

Sense of direction and purpose

Safe space - everyone having a voice and feeling confident to use it

Friendship & trust between colleagues

Looking after the team's wellbeing to ensure effective working - not burn out

Everyone takes responsibility for their work and thinks for themselves - linked to the leader not micro managing - good delegation

Ability of the org to make decisions in timely manner that help HPT move along

good processes and systems

Clear on roles and who is doing what

Support from other team members

Having the right skills & competencies in the team

Flexibility + adaptability

Ensuring everyone has a voice

POSITIVITY!

please think about the part played by the team leader in creating a HPT

Balance between setting direction and enabling others to give input

Trusting colleagues expertise

Making sure best work environment to do the job

Taking difficult decisions - in a supportive way

Positive Culture

Honesty and trust - able to have conversations in an open way

Having a range of skills and temperments

No blame culture

Able to balance and look after themselves, and be seen to do that

Clarity on milestones/outputs/targets and benchmarking the journey

Duplication of many other sticky notes. Its ok not to be perfect no blame driven by the leader

Belief in the cause

Flexible-respect for different ways of working

Flexible - No blame culture

Identify steps to achieve goals

Leading by example, self preservation

Taking the time to praise and empower the team to continue good work

Leading with a positive attitude and adapting to the situations, supporting the team to listen and achieve those goals

Management of workload

Reflective working practices

Team work-positive attitude clear common goal

Identifying areas for growth

Manging other teams expectations

Problem solving with performance - bravery required to address and resolve

Supportive and receptive to change

Identify strengths and notice when members of the team aren't operating at there usual rate

Appreciation of skill sets

Playing to peoples strengths

Clarity of vision

Curious to understand what is happening within a team

Effective communications agreed from the outset and updating all

Shared goal

Humour

Team praise for eachother

Rewards matching team members needs

Strategic oversight

Decisive

**Trust and
Respect.**

Good, open, honest
communication.
Lack of fear.
Psychological
safety. Importance
of informal
communication.

**Fun.
Laughter.
Feeling
safe**

**Everyone
knowing their
role. Being
accountable**

Taking the time to
celebrate successes.
Giving people due
recognition and
giving people wider
than the team due
recognition.

Shared vision.
Shared goal. And
everyone knows
their role in
contributing to it.

**HPT makes
mistakes but
learns and
improves from
them.**

**Inclusive. No
in-groups or
out-groups in
the team**

Ability to show the
impact of the work
the team does - for
reflection and
evaluation purposes
and to present the
benefit to
stakeholders.

Being able to
understand people's
skills and strengths
on the team and
making use of them.

**Being
a team
player.**

**please think
about the part
played by the
team leader in
creating a HPT**

Leaders (and
everyone on the
team) value the
diversity of
everyone's
contribution.

Hierarchy of teams
is important -
leaders shouldn't be
in their ivory towers.

**Good
delegation.
Clear support.
Right balance
of challenge
and support.**

Leaders ensure the
direction of the
team is maintained
... keeps the
discussion going.

Leaders call out team
members if they
aren't doing what is
needed or expected
by the team. Leaders
need to be able to
work with and
support team
members to find out
why they're not
performing

**Leaders set
expectations
of behaviours
and values**

**Timely
resolution
of any
conflict**

**Manage
accountability.**

Create the structure
and routine of the
team e.g. meetings,
check ins, reporting,
agenda

**Room
4**

Enthusiasm

**Celebrating Success
- Acknowledging
Failure**

**social
camaraderie**

**No
Factions**

Fun/humour

**Team Leader
Creates the
space for
Trust**

Trust

**Trust => Zero
Politics.No
Hidden
Agendas**

**Cooperation -
willingness to listen
to other peoples
views/want to hear
other peoples'
views.**

**Openness,
transparency**

**No
Egos**

**Team leader
creates the
framework -
Structure and
expectation**

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about the part
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team leader In
creating a HPT**

**TL has a
coaching
role**

**Focus on
a
common
goal**

**Clear shared
goal and
sense of
purpose**

**Strong
enough
shared goal -
doesn't create
competition**

**Clarity over what
success looks like -
how success is
measured and
monitored**

VISION

**TL needs to MODEL
the behaviours -
Especially that we
can fail and are
always learning**

**Creativity and
freedom to
experiment
and learn**

**Clear roles and
responsibilities**

Accountability

**Good Support -
Being able to be
honest about your
own strengths and
weaknesses**

**Good
Decision
Making**

**No
micro-management.
Let people do their
jobs.**

High pressure, but without blame - shared successes and failures. Shared learnings across the organisation.

Didn't assume that a quiet part of team meant all was going well.

Shared rewards - healthy competition rather than an individual shining above others (like a football team). E.g. at care homes, have a 'careworker of the month' but voted for by colleagues.

Sticking together when things go wrong.

Effective performance management when things go wrong and someone's not performing.

Supportive, collaborative management who take tricky decisions but in a consultative way so that everyone feels part of the process.

Trustees quick to give praise and thanks via chief exec. Knowing that they're pleased with what's happening, and are engaged, makes a big difference. Failure is accepted, not a blame culture.

Diversity of experiences.

Positivity, and culture of having people's backs. Never blame a person, blame the issue.

Diversity reduces the impact of some conflicts.

Team members committed to values - ideally come up with them themselves.

Not so focused on their area of expertise that they're blind to other aspects.

Junior/frontline people have a genuine voice.

**Second question:
What is it that other team members do that contributes to the team being high performing?**

Peer to peer support and mutual commitment is vital. Team members mentoring/coaching each other is important.

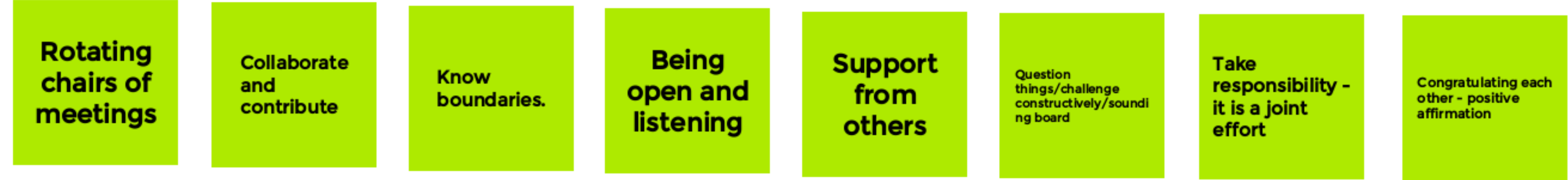
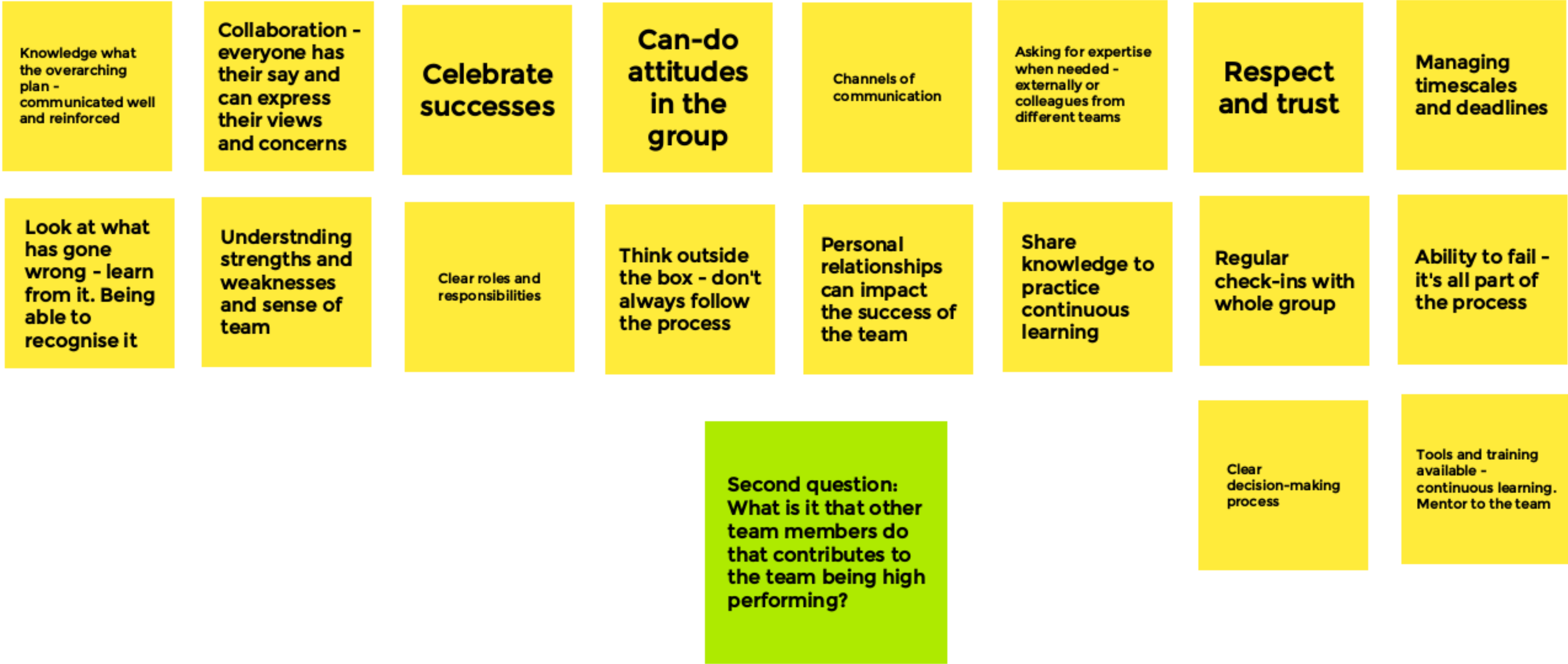
Team members need to manage their own behaviour and not be trying to be the cleverest person on the team all the time.

Not too obsessed with hierarchy.

If team members feel empowered to make suggestions knowing they will be taken seriously they're able to contribute.

Team members also being aware of performance management, behaviour on teams etc.

Able to manage egos.



Enabling culture - collaborative and supporting each other. Coming up with solutions together

Professional development plans + hunger to learn

Lack of ego - focused on team goal vs individual goal

Vision not identity

Diversity of thought / perspective / experience (not homogenous)

Second question: What is it that other team members do that contributes to the team being high performing?

Everyone has each other's backs / looking out for each other

Trust and relationships deeper than surface level - knowing the whole person

Best people on the best opportunities (rather than challenges)

Take initiative

Challenging the team leader's blind spots

Managing upwards

Accountability to the team

Organisational knowledge

Drive to improve - not averse to change

The right people in the right seat in the bus, which inspires other team members. Champions on the team.

Robust recruitment processes

Asking questions. Asking why.

Not thinking less of yourself, you're thinking of yourself less

Setting standards / Accountability / Consistency

Each person excels at something.

Stick to the plan

Build each other up

Buy each other coffee

**give a
strategic
framework to
operate within**

Leader
understanding what
personnel/skills are
required to make
the organisation
effective

**Listening
skills of
team
leader.**

Setting clear roles
and responsibilities.

**Be able
to
inspire.**

**Creating
space and
time for team
members to
come
together.**

**Being
able to
motivate
the team.**

Knowing the
strengths of
your team and
drawing on
those
strengths.

Communication is
key from team
leader to team.

**Provide
direction.**

**Energy
and vision
- take
risks!**

**Being
able to
say no!**

Continuity - team
members seeing
others working at a
high level and
following suit.

**Mutual
respect and
empathy
within the
team.**

**Work together
and support
each other.**

**Team
members
should be
trustworthy
and reliable.**

**Need
some fun,
food and
wine!**

Collective
understanding of
strategy and
objectives and their
role within it.

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