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HELLO, GOOD EVENING AND WELCOME

This time it's a short one just to round out the year. Everybody is out buying mince pies anyway.

During the Christmas/New Year period, our hotline and support services will operate more or less as normal. Most onsite services will be scheduled for the new year, unless critical.

Have a good one!

COMPUTING: Spam On The Decline...

Spammers put in a tremendous effort during November. You have to admire it. If you've been watching our Great Spam Experiment (<http://www.cadzow.com.au/?Article=1245>) you will notice the gradual uptick in spam volume over time, but in November, it went through the roof. Spam to real mailboxes almost doubled and spam to non-existent mailboxes (stray mail) went absolutely bonkers: **26,430** messages compared with **2,292** the previous month, an 11-fold increase. The moral of the story is, if you're getting a lot of spam, consider changing your address. If you have a stray mail collector, turn it off. See our last newsletter.

CADZOW SOFTWARE: New Features

SMS and Faxes by Email: If you have an email fax gateway, or access to an SMS by email service, you can generate email strings from Cadzow 2000 using the stored mobile and facsimile numbers. Cadzow 2000 generates the prefix and suffix codes so all you need to do is copy and paste the addresses into your email client. (<http://www.cadzow.com.au/?Article=1714>)

Vista Support: Cadzow 2000 has had some tweaks to better support the new Windows Vista.

CO|V|P\T1NG: As If It Wasn't Complicated Enough Before

Has the generational divide ever been greater? Now you need a degree in advanced cryptography if you want to know what your kids are talking about. Why is it good to have "5x1lz"? See Microsoft's guide to leetspeak: <http://www.microsoft.com/athome/security/children/leetspeak.mspc>.

PROBLEMS Your Grandad Didn't Have

- ✓ **Anxiety** caused by the need to remove your jacket when you have only ironed the front of the shirt.
- ✓ **Delusion** that there is no email waiting for you must be an error which downloading again will rectify.
- ✓ **Embarrassment** going into a store with a naughty-but-technically-not-naughty name.

The Cadzow team has been developing business and accounting software solutions for over 25 years. Cadzow is an Australian organisation addressing the software requirements of business and government. Software solutions in the Cadzow 2000 family include: Cadzow Contact Manager, Cadzow Time Manager, Cadzow Training Manager, Cadzow Call Stats Manager, Cadzow Booking Manager, Cadzow Job Manager, Cadzow Accounts Receivable, Cadzow Accounts Payable, Cadzow Stock Control, Cadzow Weblink, Cadzow Room Manager plus many customised solutions. To learn how they can be used individually or together, visit <http://www.cadzow.com.au/?Article=1288>.

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