

How to upload a photograph to your call sign page on QRZ.COM

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What is QRZ

- QRZ is an Amateur Radio Call Sign lookup website on the Internet
- QRZ was founded in 1992 by Fred Lloyd, AA7BQ
- Started out copying 9-track (12-inch) mainframe tape reels from the FCC to anyone sending \$20 and blank tapes
- Moved to putting it on a CD-ROM for a while
- Contains all U.S. and Canada ham data, all other countries are manually entered by the individual operator
- Also has forums and for sale section, and lots of ads
- Must have a paid membership to use the XML Logbook Data



What You Will Need

- Internet Connection
- Web Browser
- Your QRZ account
- Your QSL info
- What you want to say about yourself
- Images you want to upload

Internet Connection

- Many people have an Internet connection at home
- If you don't have an Internet connection here are some free ones to use
 - Most public libraries have free Wi-Fi you can use from your phone, tablet or laptop
 - Many community colleges have a guest Wi-Fi you can use
 - Ask a friend to use their Internet connection

Web Browser

- Use your smartphone, tablet, laptop or desktop PC
- Most public libraries have public PC connected to the Internet available for public use
- Go to a friend's house that has a PC you can use

Your QRZ Account

- You need to create a QRZ.COM account, if you don't already have one
- **Warning: You can only have one account**
- Go to <https://www.qrz.com>
- On the upper right side left of the time click the [help/register](#) link
- On the *QRZ Customer Support Center* page on the right side to the right of "It's FREE to register!" Click on [Click here](#)
- On the *Sign up for a New Account* page enter your call sign and click **Continue**
- Enter your email and click **Continue**

Your QSL Info

- eQSL
- LOTW
- Mail QSL
- Special Instructions

What You Want to Say About Yourself

- Preferred name or nickname
- Backstory
- Equipment
- Antennas
- Nets you like
- Other hobbies or interests

Images You Want to Upload: Examples

- Picture of you
- Shack Photo
- Antennas
- Pets
- Family
- Projects

Images You Want to Upload: Restrictions

- You can only upload images you own or have explicit rights to use
- Images must be wholesome and suitable for a family audience
- All images are viewable by the general public
- Image must fit in a 1200x1200 pixel box; images will be automatically resized if larger
- Images must be less than 200 kilobytes; images will be automatically resampled down if larger
- File names can contain the letters A-Z, the numbers 0-9, underscore (_), hyphen (-) and a period followed by a file extension (such as .gif, .jpg, etc.).

Sample QRZ Call Sign Pages

- [WX6SWW](#)
- [KF4WGR](#)
- [KA9ZHY](#)
- [KE4YUB](#)
- [K9EID](#)

Edit Walkthrough

- Go to [QRZ.com](https://www.qrz.com) and login
- Hover the mouse over the top menu item that is your call sign
- Click on the [Edit](#) item
- Click on [Update the basic call sign data \(name, address, email, etc.\)](#)
- Update then click **Save**
- Click on [Add or edit your pictures and QSL images](#)
- Upload images then click **Done**
- Click on [Add or edit your biography text, fonts, etc.](#)
- Update then click **Save**

Resources

- Create your QRZ Bio Page in 17 Easy Steps
[http://www.ovarc.net/downloads/Create your QRZ Bio Page in 17 easy steps.pdf](http://www.ovarc.net/downloads/Create%20your%20QRZ%20Bio%20Page%20in%2017%20easy%20steps.pdf)
- QRZ Customer Center URL: <https://ssl.qrz.com>
- QRZ signup URL: <https://ssl.qrz.com/reg?op=newacct>
- QRZ How to Add Pictures to your QRZ Biography:
<https://www.qrz.com/page/pictures.html>
- Windows based free photo editor: <https://www.getpaint.net/>
- How to resize your image in paint.net: <https://www.wikihow.com/Resize-an-Image-With-Paint.Net>
- Free Windows/Mac/Linux photo editor (advanced features):
<https://www.gimp.org/>

Questions