

Key Take- Aways

Lean is Simple: Paul Akers

Idea of creating a culture of Lean

Two second improvements

Make a story

Make it Fun

More than just something you do at work

Everybody gets it...It is magic

Everyone is a process engineer

Learning to see the waste

Power to inspire creativity

Lean is something

Lean is simple and fun.

Purpose and People

Use language people already speak

Lean is BY people Not TO people

We want to be DUCKS

It is important to know what not to do

Reaching customer value: not about the tools

Case Studies:

Saved money and achieved sustainability goals

Unique prequalification

Importance of IFoA

Teach, teach, teach

Owner commitment

Communication

Engaging the workforce

Variety of ways to achieve collaboration

Admit ignorance

Change direction as needed

Be willing to be wrong

Face your fears...Great job getting up there

Teams self selecting not arranged

Developing a communication plan.

They did not know how they would get there: but they did

The project with lunch tent: trust and respect.

