Facebook Group About Topic

- Group created 8/29/22
- Accessed 3/28/23

Gavin Knupp Foundation Facebook Page

- Page created 10/31/22
- Accessed 4/1/23

Radio Interview w/ Mother

- Interview from 3/28/23 on FM 98.1
- Accessed 3/28/23 •

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July 20, 2022 · 🏟

A statement has been released referencing the tragic event that took the life of 14-year-old Gavin Knupp.

The statement references Mr. Ralph DeAngelus, who is a local business owner and partner with Matt Ortt Companies LLC.

We do not have any additional information about this incident other than what has been posted and shared.

Update 8:05 PM - Many questions have come in about why certain people can't view this post any longer. I checked it out, and it appears that Matt Ortt Companies LLC has removed the original post. Therefore, the original post is no longer able to be viewed.

That said, I had a copy......

The following is the text quoted from Mr. Matt Ortt's original post on Facebook from earlier today.

"On behalf of Matt Ortt Companies, we are aware of a tragic event that has brought pain and heartache to multiple families and our thoughts are with all of those involved. With all of the speculation surrounding this event, I feel the need to say something publicly. I have been in business with Ralph DeAngelus for three decades as a leader, mentor, and partner. During that time, Ralph has always been a man of integrity, which is how he has built such a stellar reputation in our town. Over the past few years, Matt Ortt Companies has added substantially to the area by revitalizing the Ocean Pines food and beverage operations and starting two new popular restaurants, all of which employ over 400 members of this community. At this time, my focus will be to continue to operate Matt Ortt Companies to the same high standards to which we have always held ourselves. For obvious reasons, Ralph cannot speak about this matter. However, he has said to me directly: "In the end, the truth will come out, and it will prove me to be the man you always thought I was." I will take him, as I always have, at his word, and I hope the community at large will as well. Ralph has never violated the trust that I put in him, and I don't expect that to ever change. As the Managing Member of the Matt Ortt Companies, and on behalf of the management team, we stand fully behind Ralph's word and will continue to wait for all the facts to come out as the investigation proceeds."

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November 2022 issues between family and OPA

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I have been working with board members since August trying to get the votes for the renaming of the skate park that was verbally promised to me from the beginning. Lengthy discussions have lead to the conclusion that the vote will not happen due to the relationships with the Matt Ortt company. I know this is true, and so does the board.

After working with the board I can honestly say as my personal opinion that this board is the most corrupt HOA board I have ever seen. It's not just the stories I have heard but the actions of the board throughout their terms are unethical to say the least.

Thank you again for putting the management company above a paying resident. I'm sorry I don't have the funds to make a difference in your decision.

On Monday November 14th I was asked to met with the OP Board President Doug Parks and Dr. Colette Horn. I was told that they will not pass the vote because "they don't like change"...isn't the point of your elected positions is to make changes...

I was told nothing has ever been dedicated to an individual...as they also say two rooms in the community center have...

I expressed again how we simply want to give back to our community and support the skate park for years to come. The HOA could care less about that section of the park and it shows. It's an eye sore and they have absolutely no future plans to change it.

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They offered an "annual award" in Gavin's memory. In the same breath asked that I make a public statement so that the media would back off. What is an award going to do in the long overdue improvements that the skate park needs? How is an award going to bring the skate community and families together?

Your award will not shut us up. We will honor Gavin and make positive changes in our community but it will not be in OP. You as board members have tarnished our love for this neighborhood and our home. You have made me fight for this skatepark during the hardest months of my life. I'm tired.

Point blank..it all comes back to the individuals that killed my son and the HOA that chooses to support them. If Gavin had died in any other way that park would have been remained by now.

As a community we deserve better. We pay our dues and elect officials to represent us..not to represent their friends that take them on expensive trips, pay their food and alcohol bill and use that to sway votes.

I am the furthest away from a political person and to be honest this has certainly shown me why.

At this point I don't care to fight this battle any longer. I'm tired, I want to grieve my son and try to get through the holidays. I want to support our daughter and get back to what matters.

You have won. I hope you continue to watch as we contribute as much as we can to our absolutely amazing community!! All around the outside boarders of OP. You have not done your neighbors justice and I'm sure will continue to do to what's best for you, not us.



Mom upset w/ Matt Ortt around time he parted ways w/ DeAngelus

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So let me get this straight, Matt please correct me if I'm wrong. You knew from day one that the car that killed my son was in your partners garage. You knew from day one who drove that car everyday. You knew from day one where he drove it from that night. You knew from day one that he was drinking that night.

You have had months...months to do what's right.

Knowing all of this you still chose to take up for them. You have bashed us numerous times to anyone that would listen. You stood with Ralph at the protest and mocked us...took shots with your "friends" openly laughed at us and watched us torture ourselves trying to stand up for our son.

You and all of them are complete scum! You have zero compassion or guilt. You are worried about your pockets that's it! Trying to make yourself seem like the victim in your partnership is bullshit! You've known the facts just as long as we have!

Did you really think this PR stunt was going to work for you? What "investigation" did you do? How have you helped bring justice for Gavin?

Don't ever ever use my sons death to gain sympathy again!

Justice will be served and I hope you go down with them!

You are so full of shit!

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Ocean Pines Association

OPA Board statement in response to recent social media post

(Weblink: https://www.oceanpines.org/web/pages/ news_content?announcementId=1622&backURL=/web/ pages/opa-news)

The following is a statement from the Ocean Pines Board of Directors:

"This press release is being issued in response to a social media post by Mrs. Tiffany Knupp. At a meeting held on Monday afternoon with Mrs. Knupp and OPA Directors Colette Horn and Doug Parks, a discussion was had regarding the request for renaming the skate park. Mrs. Knupp held true to her desire for it to be renamed, but added that she had heard the Board was not in full agreement to support the request at this time. Directors Horn and Parks presented the idea of an annual award in Gavin Knupp's name that would be presented each year at the annual meeting in the same manner as the annual Sam Wilkerson award. The Directors promoted the idea of a partnership with the foundation she and her team created, and that the foundation would drive the selection criteria and details for the award. Mrs. Knupp agreed that it was a good idea and supported the notion that as an annual award her son's name and legacy would be preserved over time. At the conclusion of the meeting, she agreed that a motion for the annual award be put on the agenda for the upcoming board meeting, then hugged Director Horn and shook hands with Director Parks as she left. We felt that an agreement by all parties had been made at that point.



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"The concern is the content of the social media comments posted by Mrs. Knupp. Given the discussion at the aforementioned meeting, the Board is both surprised and dismayed with the comments she made. First and foremost, the business relationship that the Association has with the Matt Ortt company has nothing to do with a decision to rename the skate park. The Board takes exception with the patently false and defamatory statement that '...We pay our dues and elect official to represent us, not to represent their friends that take them on expensive trips, pay their food and alcohol bill and use that to sway votes ...' Nothing could be further from the truth, as the Matt Ortt company does not oppose the renaming of the skatepark and has informed Ocean Pines on more than one occasion.

"The bulk of the remaining comments are opinion and while we may disagree with them, we recognize and respect these statements being made. With regard to the vile and disingenuous statement in the post 'Please kindly take the meaningless award and shove it up your asses,' the Board concludes that Mrs. Knupp is not interested in the award concept that she agreed to at the meeting on Monday. However, should she reconsider the issue at some point in the future, the Board is open to reconsider the idea of an annual award in her son's name."



Mom's Response to Statement

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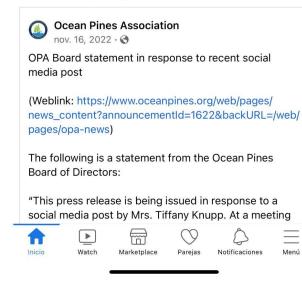
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Since they turned the comments off...

They sent a representative to my door today to again get us to "back off"!

Off course I left that meeting politely because that's who I am. Was I supposed to give you the finger and walk out like I wanted to? Thank you for leaving the part out where I said I would be discussing the "award" with Ray, Summer and our Foundation board members. Doug did you forget to mention that I cried in front of you again trying to explain the importance of the skate park to us? This meeting was nothing more than your sad attempt to try and pacify this issue. I also told you both that we are honoring Gavin in much bigger ways than some stupid meaningless award. You forgot that part too.

Good luck on Saturday



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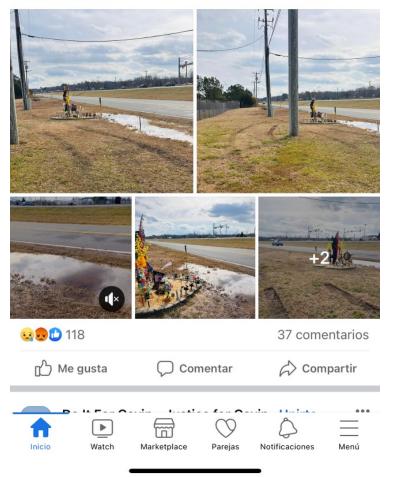
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Not sure who decided to almost run over Gavin's memorial but I have a good idea.

On another note can anyone help me resolve the standing water issue?



Woman who held the phone for Summer still not identified

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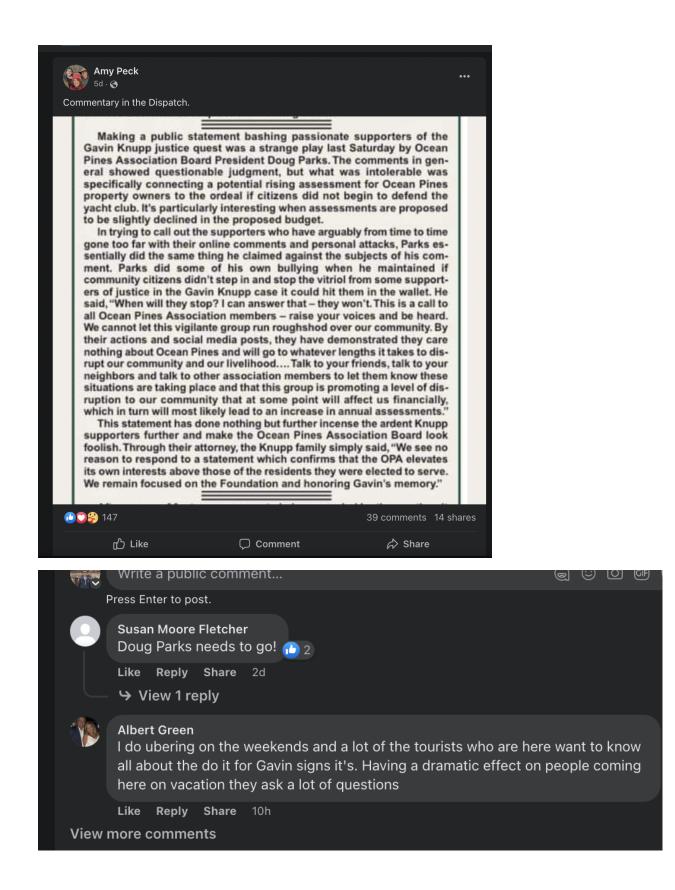


Ray Knupp's response to recent OPA statement



Commentary on 3/18 OPA Statement + public sentiment

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Speculation DeAngelus still @ Matt Ortt Company

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Post containing foundation's 501(c)3 number

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The Gavin Knupp foundation is a 501(c)3 #92-0644278. Donations over \$500 are tax deductible. For more information please email us at doitforgavin@gmail.com. Thank you for your support once again

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I've had enough! Enjoy the hell that's	about to come your w	/ay!		
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