

# PhoneFace

## User Guide for PhoneFace on Blackberry devices



Downloading PhoneFace to your PC from [www.PhoneFace.com](http://www.PhoneFace.com)

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### 1. Installing PhoneFace

There are 2 ways to install PhoneFace.

Firstly you can go to [www.phoneface.com](http://www.phoneface.com) using your Blackberry web browser. Then choose to download the free trial. If you have bought PhoneFace and have a registration code download the free trial and then enter your code once installed on your device.

Alternatively, you can download PhoneFace to your pc desktop and sync it to your blackberry. Download the latest release from here:

<http://phoneface.com/phoneface.zip>

Download this file to your PC. Once downloaded either double click on the icon or tap 'open folder'. You will then see the list of files that make up the .zip file. Open the .zip file and then install the .alx file using your Blackberry Desktop Manager. If you don't know how to do this, please see the guide for installing software at:

<http://blackberryrocks.com/how-to-install-applications-themes-blackberry-desktop-manager/>

## **2.Getting Started**

Once PhoneFace has been installed you will be asked to change the application permissions. Select 'yes' and 'save' on the dialogue box that appears.

The first time you open PhoneFace you have the choice to either enter a registration code or use the free trial. If you have purchased the application you need to enter the code here to unlock the application. This will be in the email you received as confirmation of your order.

PhoneFace will then ask you permission to access your Address book. Please select 'Allow' in order for PhoneFace to work.

If you are using the free trial, you have 7 days to enjoy all the functions of the application but after that time you won't be able to make calls or send messages from PhoneFace

### **Menu options – Setting up PhoneFace**

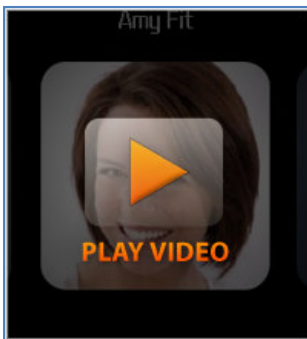
To get started with PhoneFace you need to go into the program, select 'menu' and then Add a new contact. Below is an explanation of the menu options and all you need to know about getting PhoneFace up and running.

For a walkthrough of how to use PhoneFace please see the ZDNet Vlog on [Youtube](#)

Below is an explanation of the standard PhoneFace menu options:

#### **Add new contact**

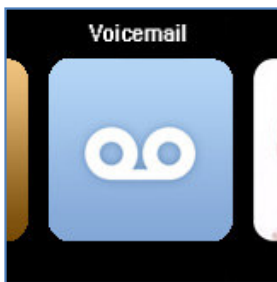
Choosing this option lets you scroll your address book to add a number or contact to the PhoneFace page. There are several ways of assigning pictures to your contacts to use in PhoneFace. If you sync your address book with outlook on your PC then you can assign pictures to each contact in Outlook. Alternatively, you can choose pictures straight from your Blackberry. When you select to add a contact that does not already have a picture saved to it you



How each contact will appear in PhoneFace



Picking a Photo in PhoneFace



The Voicemail icon is one of the PhoneFace pictures already loaded with the program that you can choose from.

will be given several options to add a new photo (see picture left):

- **Use camera**
- **Search for picture**
- **PhoneFace pictures**
- **My pictures**
- **Storage Card**

Pick one of these choices to find your pictures. If you have photos on your memory card, then this will also show up here.

PhoneFace has the unique option of letting you sync with your Facebook account to use your friends' profile pictures as their contact photos. In order for this feature you work, you need to install the PhoneFace app on your Facebook account (see below)

#### **Change photo**

You can change the picture for a contact at any time by selecting this.

#### **Rotate photo**

Allows you to rotate a picture 90 degrees clockwise at a time to get it the right way round.

#### **Delete contact**

This deletes a contact from the PhoneFace page, but not from the device's Address book. This means you can keep PhoneFace to just your most used contacts for easy scrolling.

#### **Advanced...**

- **Scan Address Book**

Selecting this adds all your contacts with pictures or all your contacts from your Blackberry address book into PhoneFace. It's a quick way of adding everyone to the PhoneFace page if you don't want to just pick and choose your most dialled numbers.

- **Delete All Contacts**

Clears the PhoneFace app and lets you start again

- **Add PhoneFace to all menus Yes/No**

This lets you quickly access PhoneFace from wherever you are and whatever you are doing on your Blackberry by just clicking the menu button

from any app.

- **Add photos to address book**

Assign the pictures you choose for your friends in PhoneFace to your contacts so the picture will also show up when your friend calls you.

- **Allow http connections Ask/Not When Roaming/Always**

Data charges can be expensive when you are roaming in a different country. You may want to set this option to Not when roaming.

- **Auto-update Facebook Photos On/Off**

If this is on, PhoneFace will automatically go and check once a day to see if your Friends photos have changed on Facebook and get the latest.

- **Sort Mode: Alphabetical/By Use**

You can now sort alphabetically by first name or last name or by frequency of use - so your favourite contacts come top of the list

#### **About/Help**

Here you can read some of our top PhoneFace user tips and also find out your current version number

#### **Close**

Closes the menu

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### **3.Using PhoneFace – Functions, Tips and Hints**

Once you have set up your PhoneFace contacts, you're ready to start using the program.

Tapping once on a contact gives you the options to SMS, Email, Call or IM that person. To call a contact directly in PhoneFace, simply hold down on a contact for more than half a second.

PhoneFace will also remember the last number preference for your contact – i.e. if you last called someone at work, then their work number will be the first one shown in the PhoneFace selection.

If you have a lot of PhoneFace contacts then just as you can in your address book, typing the first letter of their name into your keypad will show contacts matching that letter and jump to the first -name that



The Phoneface application as seen in Facebook

matches. Typing more letters refines the search.

PhoneFace can also now sort alphabetically or by frequency of use - so your favourite contacts come top of the list.

### How to get the most from PhoneFace pictures

You can use any picture in PhoneFace - though 200x200 works best. You can use the sites below to make some fun avatars for your friends - just save them on your PC or Mac, email them to your phone, save them on your phone, then pick them for your friends in PhoneFace - it's easier than it sounds, and a lot of fun!

Here are some of the best sites we've used...

- [Face Your Manga](#)
- [The South Park Avatar Maker](#)

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### 5. PhoneFace and Facebook

To access and use your friend's photos from Facebook you need to add the Facebook Phoneface application to your Facebook account online.

To do this:  
PhoneFace Facebook link

<http://www.facebook.com/apps/application.php?id=17215725891>

Once you've loaded the Phoneface application into your Facebook account and followed the instructions on how to activate your Blackberry to your account, go back to PhoneFace on your BlackBerry. When you add a contact you can choose "Look for Facebook picture...". PhoneFace will go online and try to match that contact among your Facebook friends. If it finds the friend it'll bring back their Facebook profile picture back to your BlackBerry. If there is no match, then please make sure the contact is one of your Facebook friends,



and that the name is spelt the same in both places!

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#### **6.Using Phoneface with Twitter**

You can also use your friends Twitter photos. Just enter your Twitter username and password to set it up and tap “Search Twitter” to go and find them.

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#### **7.Using Phoneface with Ringo**

If you have both Ringo and PhoneFace on your device the two apps will work together letting you set ringtones and sms tones for a contact from PhoneFace and also set the photo for a Friend in Ringo. You can try out Ringo for free by browsing to <http://ringomo.com> on your Blackberry.

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#### **8.Registering PhoneFace**

If you have already purchased PhoneFace then you should have received an unlock code or key. This needs to be entered to unlock the free trial version. To do this, open PhoneFace on your Blackberry and then select menu>unlock Phoneface, then enter the key. If you have been using the trial version, however, and want to purchase it, then you need to buy it from [www.phoneface.com](http://www.phoneface.com) or one of the many other vendors who sell our products such as [www.handango.com](http://www.handango.com).

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**9.Uninstalling PhoneFace** If you wish to uninstall PhoneFace from your device, you just need to go to the main menu on your Blackberry, open ‘Options’, then navigate to ‘Advanced options’, ‘Applications’. Then scroll down until you see PhoneFace in the list and press ‘Menu’ then select and confirm ‘Delete’.

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**10.Upgrading and Feedback**

We regularly update PhoneFace and as a registered user you are entitled to a free upgrade. Simply check if you have the latest release by downloading and installing the latest free trial onto your blackberry at [www.phoneface.com](http://www.phoneface.com). Install this over your current version and it will 'remember' your registered status and upgrade for free.

We'd love to know what you like and what you'd like to see in PhoneFace. The best way is to send an email directly to [phoneface@electricpocket.com](mailto:phoneface@electricpocket.com). We'll do our best to get back to you quickly!