `<img src=http://www.tl1000.com/99tlr.jpg>`
8. Now post the reply
9. Do you see your photo in the **Modify/Approve Message** window? If yes, approve it. If you do not see your photo, hit the back button in your browser and try again. If you can't see it, no one else can!

This concludes our lesson for the day!

