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BIKE BUILDERS AT DISMANTLE

Dismantle is a non-for-profit that exists to provide young people with enabling support so they can manage their life in a self-directed way. Dismantle uses bikes as a tool to empower young people through their multiple programs, including their BikeRescue program and ReNew Property Maintenance. Dismantle also provides ongoing training, equipment, guidance, and support to regional partners to ensure sustainability and impact for young people and their communities.

On Friday 14 April, the Nickel West Fixed Plant Concentrators Planning & Scheduling Team team spent their day assisting Dismantle with some warehouse organisation and bike stripping at their site in West Perth. On arrival, the team were welcomed by Georgina, the volunteer coordinator who spoke about the meaning and purpose of Dismantle and the projects of the day. The team of 12 broke into a few stations and were given the task of sorting through an overwhelming pile of bike tyre tubes. Each tube was to be carefully sorted into size and quality. Once a tube was deemed of good quality, all air was to be squeezed out, neatly wrapped, folded and placed into it's correct category - making it easier for Dismantle's staff when working on their Bike Rescue Program. After lunch, the team had the opportunity to work on some bikes, stripping spare parts that could be re-used. Any sorted spare parts will be used for Dismantle's BikeRescue program to replace broken or missing parts on the participant's bikes.

A massive thank you goes out to this amazing team for having a great can-do attitude and smashing through so much work. You have certainly lightened the load for the Dismantle team and they are extremely grateful for your time. We hope to see you again soon.




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