



Hello and Welcome to Ørland

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the Municipality of Ørland!

There are more than 10,300 inhabitants in Ørland, and the population growth is large every year. Ørland has an area of 456,99 km².

In recent years, the municipality of Ørland has invested heavily in new infrastructure such as playschools, kindergartens, schools, cultural centers, sports facilities and health care and residential care for the elderly. From playschool from the age of 1 year until the end of High school at the age of 19, you will find everything in the municipality of Ørland. Even the first-time service in the armed forces can be served in the Airforce located in Ørland.

The market for housing is large and varied, with a good selection of detached houses, semi-detached houses and apartments.

Sports and physical activities

In Fosenhallen in Bjugn you will find a 400 m skating rink, ice hockey and figure skating rink, curling rink tartan runway and an indoor football field. In summer the ice hockey rink is transformed to a go-cart track with 4 electric go-carts! In Bjughallen you can enjoy handball courts, spinning an exercise room and swimming pool. A larger swimming pool and a hall for gymnastics can be found in Ørlandshallen in Brekstad. There you also will find Ørland Sparebank Arena, with 3 handball courts, spinning hall, climbing hall, squash hall and a golf simulator, to mention a few activities.

Outdoors there are great ski trails prepared as soon as snow falls, and we have a rich selection of hiking trails, both on flat ground and on steep and rugged slopes, most with a gapahuk (small building with 3 walls, a roof and a bench where you can rest). Many trails are adapted for cycling, running, baby strollers and wheelchairs. You will also find salmon rivers, many fishing lakes and hunting terrain. Sea fishing from land or by boat and enjoy diving. All of this "right outside the front door".

Cultural activities

In our two beautiful cultural houses, in Brekstad and in Bjugn, who offer a wide range of events, you will find libraries, cinema, concert halls, gallery and a wet land center/bird sanctuary. The cultural school is also located here, offering course in most instruments, dance, creative writing, visual arts, skating etc. Ørland also has a rich number of private groups offering activities for our residents of all ages. For the youth we also have youth clubs both in Bjugn and in Brekstad with good non-alcoholic activities.

Business activities

In Ørland, we have a unique selection of businesses. Ørland Air base, big companies within Aquaculture, many farmers, and many different companies in other business sectors. Fosen's largest shopping mall located in Brekstad. Within Ørland you will find several hotels, restaurants and other meeting places.

Transport and communications.

The boat from Brekstad takes you to Trondheim in an hour, 8 daily departures each way. Some departures also go to and from Kristiansund. If you want to drive by car southward to for example Orkanger, there are 2 ferries between Brekstad and Valset. Going to Trondheim or north you cross the fjord with 2-3 ferries over Rørvik and Flakk. This ferry runs 24/7. You can drive to Levanger, Steinkjer and Namsos without a ferry.

With the airline Air Leap you can fly from Ørland to Oslo in one hour. 2 and 3 departures each way, all week, except Saturday when there are no flights.

Please visit our website www.orland.kommune.no where you will find a lot of practical information and can search for information in your own language. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram. We hope you will have a comfortable life in Ørland, and do not hesitate to contact us for any questions you might have.

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