

- **GREAT LAWN FOR PICNICKING AND COMMUNITY EVENTS**
 - Provide a sodded lawn area for event space
 - Provide an accessible path connecting Old Ridgefield Road, parking, open lawn, nature play and meadow observation
- **ACOUSTIC AMPHITHEATER**
 - Install a concrete pad with bandshell to serve as a performance stage
- IMPROVED PARKING LOT AND PARK ENTRY
 - Install light fixtures on Old Ridgefield Road for pedestrian
 - Install entry sign at River Road to better identify Schenck's Island access
 - Provide daily parking availability for 18 cars, reserve for food truck and handicapped accessible parking during community events
 - Install bollard lighting at parking area
 - Promote shared parking across from Old Ridgefield Road



NATURE THEMED FREE-PLAY AREA

- Utilize slope for boulder scrambles, slides, and climbing
- Selectively clear vegetation, and increase as needed to buffer the train tracks
- Provide accessible trial meandering through play elements with connection to main path
- Install protective screen fence along rail line and add native trees and shrubs to create a denser buffer



MEADOW OBSERVATION TOWER

- Install a roofed platform with an accessible ramp to provide a unique point of view across the meadow area for bird watching, educational gatherings and general enjoyment of the park
- Incorporate opportunities for art programs and star gazing



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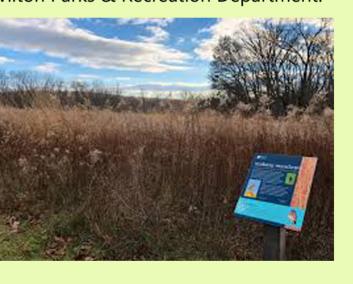


MANAGED MEADOW AREA & TRAILS

- Provide educational signage to explain different management techniques, improvements, plants and wildlife
- Install bird boxes to promote desired species

RIVER RESTORATION PLANTINGS AND RIVER ACCESS

- Improvements shall continue to be undertaken by Trout Unlimited to further enhance the ecology, habitat and health of the streamchannel.
- Ongoing landscape management will continue by the Wilton Parks & Recreation Department.



SCHENCK'S ISLAND PRESERVE MASTERPLAN

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