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BUSY BEES AT COMMUNITY GARDENS

The Care for Hedland (CFH) Environmental Association has a proud history of recycling and waste initiatives in the Port Hedland community since 2003 and aims to connect people and the environment to create a more sustainable, inclusive and environmentally-aware town.

On 25th October as the warm Pilbara sun rose high in South Hedland, a small team of volunteers from BHP's B-Shift Mechanical – Port Maintenance team arrived at the CFH Community Garden Centre. Though numbers were depleted due to unforeseen circumstances those that attended rose to the task and tackled the jobs allocated by garden coordinator Robyn. After a briefing and introduction to the organisation and its programs and services the crew got onto the task of weeding along the fenceline and cleaning up the garden beds and removing the rubbish in the area. They were focused and committed several hours to the onerous work. Taking respite from the sun, next on the list was the harvesting of seeds which the crew did with enthusiasm and concentration. "It's quite relaxing" commented one of the volunteers.

Though the team was small their effort compensated for the numbers and their assistance was very much appreciated by the 1 CFH staff who maintains the community garden and runs the program. "I am very grateful, without the assistance of volunteers we would not be able to cope with the workload". Thanks everyone, great work we hope you all enjoyed the experience of your team volunteering day.

