

Holiday Photo Tips

Before you know it, the holidays will be here and parties, get-togethers with friends and celebrations with family will find their way onto your calendar.

Along with the excitement and fun holiday festivities bring, there are plenty of opportunities to capture cherished memories on film.

With your trusty camera in hand, get ready to memorialize all those special moments.

But how do you make sure your pictures turn out as memorable as the celebration?

Here are some tips from the experts at Pacific Image Electronics:

Rely on candid. Staged or posed shots can leave you with an album full of static poses.

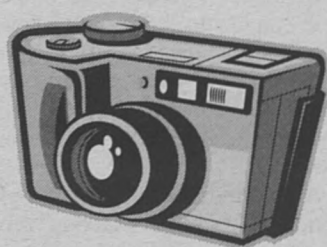
Candid shots allow you to capture the true essence of a person and the moment.

Plus, when people don't know they are being photographed, they are far less self-conscious.

Watch your lighting. Make sure your light source is behind you and not your subjects when snapping photos.

This way, you'll avoid the washed out "halo" effect or the silhouette that often occurs when your subject poses in front of a sunny window.

Avoid mirrors. You may end up with your reflection in the photo or a large flash spot.



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