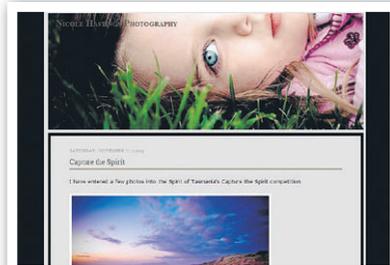


# Insight into your world

**W**HAT do you do with all of your digital photos? With digital cameras we can take photos whenever the vision moves us.



As a result there's a surplus of photos in our lives that remain unseen.

Emailing photos to people is time-consuming, so if you want to share them with friends, family, or the wider online community with less effort, try a photoblog.

Photoblogs are a form of photo sharing and publishing in a blog, but with the emphasis on photographs rather than text.

They are used for hobby photography, for sharing photos of a new baby, showing off your holiday snaps or keeping a visual journal.

Back when we all used film cameras, there was a hesitation with pressing the shutter button. Developing was (and still is) expensive, so getting the right shot with the correct light and composition was integral.

Now, with mobile phones featuring 8 megapixel cameras, photos can be taken freely.

Photoblogs can be a way to share more with more people. And they're free and easy to use.

Upload some photos at [www.photoblog.com](http://www.photoblog.com), [www.photostand.org](http://www.photostand.org) or [www.flickr.com](http://www.flickr.com) and get some inspiration from the directory, [www.photoblogs.org](http://www.photoblogs.org).

## TOP 5 WEBSITES: SOCIAL NETWORKING

1. Facebook 45.71%
2. MySpace 19.14%
3. YouTube 14.89%
4. Tagged 1.46%
5. Twitter 1.04%

Source: [www.hitwise.com.au](http://www.hitwise.com.au)



## Inspiring photoblogs



### DAILY SNAPPER

Taking one photo a day gives your gallery viewers a diverse insight into your world. Locally, Hobart Daily is an independently hosted blog by photographer Greg Kiernan posting one photo of some aspect of Hobart and surrounds each day.  
[www.hobartdaily.com](http://www.hobartdaily.com)

### PERSONAL JOURNAL

Whether you're travelling, working, or raising kids, keeping a blog about it doesn't have to be all about words. Locally, Nicole Hastings Photography is a charming independent photo blog by a stay-at-home mum whose passion is photography and family.  
[www.astrogirl529.blogspot.com](http://www.astrogirl529.blogspot.com)

### PICTURESQUE

The Tasmanian landscape deserves to be shown to the world, and there is a growing number of landscape photography blogs online. Tasmanian landscape photographer Ben Short is inspired by Tasmanian wilderness photographers such as Olegas Truchanas and Peter Dombrovskis, capturing a wild and untouched state.  
[www.benshortphotography.com](http://www.benshortphotography.com)

### CAMERA PHONE

Most of us have one, so why not put it to work? Mobile Phone Photography is a mobile phone picture blog by snapper Amy Bear, who passed up a digital SLR because she found a mobile phone that had a comparable camera.  
[www.mobile.amyty.com](http://www.mobile.amyty.com)

### FREELANCE BLOGS

Photoblogs can be an online resume for aspiring and freelance photographers. Nigel Honey Photos is a Hobart-based professional freelance photographer specialising in artfully posed wedding photos, family or individual portraits, even baby and pet photos.  
[www.nigelhoneyphotos.com](http://www.nigelhoneyphotos.com)