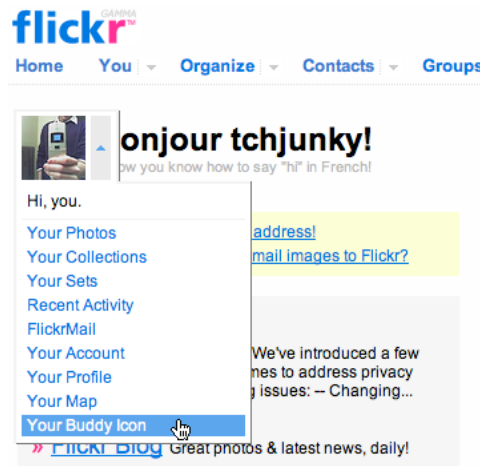


Change your Buddy Icon

You can create a new buddy icon from images in your Flickr photo library, on your computer, or on the Internet. For more information about the Buddy Icon, refer to Buddy Icons in the Conventions section.

1. From the Home page, click your **buddy icon** or select the buddy icon drop down menu and click **Your Buddy Icon**. You will then be redirected to Your Buddy Icon page.



2. Choose your preferred method of selecting a photo for your icon from the list below.

- To create a buddy icon from one of your Flickr photos
 - Click **In your Flickr photos** from the Your Buddy Icon page
 - Click the photo you would like to use as your icon
 - Continue with step number 3 below
 - To create a buddy icon from a photo on your computer
 - Click **On your computer** from the Your Buddy Icon page
 - Click **Browse** to select a photo on your computer that you would like to use
 - Click **Upload**
 - Continue with step number 3 below
 - To create a buddy icon from a photo on the Internet
 - Click **On the web** from the Your Buddy Icon page
 - Paste the image URL into the text box
 - In most web browsers you can copy the image URL by right clicking an image and selecting **Copy Link Location**
 - Click **Send URL**
 - Continue with step number 3 below
3. A tool will appear that allows you to crop and resize your buddy icon. Click and drag a corner of the selection square to crop your icon, or click and drag anywhere inside the selection square to reposition it on the image.
 4. Click **Make the Icon** when you are finished positioning the selection square.