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OADSP Launches New Leaders into the Future!

In late May, OADSP sponsored the very first Leadership LAUNCHpad retreat, an intense three day leadership development program for leaders of any position. Participants came together to learn about the soft skills of leadership, how their leadership is perceived by others, strategic planning, conflict management, and a plethora of other topics, all addressed by top leaders in the field.

The retreat was captured through a process called “Mapping” by Andrea McKay of Knox and Coshocton County Boards. The retreat was rounded out by LAUNCHpad faculty facilitating a guided process to assist each attendee with identifying a professional development and accountability plan.

The retreat came to a close with a few tears of joy shed by many attendees and faculty members. The growth and passion displayed by the attendees was phenomenal! OADSP will be tracking attendees to learn about the impact of the retreat on them individually, as well as on their organization.

Stay tuned for their success stories and announcements regarding future LAUNCHpad retreats in future editions of the OADSP E-Flash!