



Jokes2000

Jokes 2000 is a free Palm OS program to read joke collections by RealComedy, Inc. The following describes the basic operation of the program.

Initial Operation

When you first launch the Jokes2000 application you will see a screen much like the one depicted here.



Initially Jokes2000 ships with the database SampleDistribution.pdb. You should be able to see it in the list, even if you don't have any other databases installed. If you tap Cancel in this dialog or open, but you have no databases installed, you will see this:

No joke databases open!

If that occurs go to the file menu and select a database. If there are no items in the Joke Databases list, you need to install them onto your handheld.

The Main View

A gorgeous dumb blonde ran out of petrol on a farm road. She could not find any help and decided to walk. In the distance she saw a old farm house. On her arrival she saw two young men ploughing the fields, they couldn't believe what they saw and ran towards her.

Their mother decide to let the blonde stay overnight. That night the blonde slept in the lounge, she could not stop thinking of the two brothers. A while

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Most of the screen is taken by the display of the joke itself. At the bottom of the screen is the toolbar used to navigate the joke database.

Scrolling the Text Area

There are two methods to scroll the text area.

- You can use the Up and Down hardkeys on your handheld
- You can tap on the text area itself. Tapping in the upper region of the text area will scroll the display up – tapping in the lower region of the text area will scroll down.

The Toolbar

To the very left is the jokes popup menu.

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It looks somewhat like this when tapped:



Tapping on any of the titles in the list will then display it on the main screen.

In the right hand corner of the toolbar are these five buttons.

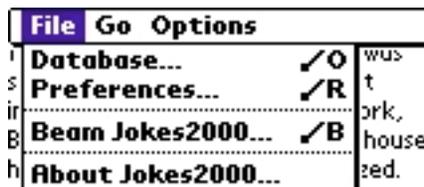


From left to right they are:

- R: Selects a joke from the database randomly
- Up Arrow: Goes to the first joke in the database
- Left Arrow: Goes to the previous joke in the database
- Right Arrow: Goes to the next joke joke in the database
- Down Arrow: Goes to the last joke joke in the database

All of these functions are also available as menu commands.

The File Menu



She telephoned the police at once and reported the crime. The police dispatcher broadcast the call on the channels, and a K-9 unit patrolling nearby was the first on the scene.



Database opens the Database Dialog (as seen above).
Preferences opens the Preferences Dialog (see below).

Beam Jokes2000 lets you beam the Jokes 2000 application to a friend.

About Jokes2000 displays some information about the Jokes2000 application including version number and a URL for RealComedy, Inc.

The Go Menu



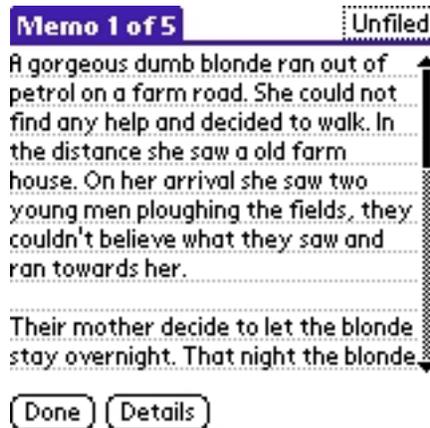
The Go menu duplicates functionality also available via the Toolbar (see above).

The Options Menu



The Copy command allows you to copy the currently displayed joke to the internal clipboard. You can then paste it into any word-processing application.

Export to MemoPad functions in a similar way, but copies the joke directly to MemoPad. If you have checked the option “Go to MemoPad after Export” in Preferences, the MemoPad application will be launched listing the joke you exported as the first item in the list. Tapping on the jokes title in MemoPad will display something similar to this:



Note: MemoPad allows you to beam a memo. That means that you could select a joke in the Jokes2000 application, export it to MemoPad and then beam the joke to a friend.

Fonts allows you to pick any of the built-in fonts for the jokes display. Typical options would look like this;



The Preferences Dialog



You can filter the content of the jokes list by the options seen above. If you don't seem to have any items in the jokes list, you might have selected a filter that filters out everything, so try setting it to None.

Use Hardkeys maps the PhoneBook (or Addresses) hardkey to the back function of the toolbar or Go menu item. It also maps the ToDo button to the forward function of the toolbar and/or Go menu.

NOTE: If you own a Tungsten T you don't need to set this, as the D-Pad is already mapped to all functions (forward, back, first and last).

Go to MemoPad after Export has been explained above. Check this if you want to launch the MemoPad application after an export.

Notes and Trouble-Shooting

It is currently not possible to store joke databases on external memory (i.e. SD/MMC cards) with the current version (1.1).

The Jokes2000 application can be used from memory cards.

If there are no jokes in your jokes list, but you have loaded a database, try setting the filter in Preferences to None.

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