

Photo Upload Guidelines

Preparing Your Images to Upload Online: Please follow these requirements when preparing your images for submission. Images not conforming to the desired formats and requirements listed below will not be allowed to upload.

- Acceptable image formats are .jpeg, .gif, .bmp, .png only.
- The total file size of the uploaded image must be less than 8 MB (megabytes).
- If your total image file size is greater than 8 MB, you will need to use a photo editing program to “resize the photo image”. Free programs available: Microsoft Image Resizer, Microsoft Photo Editor, Irfanview, Photoscape and others.
- Photos should not be screenshots of a photo. It results in a grainy picture.
- A short title for your photo entry is required. The title cannot be greater than 30 characters.
- For advanced entrants familiar with using a photo editing program the minimum image dimension (width or height) should be at least 450 pixels.
- Present your animal as you would for the show ring. Exhibitor should be dressed in show ring attire.
- Take photos in a well-lit area located outside. Try to reduce as many shadows and glares as possible.
- Photos should not be altered or edited.
- You may not advertise or promote anything other than yourself and your animal.
- All photos are subject to approval and denial by the LMAS committee.

Suggestions for Easier Upload:

- File name of the digital image should contain the name of the entry depicted or a keyword from the name. Renaming your image file name with at least a portion of the name of your entry makes easier identification while uploading.
- Place your images in a folder on your computer so you can easily browse for your upload. For example, create a folder called “Fair Entries”.
- When you are ready to upload, the entry form will ask you to go to the folder on your computer where you prepared the images for submission. Click the file name and then click the “Upload” button on the entry form.*
- After successfully uploading image, a photo thumbnail will appear on the right side of the screen.
- If you make a mistake, you can log back into “My Account” and select the “Upload Media” button.