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Top 10 Leadership Lessons

I'll bet that you, like me, do a fair amount of reading, learning, gathering resources and aspiring to "up your leadership game".

My all-time favorite leadership book is The Leadership Challenge by James Kouzes and Barry Posner, now in its sixth edition. Kouzes wrote a few years back that, in his opinion and with his extensive experience, these were his top 10 leadership lessons.

- Lesson 1. Leadership is everyone's business.
- Lesson 2. Credibility is the foundation.
- Lesson 3: Personal values drive commitment.
- Lesson 4. You either lead by example or you don't lead at all.
- Lesson 5. Looking forward is a leadership prerequisite.
- Lesson 6. It's not just the leader's vision.
- Lesson 7. Challenge provides the opportunity for greatness.
- Lesson 8. Leaders are team players.
- Lesson 9. Leadership is a relationship.
- Lesson 10. Caring is at the heart of leadership.

Lesson 10, Caring is at the heart, speaks to us as Lions and volunteers. We've all heard, and probably said, "it's not personal, it's business", right? Kouzes says, and our Lions' hearts will agree, that's just not so.

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Spokane a Destination That's Quite Impressive

- 10 Best Riverfront Cities USA Today
- 10 Best Craft Distilleries USA Today
- One of the 6 Great Small Cities for Food Lovers - Wall Street Journal



By-the-river lifestyle... Riverfront
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environmentally themed World's
Fair features a hand-carved Looff
Carousel, SkyRide over the
majestic Spokane River gorge
and plenty of outdoor spaces for
remarkable views of the river.



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The best leaders are open, honest and caring. The best leaders give attention to the heart and help others achieve their passions and their goals. The best leaders understand that achieving that shared vision means that ALL the team members believe in their own personal value as well as the team's vision/goal.

Exceptional leadership is a tough road, one you don't learn overnight or by yourself. As Lions volunteers, we have the opportunity to use all the lessons we learn along the way as WE SERVE.

Leaders are learners. Join us in Spokane to "up" your leadership game.

Anne Smarsh, PR Chair

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Friday Lunch

Sherre DeMao



Founder, CEO and Strategy Maestro of BizGrowth Inc, an award-winning firm specializing in next-level, next-idea solutions for entrepreneurial enterprises and leadership.

Confessions of a Mompreneur: Leadership Lessons Learned from my Daughters

Saturday Lunch Dr. Jung-Yul Choi



President Elect of Lions Clubs International's has been a member if the Busan Jae-il Lions Club since 1977. President Elect Choi has held many offices within the association including Club President, Cabinet Secretary, District Governor and International Director. Learn about his program for the new year.

Saturday Evening Joshua Allison



Josh is the Founder and Chief Ideator for ThinkCafe', a consulting company committed to solutions for the new workplace. He has spoken and worked with organizations from Hawaii to New York. Josh is a thought leader and a passionate speaker and trainer, he specializes in workplace leadership and engagement.

Over 70 Seminars Including Something New! Outside Seminar Guest Speakers



Katherine Greenland

Katherine Greenland is Founder and Principal at Greenland Consulting LLC, a consulting agency dedicated to synergistic solutions for a world in transition. She speaks internationally on topics of inclusion & diversity, millennial mindset, women's empowerment and transformational leadership.

Millennial Mindset: 5 Strategies To Captivate the Younger Generation



Michelle Ray (Back By Popular Demand)

After raving reviews, her keynote address in Columbus has led Michelle back to the Forum with seminars in Spokane.

Harness the power of personal leadership... Your personal attitude impacts the purpose of creating a better leader in you!

Lead Yourself First!



Rachelle Strawther

Topic of workshop: Leading Without Authority: How to motivate and guide volunteers who don't have to say 'yes'.

As Director of Leadership Training and Development for Gonzaga University's School of Leadership Studies, Rachelle designs and leads executive leadership programs.



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