



A PURRFECT DAY WITH CAT HAVEN

Cat Haven is WA's largest shelter for homeless, lost and abused cats. Their vision is that every WA cat should be a well-cared for cat. Cat Haven takes in 7,000-9,000 cats and kittens every year and has a zero-euthanasia rate for treatable re-homable cats. They have over 700 members, employ 55 staff and are supported by 71 volunteers who assist at the shelter and over 800 volunteer foster carers. Cat Haven's core business is not only about improving the welfare of cats and kittens but also about improving the lives of people in the community and protecting our environment.



On Tuesday 29 August, 9 dedicated volunteers from BHP got together for a day of site cleanup and gardening at the Cat Haven site in Shenton Park. On arrival, the team was greeted by volunteer coordinator, Emma, who introduced the team to Cat Haven and its facilities. The team were then taken on a tour of the site, asking lots of questions along the way and meeting some of the boarding cats and seeing some of the cats currently available for adoption. It was then time to get to work, with Cat Haven requiring assistance in cleaning up the garden beds by ripping and removing weeds and leaf litter. The main carpark, a very busy hub and entrance to the Cat Haven, was also in desperate need of a spring clean. The team split in two teams and got straight to work. By the end of the day, the place looked immaculate - well done! After lunch, it was tools down and a chance to interact with some of the boarded cats. Lots of cuddles all round - a fabulous way to end the day.



Thank you, BHP, for your time and helping hands. We hope you enjoyed the day.



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

