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BHF

WAREHOUSE WARRIORS

Good Sammy is a social enterprise focused on providing meaningful employment opportunities and pathways for Western Australians with disability. Their vision is to create a better future for people with disability and believe in creating inclusive workplaces as this is the foundation for an inclusive society. Good Sammy currently has 27 op shops, located from Albany to Geraldton and employs more than 265 employees with disability, in a variety of roles.

On Friday 17 February 2023, 15 volunteers from the Newman Ops Mobile team got together for a day of donation sorting at the Good Sammy Warehouse in Canning Vale. The day kicked off with an introduction to the organisation by Good Sammy's Chief Operating Officer Tom Tolchard. Good Sammy's IT Support Officer Paul, then spoke to the team about the professional development opportunities he has had with Good Sammy's as a person living with disability, and the importance of inclusion in the workplace. The team was then taken through an in-depth warehouse tour by Volunteering Coordinator Karen showing the team just how many donations they have to keep up with every single day.

The team was then split into three groups: books, jewellery and electronics. Other tasks included sorting through some of the online shop items, with many hidden gems donated with the tags still on! Some fantastic banter was shared amongst the BHP team and the Good Sammy employees throughout the day. Each volunteer was able to rotate tasks to try something new. Let's just say the team certainly got their steps in for the day!

It was an amazing effort from everyone on the day and Good Sammy is extremely grateful to the team for their excellent contribution. Well done BHP, we hope to see you again soon.

