

**Sam Rogers** (She/Her) is the Land Steward at Sudbury Valley Trustees in Sudbury, MA. She grew up throughout southern New England, where she frequently spent her time hiking and gardening. Her love for the flora of the Northeast ensured she would always work alongside plants. Sam received her bachelor's in horticulture from Temple University in Pennsylvania, where she also worked as a gardener. Following a brief living collections internship at Laurel Hill Cemetery, she moved back to New England to work as a seed collection technician at Native Plant Trust. There, her collaboration with land trusts fueled her interest in land stewardship. In 2025, she started as a seasonal stewardship field assistant at SVT and has been with them since. In her free time, she enjoys running, crafting, and searching for the greatest fried pickle in Massachusetts.

