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RIVER TO RIDGETOP PRESERVES

Pleasant Valley Preserve

Jewett Preserve

Mount Archer Woods
Chauncey Eno Preserve
& Pickwick's Preserve

These five contiguous preserves extend from river to ridgetop and protect diverse site conditions that provide a rare diversity of habitats, including streams, fields, wetlands and several woodland types. The protected area includes more than a mile of high-quality tributaries of the Connecticut River, including parts of the Wild and Scenic Eightmile River, and spans over 1200 acres—from the Pleasant Valley Preserve up through the Jewett Preserve to the ridgetop in the Mt. Archer Woods and down the west facing slope in the Eno and Pickwick's Preserves toward Joshua Creek. Most wildlife species require a number of habitat types for their survival and these preserves provide and protect these habitats and give us an opportunity to observe their natural functioning.

ACTIVITY GUIDELINES

Pickwick's Preserve (LLCT)						
Mt. Archer Woods & Eno Preserve (Town & LLCT)						
Jewett Preserve (Town & TNC)						
Pleasant Valley Preserve (Town & TNC)						

—Activity is limited; see text below

- ▶ Preserves open to the public from sunrise to sunset.
- ▶ Non-motorized biking and horseback riding are allowed on the White and Yellow Trails in Mt. Archer Woods, Eno Preserve and Jewett Preserves; these activities are not allowed in the Pleasant Valley Preserve.
- ▶ Dogs will chase, harass, capture and kill wildlife and are not permitted in the Pleasant Valley Preserve. They must be under control at all times; leashes required except in Pickwick's Preserve.
- ▶ See the message boards at the entrances for specific activity guidelines.

HUNTING IS PROHIBITED:

- ▶ At all times in Pleasant Valley Preserve and the area North of the stone wall in Mt. Archer Woods
- ▶ In all preserves on Saturdays and Sundays

HUNTING IS ALLOWED *(with written consent of owner)*

- ▶ Monday–Friday during deer/firearm hunting season: **(Preserves are closed to other users during these days)**
- ▶ Monday–Thursday during deer/bow hunting season
- ▶ Monday–Thursday during spring turkey hunting season (dates posted)
- ▶ For more information on the Lyme Hunting Program, visit: www.lymelandtrust.org/stewardship/hunting-program
- ▶ The northern section of the **Pleasant Valley Preserve Yellow Trail** that crosses over the Gahagan property is closed to hikers during November and December.

For additional maps visit www.lymelandtrust.org.

Report any problems during your visit on the Trail Condition Form: www.lymelandtrust.org/trail-condition-form.