

RESUME

Mark Gebhardt

Mark Gebhardt is a charter member and President of East End Lighthouses, Inc. and is especially enthusiastic in support of the preservation of the offshore lighthouses of Southold Town. Mark played an important role in the rebuilding of Long Beach Bar "Bug" Lighthouse. Designed, provided the materials, and installed the lightning protection and grounding system. Donated the materials and did all of the interior electrical system wiring including solar panels and DC battery bank. Provided and installed the intrusion alarm components including the radio transmission alarm capability.

- 1968 to present. President of G. M. Gebhardt Electrical Contractor Inc. Specializing in custom residential, commercial construction, wireless cell site construction and alteration, generator installation and maintenance.
- 1970-2005 member, director, vice president, president of Suffolk County Electrical Contractors Inc., a trade organization serving electrical contractors in Suffolk County, Nassau and the five boroughs. SCECA is an organization dedicated to the education, improvement of communications between contractors, the utilities, towns and inspection agencies.
- 1976-1990 Founding member and president of Eastern Sailing Club in Greenport. An informal yacht club sponsoring sail training and sailing events in the Greenport area.
- 2001 to present. Member of East End Lighthouses. Presently President and membership chairman.
- Mark graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1960.
- On October 24 1960 joined US Navy, attended Submarine School. Attached to USS Sea Owl SS405, Nuclear Power School, on staff at NPTU, Windsor, Conn. Attached to USS Swordfish SSN579 and USS Sperry AS12. Discharged 24 Oct 1967. [The entire service time was an education.]
- Attended various seminars, usually work related, to keep up with "code" changes and new technology.

Mark's special interests, in addition to preserving the area's lighthouses, include sailing, home projects and time permitting, travel.