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FRIDAY FUN AT WA WILDLIFE

WA Wildlife (originally known as Native Arc) has been on a very exciting journey over the last decade and created WA's first wildlife veterinary hospital. As a not-for-profit organisation, WA Wildlife provides medical care and rehabilitation services for approximately 4500 injured, sick and orphaned native wildlife each year. Located in the south metropolitan region of Perth, WA Wildlife receives injured wildlife from a variety of sources including the public, veterinarian clinics, local councils, rangers and other wildlife centres.

On 5 November, twelve enthusiastic volunteers from BHP's Technology Asset West IPRO Team contributed their Friday to volunteer at WA Wildlife. The team arrived the day with a lovely welcome and tour from the Rehabilitation Manager, Karen. After the tour, the team split into two groups. The first group were tasked to sort and organise boxes of medical supplies such as syringes, wound dressings, and much more. The other group made their way to Vinnie's enclosure to dig and level the trenches, whilst providing enrichment such as plants around the wombat enclosure.

As the day wrapped up, Karen provided an interactive and educational session with the animals to express her gratitude. The team had the opportunity to pat Vinnie, feed Pete the emu, meet Raffy the cockatoo and take a group photo with Bindi and Banjo, the dingos. Thanks to this BHP Team for their incredible help!



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

