

Photo Contest Pro – In Club Competition and Critique Submissions

Website: <http://www.photocontestpro.com/Default.aspx>



The screenshot shows the homepage of PhotoContest Pro Version 4. The browser address bar displays <http://www.photocontestpro.com/Default.aspx>. The page features a navigation menu with links for Home, Submit Pictures, Downloads, Purchasing, Privacy Policy, and Contact Info. A central text block describes the program's purpose for camera clubs. To the right, there is a photo of a White Browed Coucal with a caption box containing the text "White Browed Coucal" and "Cathy DesRochers".

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PhotoContest Pro is a program designed for Camera Clubs to run digital photo contests. The program manages the tasks of setting up a contest, managing the pictures for a contest, running and scoring the contest, assigning awards, viewing the pictures, and producing data reports.

The program license is assigned to a specific camera club. The program may be used by any member of the club for use within the club only.

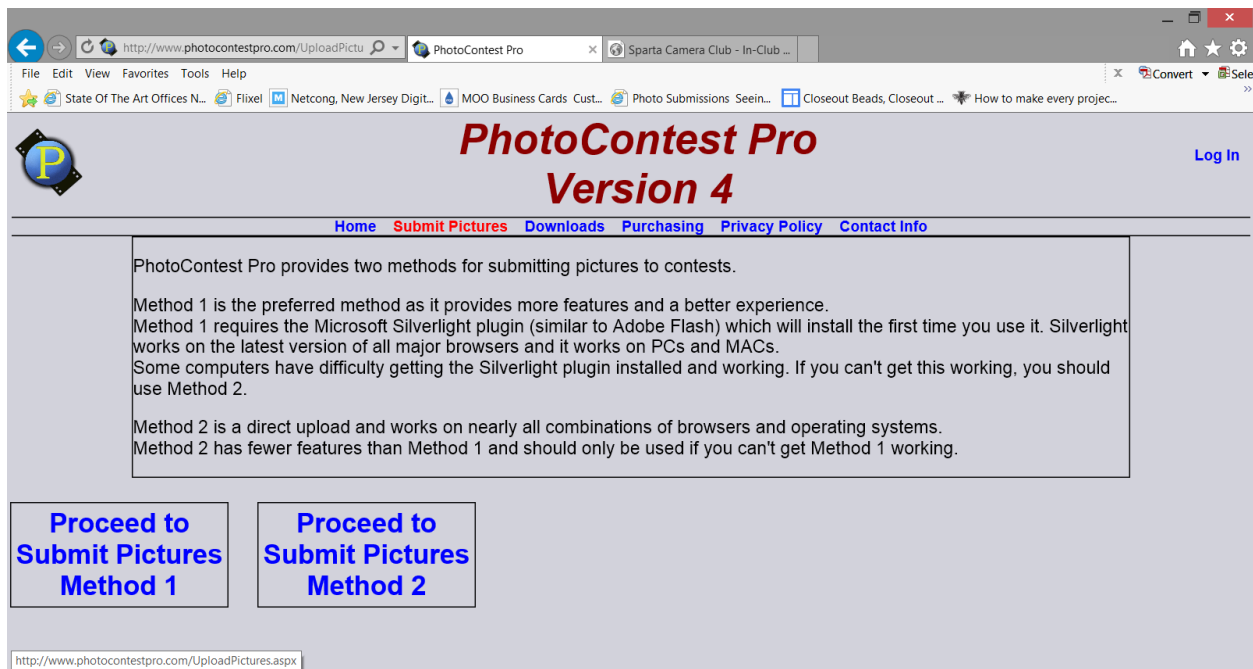
The entire process of setting up and running a digital photo contest is fully automated in PhotoContest Pro. The pictures are entered, managed, viewed, scored and assigned awards in a single program. The results are saved and can be used to generate reports. The pictures can be viewed and scored seamlessly together.

Setting up, running and scoring a photo contest is easy with PhotoContest Pro. The program is customizable for the requirements and scoring system of the specific club.

- Optimized picture display
- Customizable contest display
- Customizable awards
- Customizable reports
- Automatic end-of-year contest
- Multi-club contests
- Support for multiple judging keypads

White Browed Coucal
Cathy DesRochers

1. Click on “Submit Pictures”



The screenshot shows the 'Upload Pictures' page of PhotoContest Pro Version 4. The browser address bar displays <http://www.photocontestpro.com/UploadPictures.aspx>. The page features a navigation menu with links for Home, Submit Pictures, Downloads, Purchasing, Privacy Policy, and Contact Info. The main content area provides instructions for two methods of submitting pictures. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Proceed to Submit Pictures Method 1' and 'Proceed to Submit Pictures Method 2'.

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PhotoContest Pro provides two methods for submitting pictures to contests.

Method 1 is the preferred method as it provides more features and a better experience. Method 1 requires the Microsoft Silverlight plugin (similar to Adobe Flash) which will install the first time you use it. Silverlight works on the latest version of all major browsers and it works on PCs and MACs. Some computers have difficulty getting the Silverlight plugin installed and working. If you can't get this working, you should use Method 2.

Method 2 is a direct upload and works on nearly all combinations of browsers and operating systems. Method 2 has fewer features than Method 1 and should only be used if you can't get Method 1 working.

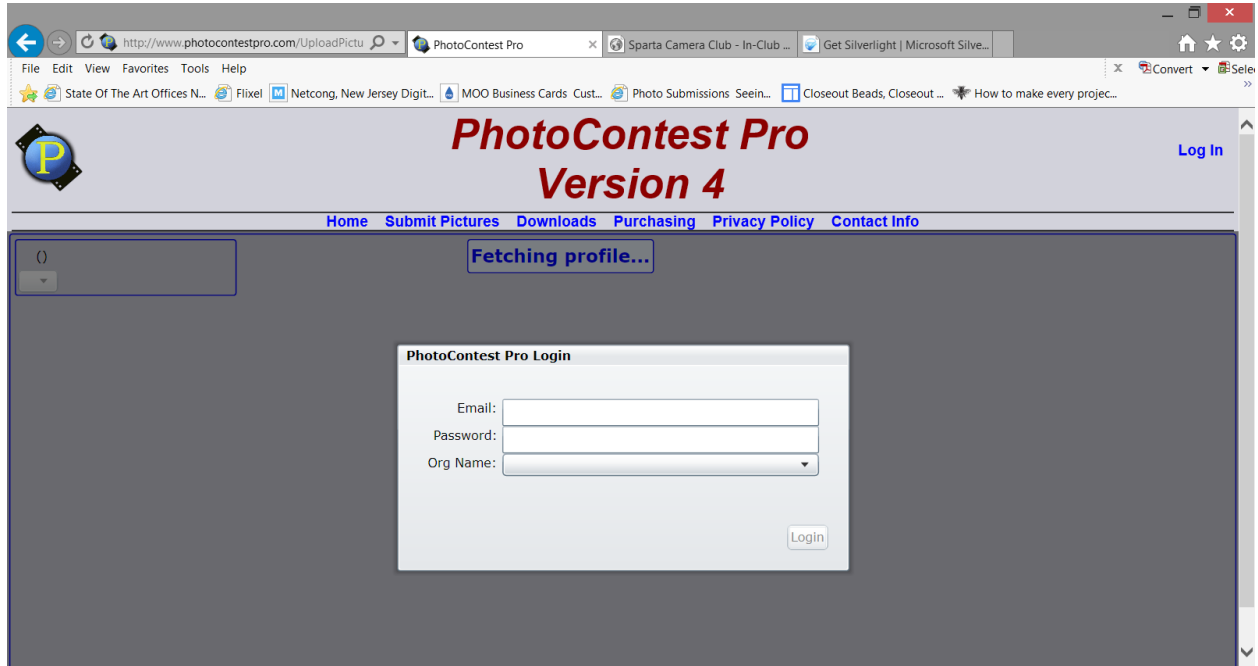
Proceed to Submit Pictures Method 1

Proceed to Submit Pictures Method 2

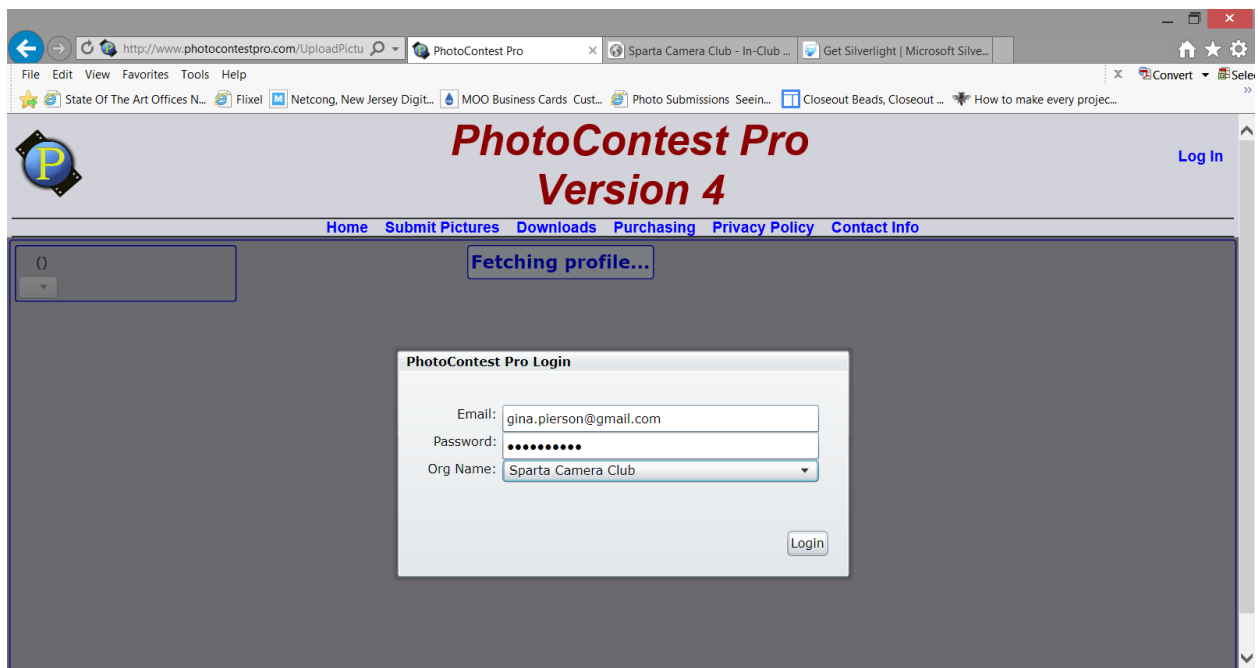
<http://www.photocontestpro.com/UploadPictures.aspx>

2. Click on “Proceed to Submit Pictures Method X” (which method # 1 or 2 depends on if you have Silverlight installed on your machine whether it is a PC or a Mac – it should work on both – please see the instructions)

<http://www.microsoft.com/getsilverlight/get-started/install/default.aspx?reason=unsupportedplatform>



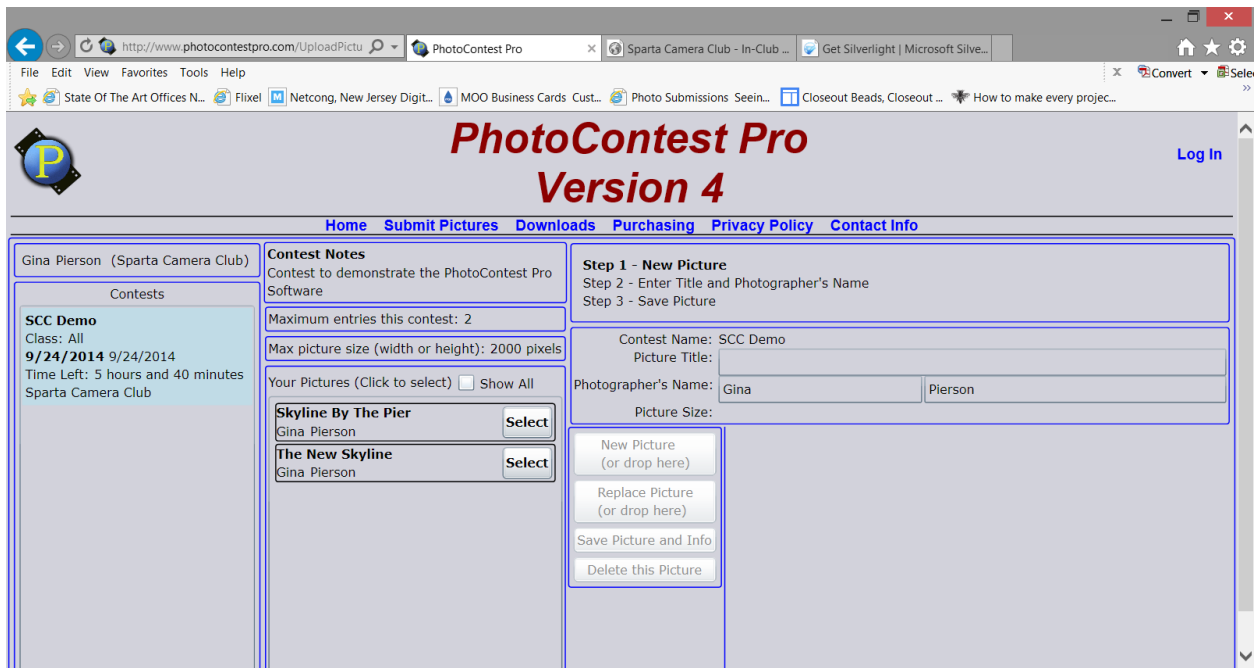
3. Type login (email address) and password information and select “Sparta Camera Club” form the dropdown field labeled “Org Name”. Click Login when complete.



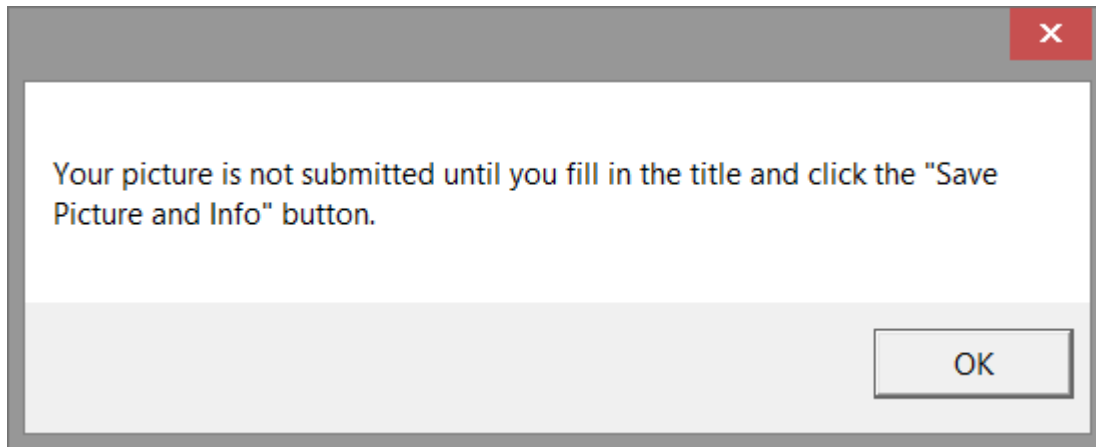
- The next screen will show a list of contests available for submission on the left side of the browser window.



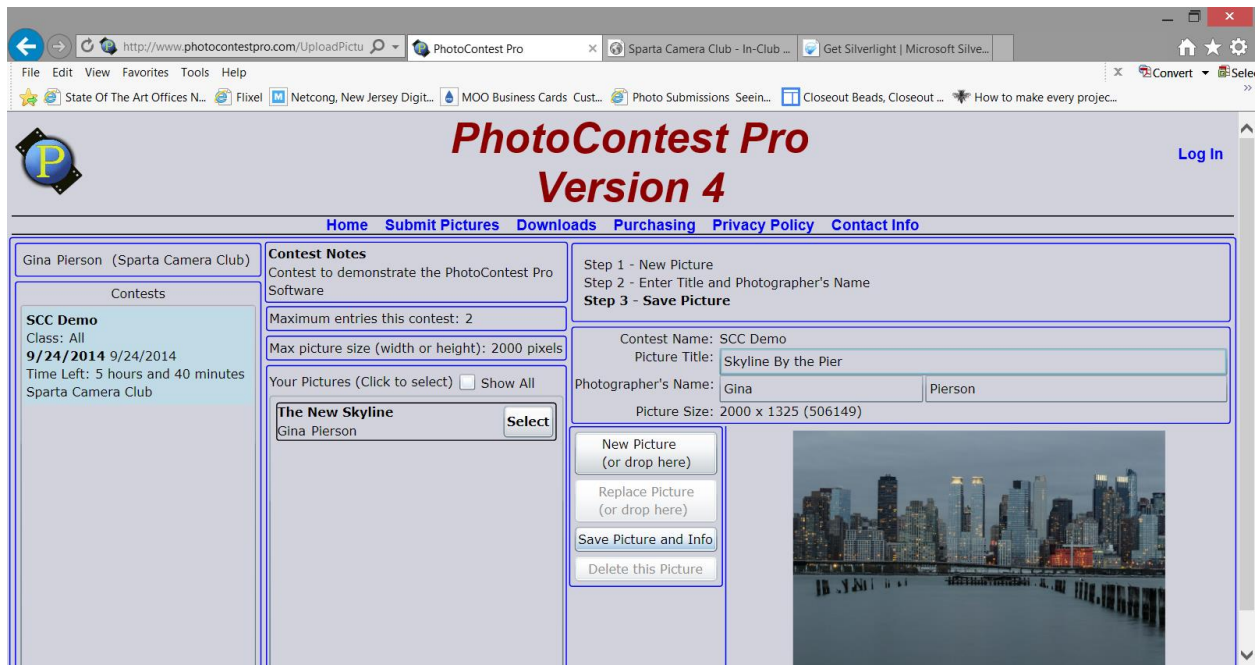
- The right-hand side of the window about in the middle of the screen you will see the "New Picture (or drop here)" button. Click on that button to select your picture for upload. The max size available is 2000 pixels on the longest side. (we will try that size for now and see how it goes – if anything changes you will be notified. If pictures are not sized correctly, you will receive an error and the picture will not upload)



- After selecting the picture to upload you will see a message about the picture not being saved until you enter a title.



- Go to the Title field in the right-hand side frame and type in your image title and then click the button in the center that says "Save Picture and Info".



8. You will see your image appear in the listed of submitted images under contest notes. You also see other contest details in that area.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <http://www.photocontestpro.com/UploadPictu>. The page title is "PhotoContest Pro Version 4". The browser's address bar shows several tabs: "PhotoContest Pro", "Sparta Camera Club - In-Club...", and "Get Silverlight | Microsoft Silve...". The browser's menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Favorites", "Tools", and "Help". The browser's toolbar shows various icons for navigation and search.

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Header:** "PhotoContest Pro Version 4" in a large, bold, red font. A "Log In" link is visible in the top right corner.
- Navigation:** A horizontal menu with links for "Home", "Submit Pictures", "Downloads", "Purchasing", "Privacy Policy", and "Contact Info".
- Left Sidebar:** A box titled "Gina Pierson (Sparta Camera Club)" containing a "Contests" section. Under "Contests", there is a "SCC Demo" entry with details: "Class: All", "9/24/2014 9/24/2014", "Time Left: 5 hours and 40 minutes", and "Sparta Camera Club".
- Contest Notes:** A section titled "Contest Notes" with the text "Contest to demonstrate the PhotoContest Pro Software". Below this, it states "Maximum entries this contest: 2" and "Max picture size (width or height): 2000 pixels". There is a checkbox for "Your Pictures (Click to select)" and a "Show All" link.
- Picture Selection:** Two entries are listed with "Select" buttons: "Skyline By the Pier" by Gina Pierson and "The New Skyline" by Gina Pierson.
- Submission Steps:** A section titled "Step 1 - New Picture" with sub-steps: "Step 2 - Enter Title and Photographer's Name" and "Step 3 - Save Picture". Below this, there are input fields for "Contest Name: SCC Demo", "Picture Title:", and "Photographer's Name: Gina Pierson". There is also a "Picture Size:" field.
- Actions:** A vertical list of buttons: "New Picture (or drop here)", "Replace Picture (or drop here)", "Save Picture and Info", and "Delete this Picture".