

Using Flickr

How to add images of your sketches to the Urban Sketchers flickr group(s) by Kate Buike

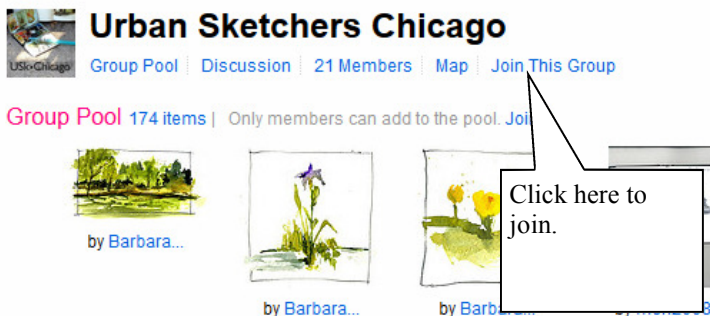
First, your sketches need to be turned into digital images. There are two ways to do this. Scan them or photograph them. While I normally recommend scanning and photographing at the highest possible resolution, for this purpose it is best to make the size of the image smaller. If you don't know how to do this using photo editing software, than just change the setting in your camera. Many printers are also scanners.



Next, establish an account on flickr if you don't already have one. It's a matter of working through all the questions.



If you have more questions than are covered here, consult the FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions) <http://www.flickr.com/help/faq/> There is also a Help section <http://www.flickr.com/help/> Flickr has a lot to offer and lots of ways to customize how you use it. I'll only cover the very basics here.



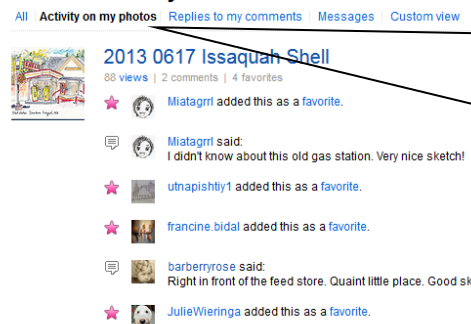
Sign in to your account and join the Urban Sketchers Tacoma group on flickr. It's easiest to go to the URL (web address) <http://www.flickr.com/groups/tacomasketchers/> For purposes of illustration, I've used a group to which I do not belong so I can show you the "Join this Group" link.

Now you're ready to upload your image and add it to the Tacoma group



You add a photo by clicking on "Upload", here.

Recent Activity



I've found I prefer to view flickr from the "Activity on my photos" page, found under "You" in the upper left menu, right next to the word "flickr"

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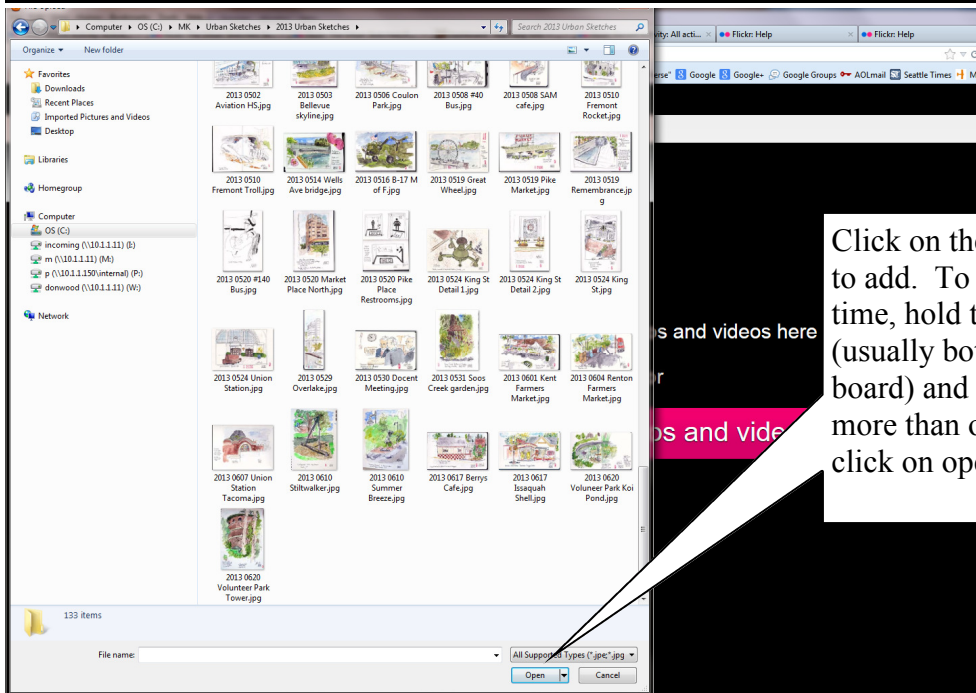
Add

Click on one or the other. If you click on “choose...” a window will open so you can navigate to the location on your computer where you store your images.

Drag & drop photos and videos here

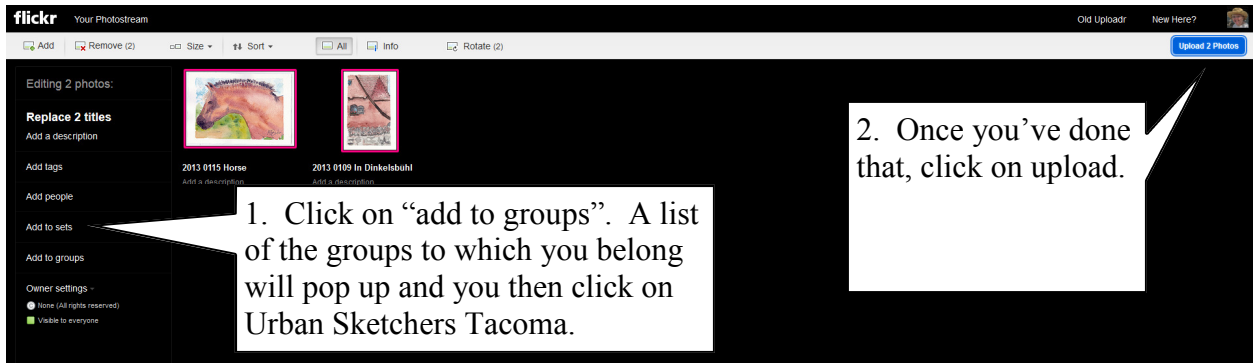
or

Choose photos and videos

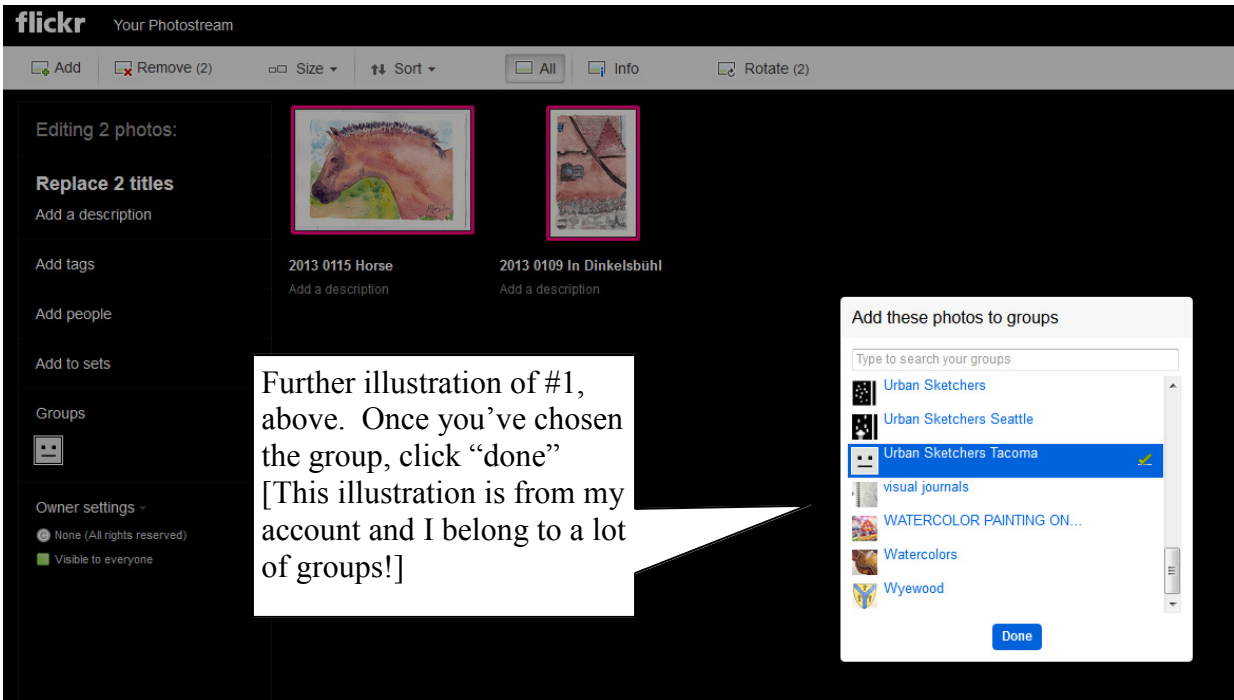


Click on the image(s) you want to add. To choose several at a time, hold the “ctrl” key (usually bottom left of keyboard) and mouse click on more than one image. Then click on open, here.

On the next screen, you can do several things at once that will save a lot of time later. Notice there is a pink line around the image. That means it is the one on which all these actions will apply. If you want to apply these actions on more than one image in the window, do “ctrl” click again to select them all. You can replace the titles and add further description. Alternatively, click on one at a time, do the actions (title, etc) and click to the next one and do different actions.



2. Once you've done that, click on upload.



That's all there is to it.

Now, there is a lot more you can do to organize your images and control how you view others' images. It's a good idea to go to your account page (see next screen capture) and set up controls and privacy settings for your account.

Your account

- Personal Information**
- Privacy & Permissions
- Emails & Notifications
- Sharing & Extending

Your Flickr account

You are signed in to Flickr via your Yahoo ID (mkbuike)

You have a Flickr Pro Account. It will renew on **1st November, 2014**.

- Manage your Pro subscription
- View your order history
- View all the gifts you've purchased

Your safety level

Your account has been reviewed as **safe** by Flickr staff. (What does that mean?)

Your buddy icon



Your screen name

RedHarp

Your profile

- Tell people a little (or a lot) about yourself (or view your profile page)
- For your profile, edit who can see what or if it's searchable

Your Flickr web addresses

- Photostream: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/redharp/>
- Profile: <http://www.flickr.com/people/redharp/>

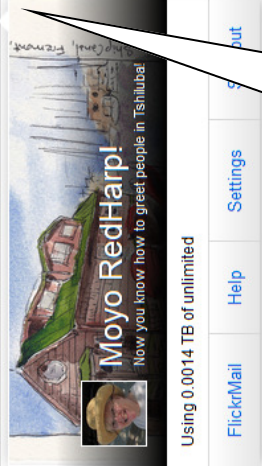
Your Yahoo! account

You are signed in to Flickr via your Yahoo ID (mkbuike)

- Edit your Yahoo! password
- Edit your Yahoo! preferences
- Use a different Yahoo! ID for this Flickr account

Your Flickr account

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2 Click through these tabs to set up your account the way you want it.

1. Click on this icon to open your account page. Mine shows my photo as I've uploaded it there. Your new account will have a generic image in this location.