Creating a Culture of Engagement



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- Some research
 - Some models for consideration
 - Some funny thoughts and words

Culture is our united cause – it's what is core

• The real world



A SUSTAINABLE CULTURE FOR LONG TERM SUCCESS

"A target-focused culture breeds helplessness" Sir David Walker, former advisor to Board of HSBC

"Only long term advantage has is its organisational culture"...

"The only way to build or restore trust in the long term is by transparency, good communication and most importantly, the way an organisation behaves" Ian Powell, Chairman of PwC

A SUSTAINABLE CULTURE FOR LONG TERM SUCCESS

"Good management cares about morals and values – they bring clear benefits to organisations. They are fundamental to the decisions employees make, the actions they take and the business outcomes that follow"

> Ann Francke, Chief Executive CMI The MoralDNA of Performance

MORAL DNA OF PERFORMANCE - CMI RESEARCH BASED 2500 COMPANIES

Findings – ethics matter

- Stronger management ethics and high levels of performance go hand in hand
- Employee engagement and staff recruitment levels are higher
- Managers in organisations with coaching, visionary and democratic leadership styles report better performance
- Public sector and large organisations face the biggest challenges

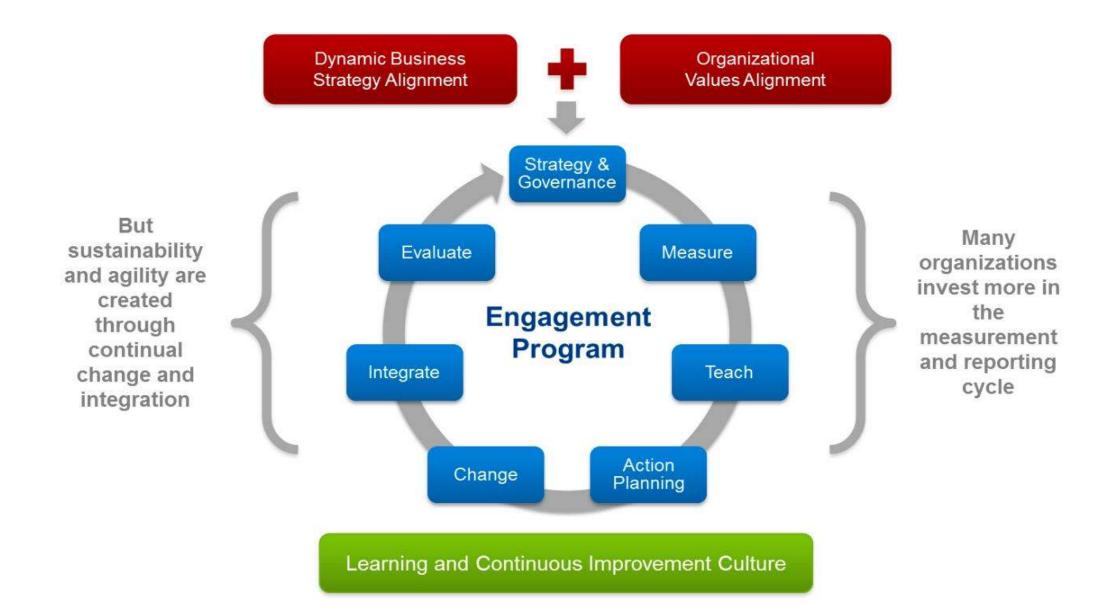
MORAL DNA OF PERFORMANCE – RECOMMENDATIONS

Policy makers, senior managers

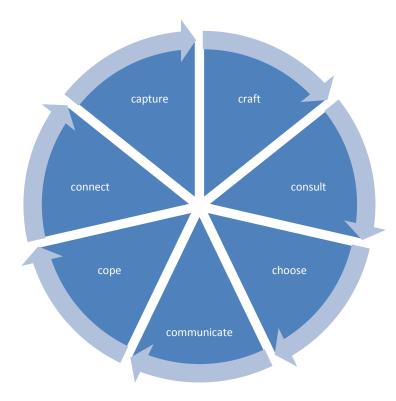
- Focus on purpose, values, leadership and culture
- Invest in leadership
- Make decisions more on basis of values, not just on rules
- Harness diversity
- Win hearts as well as minds engage and empower
- Measure what really matters
- Reward and recognise values based behaviours

Individual managers

- Care more
- Stand up for the values you believe in
- Identify Moral DNA
- Ask yourself right questions
 - what rules
 - how will act with integrity
 - who will benefit
 - who might not
 - what's truth
- Lead listen, engage, appreciate, do
- Be inclusive
- Be professional



KOTTER MODEL – TAKING PEOPLE WITH YOU





A Case Study

CASE STUDY







The Journey So Far...



Corporate Plan 2014-17

Organisational Review 2013

THE CONTEXT – ORGANISATIONAL REVIEW OUTCOMES

PRINCIPLE CHANGE DRIVER DELIVERING THE NEW AMBITION

PRINCIPLE CHANGE DOMAINS

CHALLENGE, CHANGE, TRANSFORM AND IMPROVE

A NEW ROAD MAP FOR CHANGE

Vision

Helping build a safer Scotland – Unlocking Potential – Transforming Lives

Mission

Providing services that help to transform the lives of people in custody so they can fulfil their potential and become responsible citizens.



PRINCIPLE PRIORITIES SEVEN STRATEGIC GOALS

- Embedding the New Vision;
- Investing in SPS people;
- Delivering effective and efficient services;
- Developing a collaborative outcome focus;
- Developing a person-centred, asset-based approach;
- Developing a learning organisation;
- Promoting public confidence in SPS.

THE PEOPLE STRATEGY AIMS:

To create the environment for individuals to thrive and be successful...

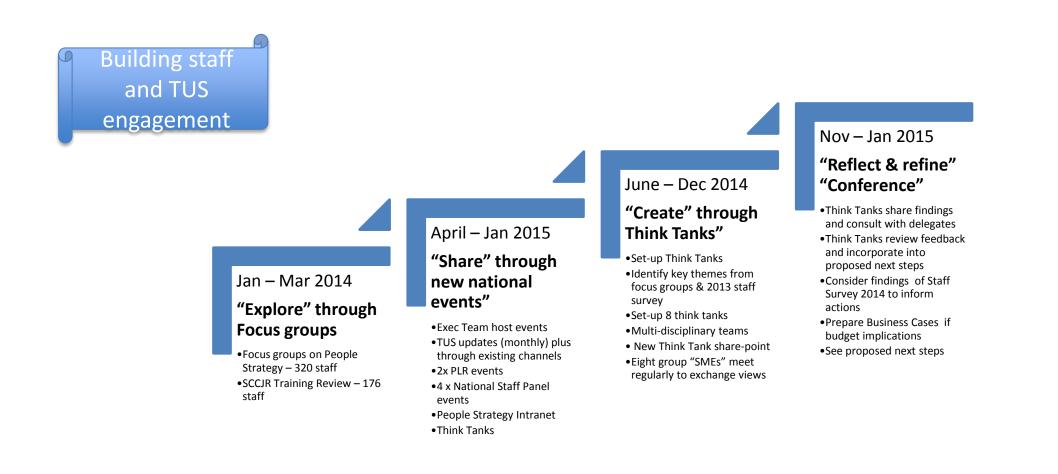
...To have a well led, high performing and professional workforce that are proud to make a difference.

SPS Organisational Review, October 2013



THE JOURNEY SO FAR...

•Operating environment Understanding •Context - Organisational Review "To be" the challenge • Focus Groups • Fact find "As is" • Prepare overarching strategy – how get from "As is" to "To be" -, guiding principles, approach, progress so far, what Overarching means for staff, measures • Equality Impact Assessment People •Communication and Engagement •People priorities culture, professionalisation, leadership, Strategy HR effectiveness •Why, what, how, when • Develop the strategy emergent •Explore options, Roadmap for delivery Implementation plan change plan • Bring in expertise/ external partners • Programme governance







OUR ICEBERG IS MELTING – GETTING STAFF INVOLVED

Staff Panel

Think Tanks

Thinking differently can help change behaviour and lead to better results.



We have collected information, read about penguins, had a few laughs, thought about the past, present and future, talked to colleagues – all to help change people's thinking.

Changed **thinking** can change **behaviour.**

Feeling differently can change behaviour more and lead to even better results.

We have created a cultural timeline – our story of how we have been part of on-going cultural change.

The timeline demonstrates we are on our change journey and quite a way along.

Does it help to change how you feel about change in our organisation?

A change in **feelings** can lead to a significant change in **behaviour.**



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Young guys are missed – need to invite them in To get people on board we need staff to feel and see what's happening Let's celebrate our achievements more ... let's get staff to think about the positive improvements

Massive positivity from staff for the organisational review — genuine interest for staff

Changed, then changed again, until it worked



SOME FUNNY THOUGHTS AND WORDS

OVER TO YOU

Thoughts, questions, suggestions

Examples of what's worked for you, lessons learnt