

Annual events in the town

In addition to the official ceremonies (greetings of the Mayor, inaugurations, etc.) and public meetings held to keep the inhabitant informed on all the communal projects, the tpw, organizes a dozen free events every year.

Salon du Livre “As-tu lu?” – Book fair “Have you read?” // APRIL

Since 2015, the Salon du Livre welcomes young and adults for a very festive and educational day.

This unmissable event gives access to book signings, partner’s bookshops’ stands and several activities such as caricatures, bookmarks creation and games hosted by the schools’ staff.



Tous en Scène // MAY

The municipality organizes a theatre night with the company “Tous en Scène” presenting every year a boulevard comedy. Ray Cooney’s plays provided lots of laughs during previous performances.





Green Morning and Free Fair // MAY

This event promotes respect for nature and second-hand circuit for unused objects.

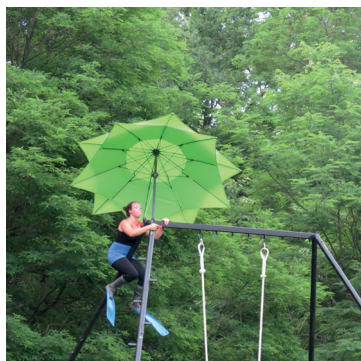
During the Green Morning, volunteers gather to clean the town together before sharing a friendly meal offered by the Town Council.

Simultaneously and all day long, the Free Fair enables all participants to drop objects

in good condition they no longer need and collect other objects freely. In 2019, 820 kg of waste were collected on the Green Morning and 550 kg of objects were given a second life at the Free Fair.

Festival têt ou t'arts // JUNE

Every year since 2014, Ornex takes part in the Têt ou T'Arts Festival, an itinerant street art festival for all public. The festival stops in the town for one evening with a circus, theatre, musical or puppet show depending on the program.



Arts en Campagne - Arts in the countryside // JULY to SEPTEMBER (every two years)

Organized in partnership with the town of Collex-Bossey, a cross-border art path is accessible for walkers all summer. The open-air exhibit gathers about thirty artists around a theme, creating work of art specifically for this event.

The route is easy and accessible to all with many benches along the way for rest stops, and can also be done by bike.





Journée du Patrimoine - Heritage day / SEPTEMBER

The European Heritage Days are celebrated in Ornex with a visit of the church and the village centre as well as a typical and local meal served under a tent with the sound of live music.

It is a dedicated day highlighting the historical, religious and culinary heritage of our town.

Fête de l'Automne - Autumn Celebration // OCTOBER



A family event proposing numerous entertainments and activities for children such as: makeup,



circus, clown

show, funny-bikes and lots of workshops and games hosted by the schools' staff.

Dinner for the elderly // DECEMBER

Seniors are being celebrated by the town during a special meal organized for them every year. A sharing moment when elderly inhabitants gather and can exchange with the elected representatives around delicate dishes and some dance steps in the afternoon.



For each event, refreshment and snack stalls are managed by one or more communal associations.

The time when an event takes place is for reference and is subject to change. More info about events can be found on the town's website.