

# DESERTED ISLAND

## INSTRUCTIONS:

1. At the start of your meeting, give the good news and bad news to your team.

Bad news: they've been stranded on a deserted island

*\*bonus points if you change your zoom/teams background to a beach setting*

Good news: everyone gets to choose three items from a handy list

*\*use the list below as-is or add to it – the longer the list the more interesting your game will be.*

- / 100-proof rum
- / Compass
- / Knife
- / Matches
- / Rope
- / Plastic tarp
- / An out-of-battery cell phone
- / Canvas tarp
- / Lighter fluid
- / Candy bars
- / Athletic shoes

2. Give the group 10 minutes to select their three items. Have everyone turn their cameras off while they are compiling their list, and ask they turn it back on to signify they've made their selections.
3. Resume the meeting and have everyone share their selections and why they picked those items.
4. After everyone has shared their items, give everyone a few minutes to consider if they want to keep the items they've selected or trade them in based on other perspectives.
5. Once everyone has had a chance to reconsider, ask if anyone has made changes to their list and why. By the end of this exercise, people will find themselves more open to ideas and different perspectives.