

A piece of chain:

"A chain is no stronger than its weakest link."

William James

When it comes to a team of leaders they must always be linked together. What good is a chain link all by itself? It has no strength; it has no value. But, when all the links join together, they become strong enough to pull themselves and others toward success. If one link disconnects, things fall apart.



A Level:

A strong team must keep level heads in order to engage in effective critical thinking, problem solving, conflict management, and communication.

A level tells us whether or not what appears to be correct and straight actually is as we perceived. Good leaders don't hesitate to use reality checks to confirm and clarify their perceptions.

Finally, a level reminds us to maintain a fair and balanced perspective. There must be equal value within leadership teams. One member is not better than another. Their duties may vary, but an effective team remembers that each member plays an important role.



Duct Tape:

There must be cohesion in a group; they must all stick together through the good times and the bad.

When there is a rift between varying personalities, it must be mended. Teams must be able to hold together under pressure and work to repair any situation.

Duct tape reminds us that almost anything can be created or repaired with simple tools if you utilize creativity in problem solving.

