Lean Daily Management: Achieving Performance by Enabling Teams Steve Ebbing - founder the ebbing group January 17, 2018





What is Lean Daily Management?

• Definition: A set of processes which lead our teams and leaders into a continuous improvement cycle.



What is Lean Daily Management?

- A system that allows you to deliver customer value through proper support & leadership to those who are closest to the process (customers & process owners)
- Some Lean Daily Management elements are common to Leader Standard Work (visual control boards, and daily accountability)
- LDM is not effective unless used with the right mindsetstarting with effective lean management!



Traditional vs. Lean Work Environment

Traditional

- Complex
- Management by status reporting
- Push system
- Just-in-case inventory
- Batch production
- Long lead time
- Quality inspected in
- Functionally managed

Lean

- Simple and visual
- Management by sight
- Pull system
- Inventory as needed
- Single item or small batch size
- Minimal lead time
- Quality built in
- Value Stream Managed



Traditional vs. Lean Leadership

Traditional

- Staff meets goals set by leader
- Leader plans
- Information controller
- Sole problem solver
- Technical expert

Lean

- Ensures team goals support vision
- Direction setter (visionary)
- Information conduit (sharing)
- Facilitates "root cause" analysis
- Technical resource



A visual daily performance management system is:





Lean Daily Management Supports the Enterprise



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- 1. Routine Huddles
 - 5 -10 minutes in front of Primary Visual Display. Everyone has same picture, same priorities
- 2. Primary Visual Display
 - Information center for the work group.
 Updated regularly



- 3. Key Performance Indicators (KPI's)
 - Measures that gauge performance. Should address Safety, Quality, Delivery, and Costs etc.
 - Good KPIs are:
 - Managed by employees
 - Easily understood
 - Visual
 - Charted manually
 - Easily calculated
 - Reviewed by management on a regular basis

- 4. Action Sheet system:
 - A method of capturing and verifying bottom up improvements from the team and reporting status
- 5. Short-interval leadership
 - Regular contact by supervisor with each employee in the work group, such as 30 seconds twice per shift.





Lean Daily Management at the Site



Why should we work on Lean Daily Management?

- Solve problems at the source.
- Improve communication at all levels.
- Involve all partners in business administration.
- Engagement at all levels on SQDCI KPI's.
- Daily feedback.
- Team Work.
- Continues Process Improvement.
- Continues challenging.
- Empower Value Stream Core teams.

Continuous Learning!



Standardized Measure **Results** performance Continuous Improvement !!! Problem Solving

*PDCA, Deming CI Cycle

Identify the Gap from our Goal

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The Complete Lean Management System Manage Things – Lead People



Role of Leadership in Lean





Who must change for effective LDM?

- Plant Manager...morning meeting on shop floor vs. office
- Business Unit Managers..Standard Mgmt Work
- Supervisors...cell-by-cell daily performance reviews with operators
- Operators...update their own daily KPIs
- Engineers...engage operators in daily learning



Lean Daily Management



Tool Kit

- ✓ KPI Boards
- ✓ Hour x Hour Boards (takt rate)
- ✓ LDM level meetings
- ✓ Gemba Walks
- ✓ Leadership Behavior







Key Process Indicators KPI's

• A KPI represents a performance measurement that provides direct feedback about the way we are performing.

Good KPI's are:

- Managed by employees.
- Easily Understood.
- Charts manually updated (not in a computer).
- · Easily calculated.
- Reviewed by management on a regular basis.





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KPI General Requirements

- Visual
- Easy to understand.
- Gemba driven.
- Core team ownership.
- Managed like a Score board.
- We must know if we are hitting or missing the target at first sight (RED or GREEN)
- Focused on the Voice of the Costumer (V.O.C.).
- Aligned with strategic business objectives.
- Must be capable to distinguish the severity of the issues.
- Must be maintained on a daily basis.



KPI Philosophy





Improvement focused on...



Works from left to right...

... so limited resources can be focused on critical priorities.

Once the KPI is on Green, then the primary focus can change to next KPI to the right.

Standard KPI Board



Cell level- let Employees Drive

WHY DO EMPLOYEES STEP FORWARD WITH IDEAS?

- They trust that they will be listened to and supported with implementation;
- They want to eliminate impractical things that they have to do;
- To make their jobs easier and more interesting;
- There is nothing more frustrating than watching money being wasted.



Innovation

Visual Improvement Idea Management





Problem Solving

- 5 Whys
- Cause & Effect (Fishbone Diagram)



5 Whys

- Moves a team past symptoms
- Asking "Why" five times let's the team delve into a problem deeply
- Goal is to identify the root cause
- Focus on the 5 Whys, not the 5 Who's
 - Focus on the process!





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5 Whys Worksheet Date:



5 Whys Worksheet Date:_

Completed by:_



Solution:

- Delay turning on the lights to one hour after sunset.
 Program to self adjust throughout the year.
- Gnat population went down 90%. Therefore fewer spiders, fewer pigeons, less pigeon droppings, less cleaning with abrasive cleaners!





MoreSteam Example



5 Why – Practice Exercise

- Chose one of the following examples and conduct a 5 Why analysis
 - I was late arriving at work (15 minutes late)
 - The packaging machine stopped working
 - Customers are not happy that they are receiving product that does not meet their expectations
- Time: 10 minutes



Cause & Effect (Ishikawa Diagram)

- Represents the relationship between an Effect (problem) and its potential Causes
- Helps ensure that a balanced list of ideas have been generated during brainstorming
- Helps us overcome the "theme" or "group think" effect
- Sorts and relates the factors affecting a process while little quantifiable data is available
- Serves as a discussion guide to assist in determining root causes



Fishbone / Ishikawa Diagram (Cont.)

- Helps determine the real cause of the problem versus a symptom
- Helps refine brainstormed ideas into more detailed causes
- Helps identify a team's level of understanding of the linkage between cause and effect in a process
- Note: Templates available in Minitab (Stats>Quality Tools>Cause and Effect) and elsewhere



Example: Fishbone Diagram



Refine Brainstormed Ideas to the Root Cause Ask "Why?" 5 Times



Seven Steps to get a LDMS up and Running

- 1. Understand your process
- 2. Develop a standard KPI board
- 3. Develop daily management processes
- 4. Do Daily stand-up meetings
- 5. Develop a response plan
- 6. Monitor Problems
- 7. Monitor performance



Primary Visual Displays







Primary Visual Displays





Key Takeaways

- Everyone knows if yesterday was a good day!
- Make it a standard process
 - It is about the process-not just the boards





For Sample templates please leave your business card!

Thank you !

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