

## Introduction

The Picture plugin enables you to display any photos for other users to view. It puts a face behind the name.

For more information on selecting a picture to put in your User Details see: [User Details—Viewing](#)

For information on configuring incoming authorization request settings see: [Picture Plugin—Configuring Preferences](#)

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## Configuring Preferences

Users will need to request your authorization in order to download your picture to be displayed in the User Details dialog. You may configure the settings of the incoming Picture Plugin authorization requests in your Owner Preferences.

### To configure the Picture Plugin in your Owner Preferences:

1. Click on the **ICQ** button and select **Preferences**.
2. Select the **Picture Plugin** icon to configure your authorization request settings
3. Choose from the following options.
  - Check the **Play Sound** box to set ICQ to play a sound every time you receive a picture authorization request.
    - Click on the **Play**  button to hear the sound that will play. Press the  button to select another sound from another directory on your hard disk.
      - Select the **Set ICQ to display a response dialog** radio  button.
      - Select the **Set ICQ to automatically accept** radio  button.
      - Select the **Set ICQ to automatically decline** radio  button.
      - Check the **Set ICQ to automatically decline from users that are not on my Contact List** box.
4. Select **Picture** and click on the **Remove** button to disable the Voice Messages plugin. Click on the **Restore** button to restore a disabled Voice Message Plugin.

### To add the Picture Plugin if you have removed it:

1. Click on the **ICQ** button and select **Preferences**.
2. Select **Picture Authorization**.
3. Click on the **Add** button to import a plugin from another directory on your computer.

**Tip:** You may need to go offline and then online again in order to activate the change.

### To reactivate a disabled Picture Plugin:

1. Click on the **ICQ** button and select **Preferences**.
2. Select **Picture Authorization**.
3. Click on the **Restore** button.

**Tip:** You may need to go offline and then online again in order to activate the change.

### To disable the Picture Plugin:

1. Click on the **ICQ** button and select **Preferences**.
2. Select **Picture Authorization**.
3. Click on the **Remove** button.

**Tip:** You may need to go offline and then online again in order to activate the change.

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