Install Flywheel on a Mac

http://www.wpworkshop.online/

If you came to the workshop helpdesk and got flywheel installed, proceed to **Configure Flywheel.**

We have flash drives with Flywheel installers (quicker than downloading). To install Flywheel, you must have local administrative access to your machine.

Workshop Requirements:

The minimum requirements on a Mac are:

- OS X 10.9 or greater
- 1 GB of free disk space
- · Administrative Access to install software

To follow along, you should have the following installed:

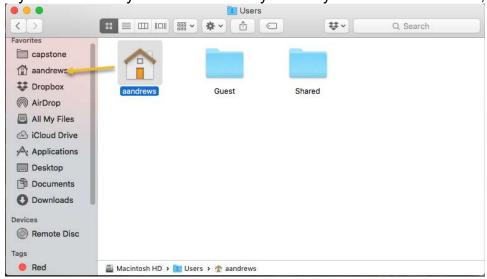
- A text editor with syntax highlighting (Sublime Text3, Brackets, Visual Studio Code or Atom)
- Google Chrome. Set it as your default browser.
- Local By Flywheel Installed

Confirm you're running at least MAC OS version 10.9



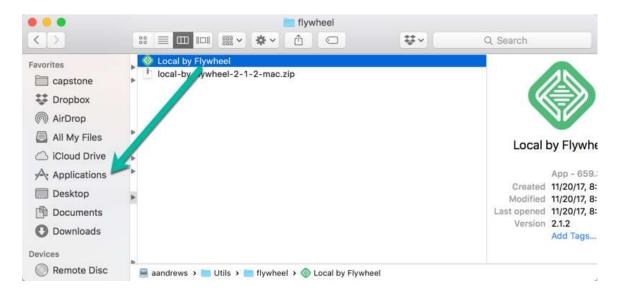


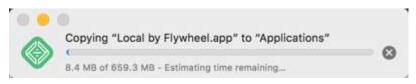
If you don't have your home directory icon in your favorites in finder, add it.

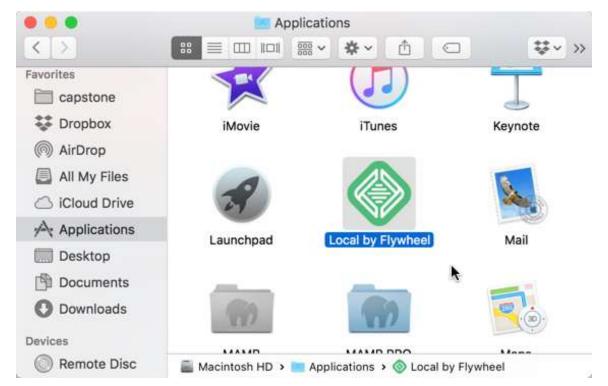


Open finder, browse to Macintosh HD. Drag the house to favorites on the sidebar.

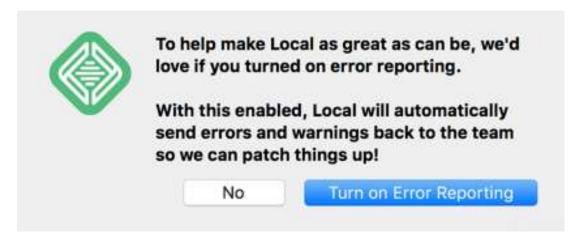
Open the flash drive, click and drag the Local by Flywheel icon to the Applications Folder You must have be a local administrator on your mac before you install.



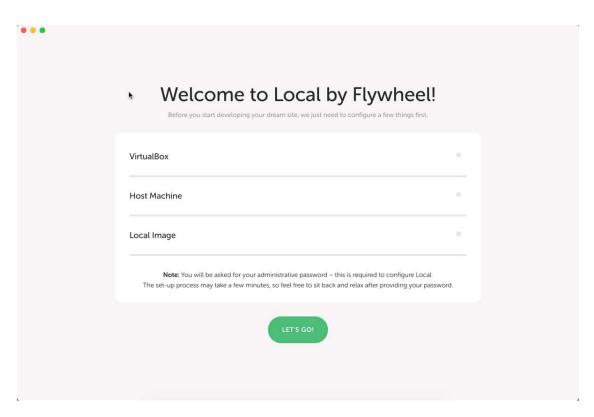




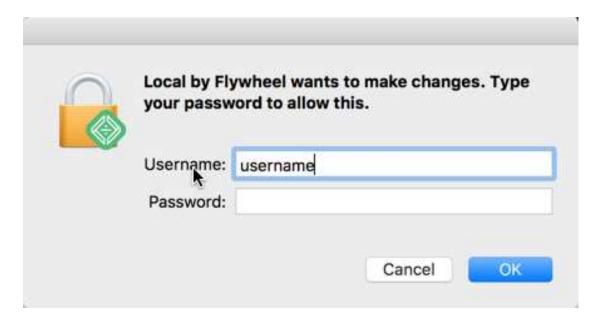
Open Applications and double-click on Local by Flywheel.



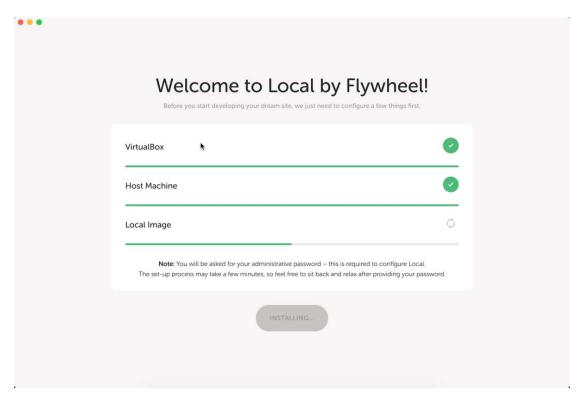
On the error reporting window, click no if you don't want errors sent back to Flywheel automatically.



On the Welcome screen click Lets GO.



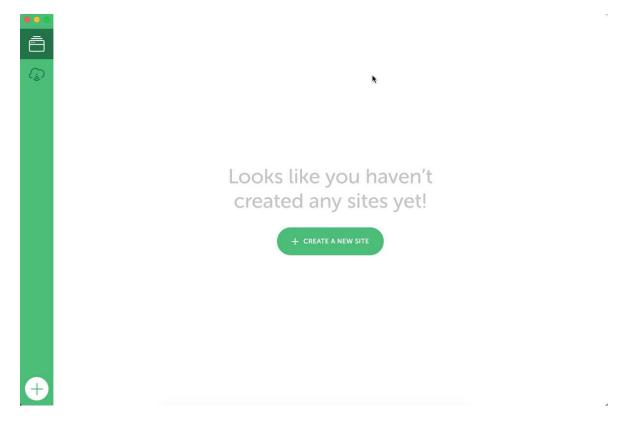
Enter your username and password to make this change to your system.



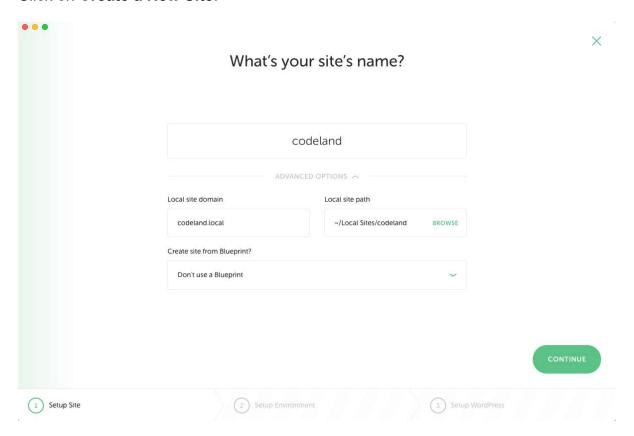


Once the configuration is done, you can now configure your site.

Configure Flywheel



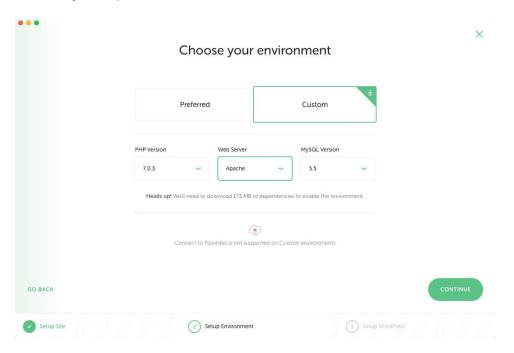
Click on Create a New Site.



Fill in your new site options:

- Give your site a name
- Click on Advanced Options
- · Click browse next to Local Site Path
- Your site will be saved to your user folder under Local Sites.

Review your options. Click Continue.



Next, choose your environment.

Click on custom and on the drop down under web servers, select Apache. Click continue.

note if you get an error after clicking continue, go back and select Preferred instead of custom.



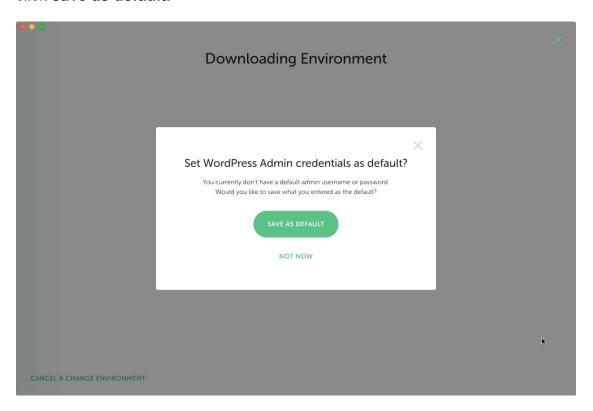
Enter your credentials to setup WordPress:

Write them down here:

WordPress UserName:	
WordPress Password:	
WordPress Email:	

Click Add Site.

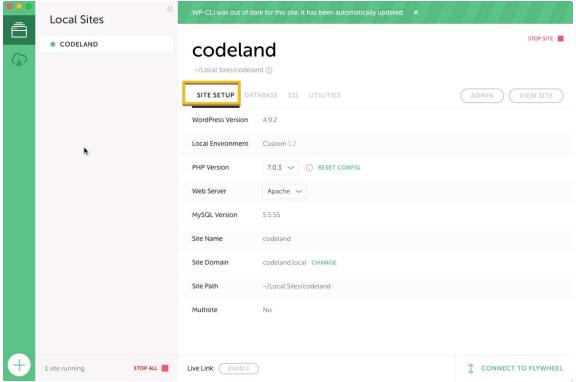
Since we'll use the username and password you just entered as the WordPress admin, click **save as default.**



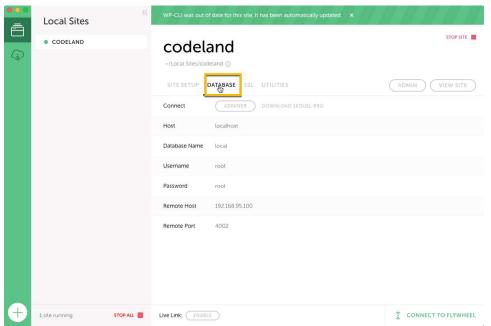




Enter your password to allow Flywheel to make changes to your system.

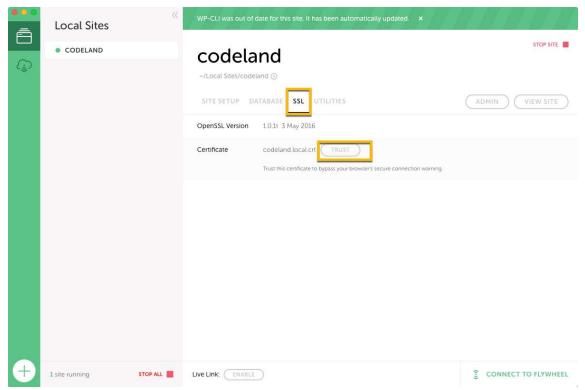


Site Setup Tab:



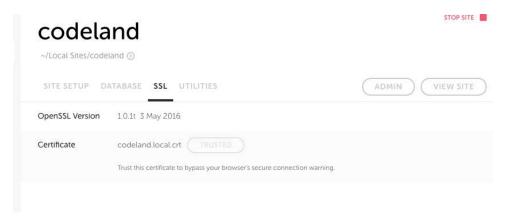
Database Tab:

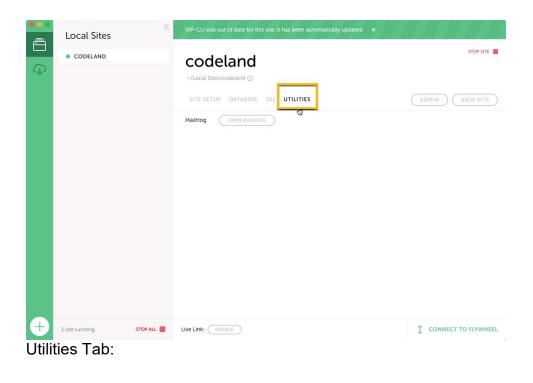
Click on Adminer to open your browser to your MySQL database admin panel. It's just like phpMyAdmin, but a bit cleaner and more secure.



SSL Tab:

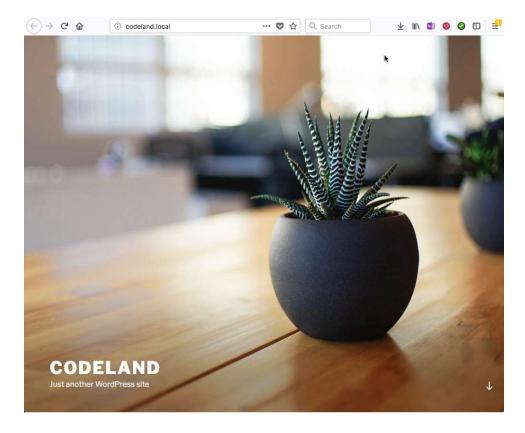
Click on the trust button to allow your browser to trust the certificate. If you get a User account Control popup, click **yes**.







The View Site button will open your browser to the default WordPress site.



The **Admin button** takes to the WordPress wp-login page. If you don't trust the cert, you'll get a warning from your browser. Enter the credentials you created in the previous step. Click **Log In**.

Log into the dashboard.

