

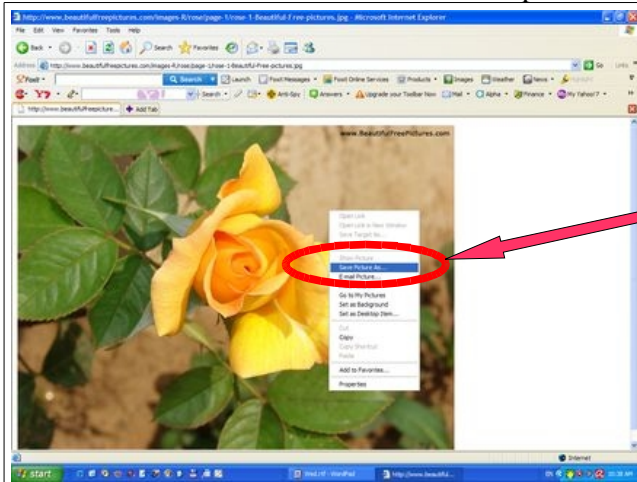


Coffee Break

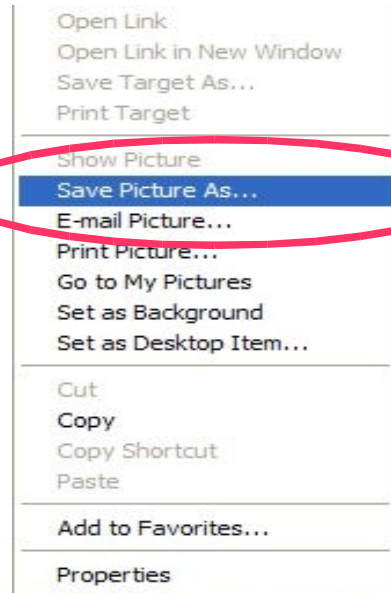
Question on Software or Operating system.

CAPTURE OR SAVE IMAGES OF THE INTERNET.

Some times you require an image from the Internet, maybe to paste into a project or send to a friend. Remember that anything on the Internet is copyright protected. I feel the main thing is you don't sell or claim it is yours. After all you can photo copy a page from a book at the library without any trouble. The methods shown here are for Internet Explorer.



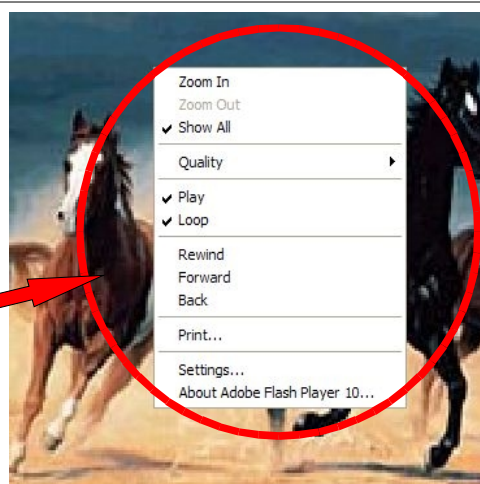
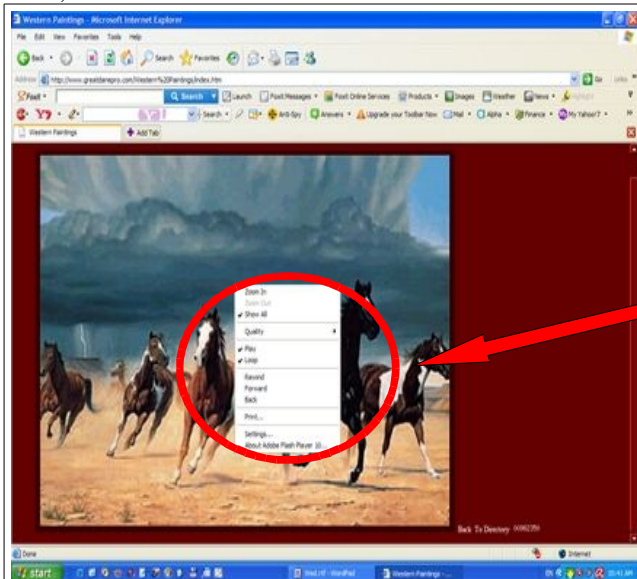
- [1] Move the mouse pointer over the image to copy.
- [2] Right click and choose (Save Picture As...)



Save the image to your Picture folder.

Remember Just about all image on the Internet are JPG or GIF and are compressed much smaller than normal for fast web page loading and to save space.

There are Web Sites that use Adobe Flash Player. The software is for viewing animations and movies using computer programs such as a web browser; in common usage, Flash lets the Web master put animation, slide Shows and movies on a web site. If the Web site has a Flash slide show and you require an image of one slide, then the method above won't work.

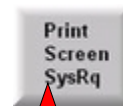


Right clicking the image gives you the options above. Note there is no option to save.

Your best choice is to capture the slide image to the clipboard.



When the image you want shows, press the [Print Screen] key once.



This places your image onto the clipboard. (Area of memory on your computer).

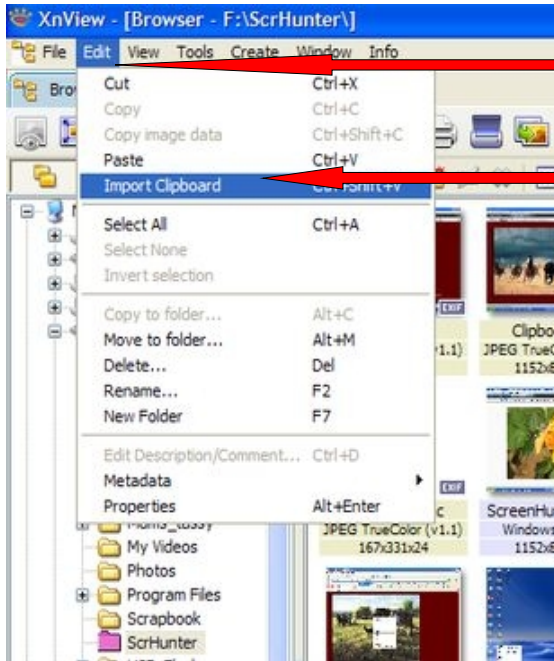
You can now paste this image into a graphic editor, word processor or Microsoft Power Point and any other software that accepts images.

The only image editor available in XP is Microsoft 'Paint' which does not have a great deal of options.

Any of the free software mentioned here are easy to use.

- XnView, available on our Club CD.
- Google's Picasa: web site <http://picasa.google.com/>
- Paint.NET is free image and photo editing software: web site <http://www.getpaint.net/>
- IrfanView is an other Viewer and basic editor: web site <http://www.irfanview.com/>

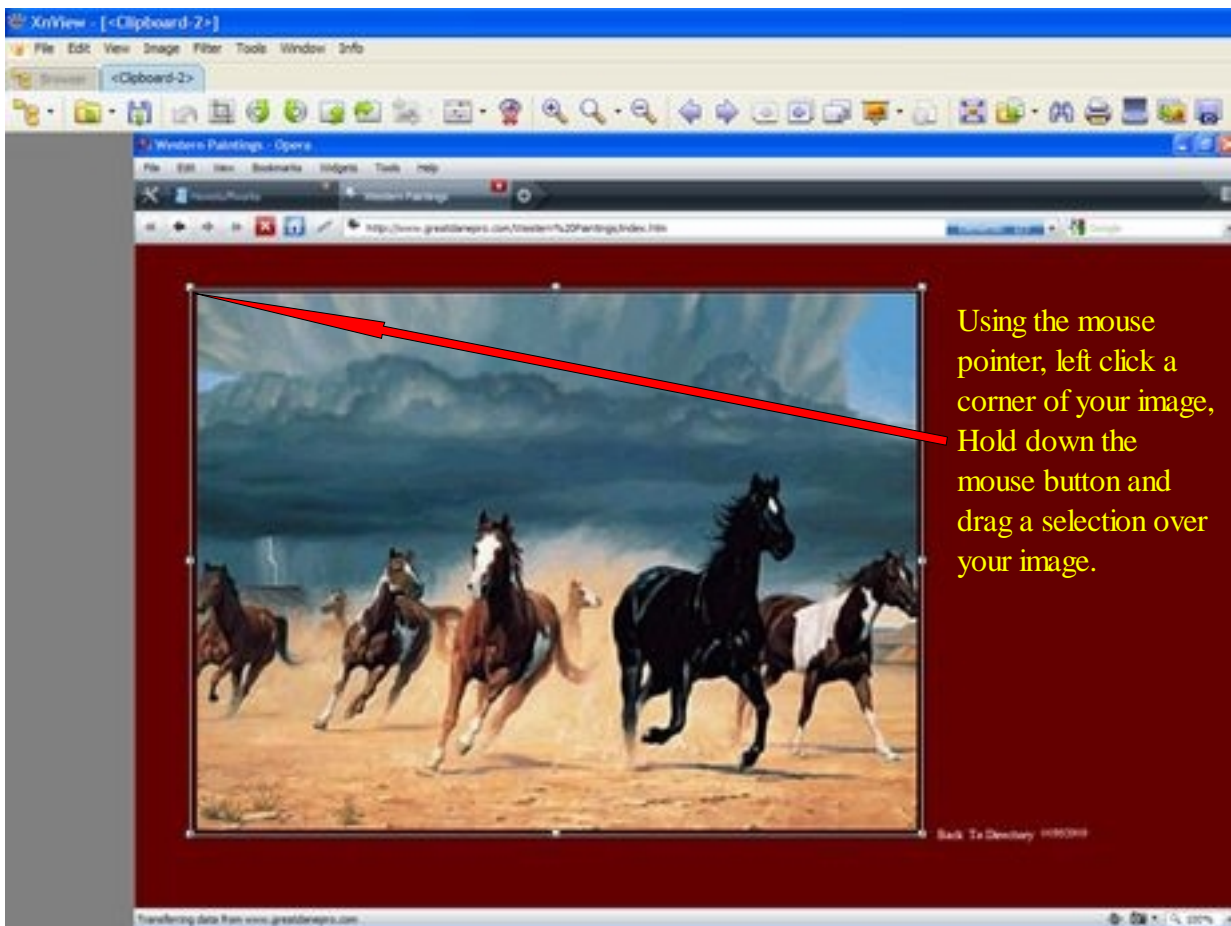
Using XnView (mainly because it's on the club CD).



With XnView open, click **[Edit]**

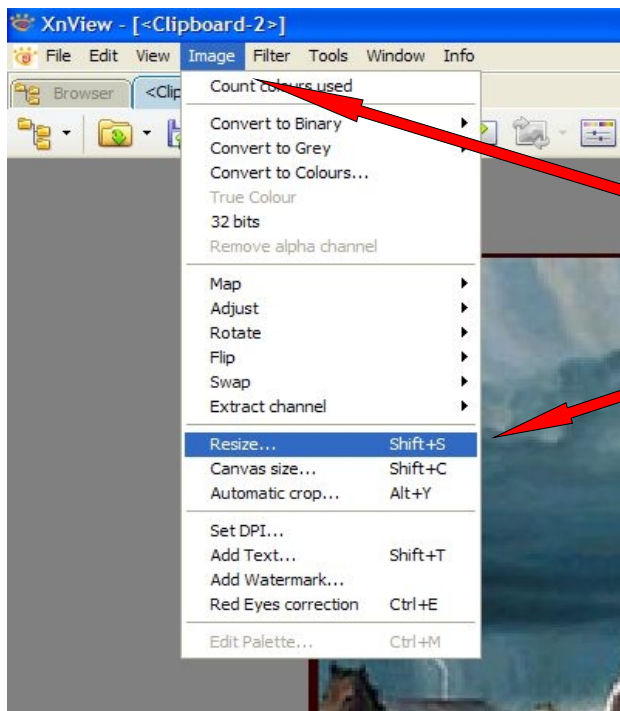
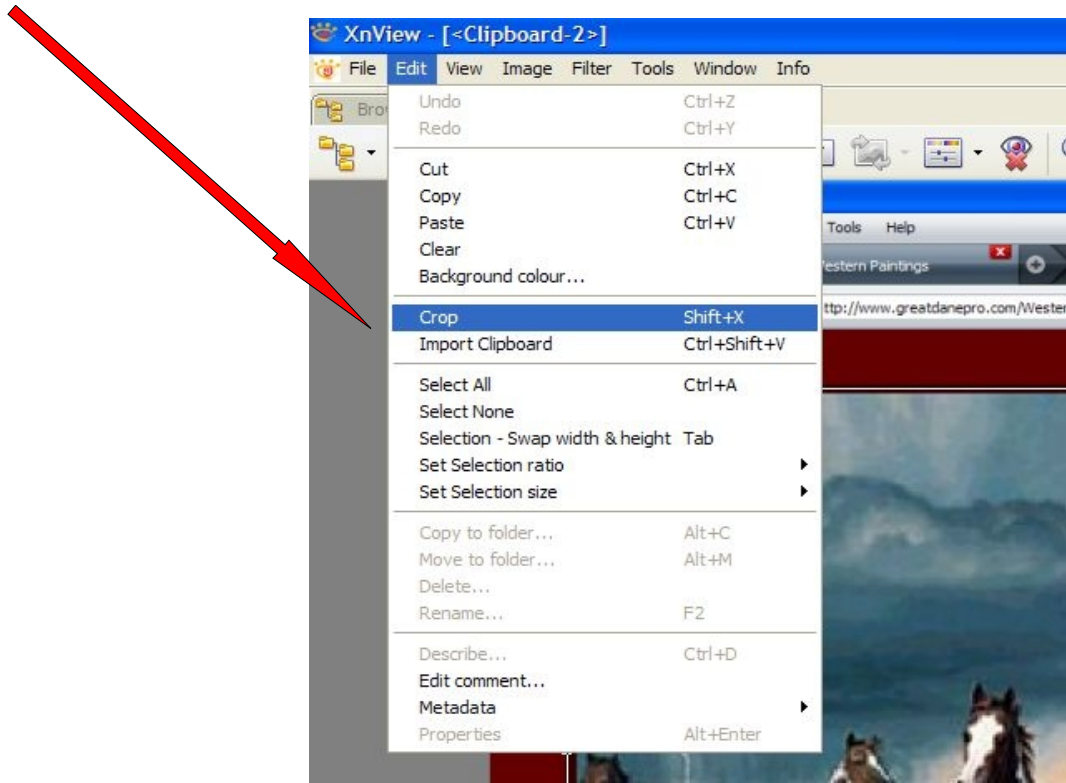
Then click on **[Import Clipboard]**

What is on the clipboard is opened in the XnView editor.



Using the mouse pointer, left click a corner of your image, Hold down the mouse button and drag a selection over your image.

With the selection chosen goto [Edit] and click on [Crop].



While still in XnView editor and your image now cropped, move to [Image]

Scroll down to [Resize] and left click.



With the [Resize] menu open you can choose to increase the image size or decrease the image.

Choosing any one of the options, You can use the arrow rollers to move the number up or down.

You can high-light a number and type in a new value.

If you make an error use the undo icon and choose another size.

After completion and still in XnView editor go to [File] and choose,

[Save As] and save your edited file.

