

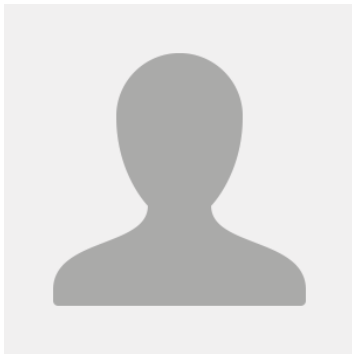


**BRITISH
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David Harfield

BAWLA Assistant Secretary and Treasurer

IWF Assistant Secretary



David Harfield contributed 50 years of service to British Weight Lifting in leadership and financial roles.

Harfield joined the governing body of the BWLA in 1952. He became Treasurer in 1954 and Assistant Secretary in 1965. He served in this joint capacity until his retirement in 2002, a milestone of fifty years continuous service. During that period he co-authored many publications and books on the sport.

He also had a brief spell as IWF Assistant Secretary 1960 – 1962 but had to relinquish the position due to an inability to get time off his full-time job.

An officer of the UK Sport stated “In the nearly 30 years I worked for the Sports Council and UK Sport I can honestly say that I have come across few, if any, individuals who have contributed so much in a voluntary capacity to their sport as David Harfield. In addition, he is a thoroughly decent and modest man who has sought no accolades for his contribution.”