



SHIFTERS AND MOVERS

Dismantle is a Non-For-Profit that aims to enable and empower vulnerable young people to live their life in a self-directed way. Dismantle services include their youth development program; BikeRescue and their social enterprise programs; Renew Property Maintenance, Bike Doctor and JobReadii. These services educate at risk-youth with hands-on mechanical skills, by mentoring these individuals in organising and fixing bikes. This enables young people to develop social skills, build confidence and connect to educational and vocational opportunities. Dismantle support over 450 young people and recycle over thousand bikes yearly.



On Friday 16 September, twenty-five employees from the WAIO/IPRO team spent their day volunteering at Dismantle. The team were instructed to reshuffle and reorganise the parking garage. The area is currently being used to house most of the donated bikes. However, as the ReNew (property maintenance) program expands, the space needed to be rearranged to accommodate the growing program. The team worked together to pull bicycles from out of the garage and rearrange the bikes into different piles according to categories. The categories were organised into brand (e.g GIANT, MOMENTUM), parts, or junk. After this, the team moved inside and formed groups to strip bikes for their parts. The sorted spare parts will then be utilised in the Bike Rescue Program to replace broken or missing parts on the participants' bikes.



The team's efforts were not overlooked. All the Dismantle staff were blown away at the transformation of the parking garage and congratulated the team on their hard work. Thanks so much for this team's patience, positivity, and great attitude throughout the day. Thank you to this fantastic group of volunteers from BHP!

[You can view more photos from the team day HERE.](#)

