



## Servant Leadership Group Activity 2: Oh-My-Pipeline

### Servant Leadership — Serving the common good

- **BE EMPOWERING:** Inspire & help others to grow, succeed & lead.
- **BE VISIONARY:** Raise expectations for yourself & the team.
- **BE INTERCONNECTED:** Recognize the vital link between individual effort & group achievement.
- **BE GENEROUS:** Freely contribute hard work & support to reach the team's goals.
- **BE ENERGETIC:** Initiate action - do what needs to be done.

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### Problem Solving: Servant Leadership

**Summary:** The team must transport the "character values" from a starting point to an ending.

**Equipment:** PVC pipe or foam pads, small balls

**Time:** 13 minutes total  
Brief the group: 2 minutes  
Exercise: 8 minutes  
Reflection: 3 minutes

**Balls Represents:** Integrity, Respect, Responsibility, Sportsmanship, etc... Or, players that are getting through the season.

### Directions:

- The ball(s) may not touch the ground and they must continue to move forward.
- Mark a starting point and an ending point.
- Once the team is ready to begin, place the ball(s) in the pipeline system.
- If a ball touches the ground, stops moving, or moves backward, the team must start again.

### Facilitator Notes:

- You may give consequences. (blindfold or silence)
- Have the ending point be a small cup.
- Use several small cups for the ending point and require the group to distribute the balls evenly.

## Processing the Ideas:

- Discuss the importance of servant leadership: Serving the common good. How did this group do in demonstrating servant leadership to all members of the team as they tried to transport the balls?
- How easy is it to lead by example in/out of season? (communication, behavior, following rules, etc...)
- How will SERVANT LEADERSHIP look on your team? Identify 3. Refer to Servant Leadership checklist.
- One team member writes and reports later.

