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There are so many great New Zealand businesses out there to learn from.

Icehouse is the best combination of learning and networks.

Mike Briant

Owner, Sweet Moments

Owner Manager Exchange '25

Innovation in a VUCA (Volatile, Uncertain, Complex, and Ambiguous) World

For
Alumni of
the Owner
Manager
Programme

Owner Manager Exchange '25

We're living in an environment where business is more unpredictable, fast-moving, and complex than ever. For Kiwi owner-managers, the pressure is more intense – labour is tighter, capital is less accessible, and distance from key markets can create uncertainty.

Why join Owner Manager Exchange in 2025?

Exclusive to Owner Manager Programme and Agribusiness Alumni, The Owner Manager Exchange (OMX) is your chance to step away from the business, gain fresh ideas, perspectives, inspiration and confidence, and connect with Icehouse Alumni who understand what you're going through.

This year's Programme includes:

- **'Clinic' Sessions** - bring a real business challenge and a possible solution you're exploring. Your fellow Alumni and our expert facilitators will dig in with insights, feedback, and real-world suggestions - much like your programme business panel.
- **Speakers and Expert Panels** - gain perspectives from those tackling complexity.
- **Interactive Site Visits to Local Businesses** - see how others are innovating in their space, up close. Gain access to operational and production facilities that are truly world-class.
- **Reboot your personal leadership and communication techniques** - Leading in uncertain times requires a different approach.
- **Recharge in beautiful Marlborough** - because stepping out of the day-to-day helps you step up as a leader for your team.

Whether you're navigating volatility, stuck on a big decision, or looking for inspiration to keep growing, OMX is designed for Icehouse Alumni like you.

Whatever you've been mulling over, now is the time to work it through and make it happen!

You may be eligible for Capability Development Funding available through the Regional Business Partner Network and/or scholarships through Icehouse and our partners. Please contact us for more information.

Duration:

Three Days
consecutively

Format:

In-Person
Group Sessions

Investment:

\$5,395 + GST

Date & Location:

3 - 5 September
Blenheim

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"It's a great thing to do for just three days of the year, so I tend to do it every second year. It just takes you back to where you started your Icehouse journey and reinforces why you're in business."

Andrew Giltrap

Owner, Giltrap Agrizone

Owner Manager Programme Alumni