

Welcome

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Our evening . . .

- Gathering Activity: Jessica
- One Leadership Journey
- Strengthsfinder 2.0 an Introduction



Dinner Break & Take Strengthsfinder 2.0

- Your Strengths
- Leadership Connections





Community Agreements

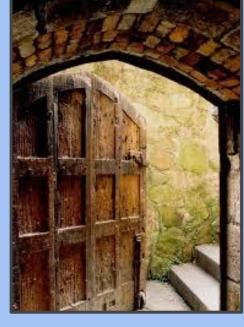
Notice moments of discomfort & stay curious. Strive to be "hard" on issues but "soft" on people.

Listen fully-- with your ears, eyes & heart while observing our community's confidentiality.

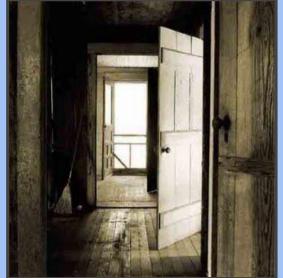
Speak your truth without blame or judgement. Releasing emotion is welcome here.

Trust that we are striving to become a safe, supportive & empathetic community.

Remain open to the evolving learning experience we're co-creating together. Generously allow ourselves to fail & to change course.



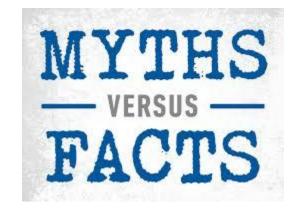












Myth:

People can learn to be competent in almost anything. People's greatest growth is in their area of greatest weakness.

FACT:

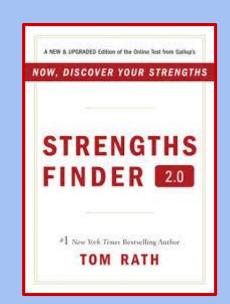
Each person's talents are enduring and unique. People's greatest room for growth is in their greatest strength.

Talent x Investment = Strength

Talent - a natural way of thinking, feeling or behaving

Investment - time spent practicing developing your skills and building your knowledge base

Strength - the ability to consistently provide nearperfect performance



Enjoy some dinner

Take the Strengthsfinder 2.0

Be back in I hour







No one is exactly like you!

1 in 33 million chance that someone has the exact same themes as you do.

Name It!

 Highlight the words and phrases that resonates with you in the theme descriptions. "That's me!"

Claim It!

- Find a partner
- Share your 5 signature themes
- What rang true for you?
- What was surprising?



Chart of Strengths

- Write 3 of your strengths on a chart.
- Add affirmations to your colleague's posters.

