This 6 acre preserve borders the Eightmile River, designated a National Wild and Scenic River in 2008. The natural flow of the river was restored here after the removal of Ed Bill’s Dam in 2015. A small pavilion with table provides a picnic spot and viewing platform in an open field above the river. Follow the short path for a level easy walk around the meadow, and to observe wildflowers and pollinators. Riverside Preserve was donated to the Lyme Land Trust in 2018 by conservationist Barbara O. David.