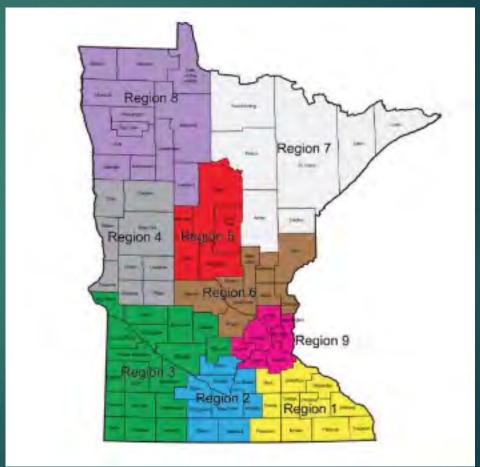
MASA Region 7
Professional Development
Seminar

JUNE 18-19, 2018



Region 7 Planning Session

- Project Presenters:
 Gregg Allen, Superintendent, Mesabi East School District Kevin Grover, Superintendent, International Falls Schools
- ▶ Planning Committee:

Gregg Allen – Superintendent, Mesabi East School District

Janey Blanchard – Chisholm Public Schools

Bill Crandall – Two Harbors School District and Cook County

Kerry Juntunen – Hermantown School District

Region 7 Planning Session

- ► MASA Region 7
- Two-day retreat
- ▶ 60 individuals from 18 schools from Region 7
- Each school was able to bring an administrative team
- Dr. Bruce Miles was the facilitator/consultant for leadership training and strategic planning for the region.
- The strategic planning process included reviewing districts' successes and issues.
- Regional Vision and a list of Priorities was created.

Region 7 Planning Session Agenda

June 18

• 9:00 – 12:00 Vision and Priorities for Region 7

• 1:00 – 3:00 Leadership Session

• 5:00 - ? Social Time

June 19

• 9:00 – 12:00 Individual District Team Time



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Orientation	9:00
 Introductions – Region 7 leaders & Bruce Miles 	
Rationale for this session: Brittany	
Goals for this session:	
Regional Survey Summary	
ID Successes & Issues	9:10
 Break into small groups by matching cards 	
 ID what worked well & might be improved 	
 Large group: Hear back from small groups 	
ID Vision for the Region	9:45
 Break into small groups by matching cards 	
 Vision & Priorities Worksheet – top half 	
 Large group: Prioritize possible improvements 	
ID New Priorities	10:30
 Break into small groups by matching cards 	
 Vision & Priorities Worksheet - bottom half 	
 Large group: Prioritize possible improvements 	
Benchmark New Priorities	10:45
Break into small groups by matching cards	
Benchmark Worksheet	
 Large group: Prioritize possible improvements 	
Next Steps	11:20
Types of Work	
Closure	11:50
Please fill out the attached session evaluation	









Region 7 – AM to Noon Work Session Results



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In five years, Region 7 will have developed, delivered, & be recognized for...

- Regional mental health treatment center with outpatient services (30)
- Access to mental health services region-wide (21)
- Region-wide professional development (15)
- 2 3 academy high schools & collaborate w/ K-8 community schools (13)
- Consistent calendar & bell schedules (12)
- MTSS fully implemented (11)

Desired near-term Priorities

- 1) Regional mental health treatment center: Meetings w/ legislature, county, superintendents (27)
- 2) Shared PD across the region Common days & themes (24)
- 3) Unified lobbying efforts at Capital for funds for mental health, safety, etc. (21)
- 4) MTSS regional training / workshops: Yearly implementation training & ongoing collaboration (17)

Region 7 – Afternoon Leadership Session



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MASA Region 7 Leadership Retreat June 18, 2018 • 1:00 to 3:00 PM • PM Leadership Session How Do Effective Leaders Persevere in Difficult Times?

Orientation 1:00

- · Goals for this session:
 - 1) ID typical, & exceptional, problems faced by this group as leaders
 - 2) Review best practice research & tools that leaders can apply
 - 3) Evaluate this session
- Small group work: ID typical & exceptional problems on post-it notes
- · Discussion

Applied Research

- 5 Ways Leaders Get Through Tough Times Page 1
 The Ability to Persevere Can be The Key to Success Page 2
 7 Things Mentally Strong People Never Do Page 3
- Discussion

Decision-Making Strategies & Tools

- How to conduct an outcome diagnosis
 Identification of Vision & Priorities
 How to benchmark new work
 50,000' view of initiatives
 Small group work: ID which tool(s) might be of use

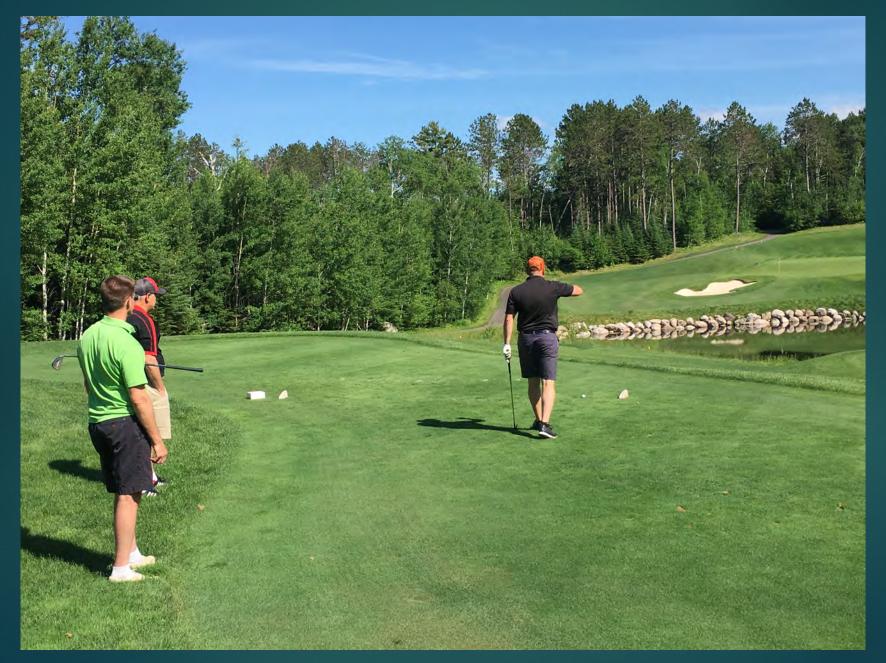
Emotional Intelligence for Leaders

- Qualities of a Successful Leader
 Simple Steps to Increase Your EQ
 EQ What Really Matters?
 Pages 10-11
 Discussion

Session #2 Evaluation

(Attached)

Social Time – (5:00 pm to ?)



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