



WHAT A DAY AT BIRDS OF PREY

The Western Australian Birds of Prey Centre aims to rehabilitate Birds of Prey and provide education about the need for protecting various bird species. Through educational flight and feeding displays, Birds of Prey show just how important conservation of the bird's natural habitat is to the survival of these species. This wonderful organisation was established in 2004 and has worked very hard, through passion, to get to where they are today.

Recently, the center has spread its wings and taken on board 'Critters Up Close', a wildlife education program that focuses on birds, reptiles, mammals, and invertebrates. The aim is to inspire, captivate and encourage future generations to have a deeper love and respect for nature. What a great addition these not-so-fury friends have been to the center.

On Wednesday 8th March, eight employees from the Tactical Modelling / Geoscience team volunteered their time at Birds of Prey. After a warm welcome from Yvonne, the team broke into three teams to complete the following tasks: gardening, aviary cleaning, and general property maintenance. All team members put on their PPE and got straight to work. After morning tea, the team decided to swap jobs and move on to tasks such as cleaning dishes, cabinet making, and other miscellaneous tasks under the instruction of Yvonne.

After a hard day's work, the team had the opportunity to hold the educational animals which allowed the team to ask questions about the animals and their habitats. The team had the privilege of holding Krystal the Barn Owl, Micro the Wedge-tailed Eagle, and Martini the Olive Python. What a way to finish the day. Thanks so much for this team's dedication, hard work, and great attitude! We hope they enjoyed their volunteering day

