Configuration

Configuring the addon is very easy. You simply select the promotion codes you want to make available to your Facebook fans. The addon will automatically create unique single use promotion codes for your Facebook fans when they access your Facebook page.

Go to Addons > Facebook Promotions.



The first field will give you the full URL you will need to use when setting up your Facebook app. Once you have set up your Facebook app you can enter your App ID and App secret here.

Next you select the WHMCS promotion codes you want to make available to your Facebook fans. Once a Facebook fan has accessed your Facebook page, they will see a unique code for them in the format:

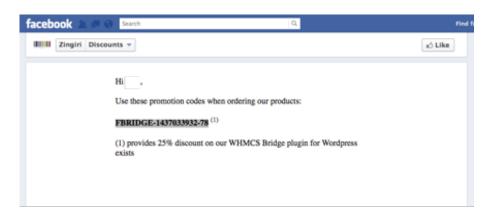
[WHMCS promotion code]-[Facebook user id]-[check digit]

For example: FBRIDGE-1437033932-78

The description field will appear on your Facebook page and you can enter some text to explain what the promotion codes are for.

Click 'Save Settings' when done.

A Facebook fan will be presented with the following screen.



The code will be valid for 30 days and for a 1 time use only.

Creating a Facebook app

To make the link between your Facebook page and your shop you will need to set up a so called Facebook app.

Some good documentation about Facebook apps can be found at these links

http://developers.facebook.com/docs/appsonfacebook/tutorial/and

http://developers.facebook.com/docs/appsonfacebook/paget abs/.

But we'll try to guide you step by step on how to do this. It all starts at this link: https://developers.facebook.com/apps.

Click 'Create New App' and fill in the App name, for example 'Discounts'.



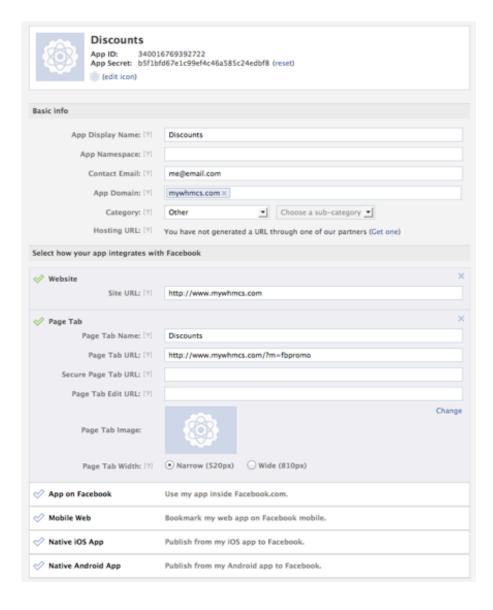
You will then be requested to verify a security code.



In the next screen you will need to select the type of app we're creating. In this case it's a 'Page Tab' on Facebook. You will find the exact URL to enter in the Addons menu of your WHMCS installation. You will also need to activate the 'Website' integration and fill in your WHMCS URL there.

In App Domain in Basic Info you also need to fill in your WHMCS domain.

Take note of the App ID and the App Secret as you will need this later on.



That's it your application has been created.

You now need to link this App to your Facebook page. You can simply navigate to this URL in your browser:

https://www.facebook.com/dialog/pagetab?app_id=YOUR_APP_ID&next=YOUR_URL

Replace "YOUR_APP_ID" with your App ID and "YOUR_URL" with your App's Canvas URL, both of which values are available in your app settings.

In our example, this would be:

https://www.facebook.com/dialog/pagetab?app_id=3400167 69392722&next=http://www.mywhmcs.com/?m=fbdiscounts

This will bring up a dialog box where you can attach the app to your page. Once done the app will appear as a tab on your page, like here:

