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NZX celebrates World Investor Week

NZX is celebrating World Investor Week by continuing to provide an increased range of opportunities for New Zealanders to learn about companies listed on the market.

Retail investor evenings will be held by the NZX in Christchurch, Wellington and Auckland this week, offering a great chance for local attendees to increase their knowledge of companies listed on New Zealand's exchange and ask the leaders of these businesses any questions.

The exchange's inaugural investor evenings sold out in 36 hours demonstrating the unprecedented demand from retail investors to hear first-hand from some of New Zealand's most well-known businesses.

NZX Head of Issuer Relationships Joanna Lawn commented: "Connecting retail investors and listed companies is part of our ongoing efforts to provide a better platform for customers to tell their stories, and to educate the New Zealand public about the benefits of investing in the share market."

"As an exchange we need to do our bit to encourage new investors into the New Zealand market and embark on their investing journey. These evenings are a simple but significant step towards achieving this."

World Investor Week is a global campaign promoted by International Organisation of Securities Commissions to raise awareness about the importance of investor education and protection, while highlighting the various initiatives of securities regulators in these two areas.

Companies at NZX's retail investor evenings include: [Chorus](#), [Cooks Global Foods](#), [Fisher Funds](#), [Infratil](#), [Kathmandu](#), [Mainfreight](#), [Meridian Energy](#), [Ryman Healthcare](#), [Sanford](#), [Scales Corporation](#), and six UK investment trust companies.

Events take place in Christchurch, Wellington and Auckland on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday of this week respectively.

Events will also be live streamed on NZX's [YouTube channel](#) to provide increased access for people looking to learn more about investing in New Zealand.

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