



**BRITISH
WEIGHT
LIFTING**

Mike Pearman

3 x Olympian

2 x Commonwealth Medallist

Head GB Coach – 2001 Worlds

Head Coach – Commonwealth Games 2014



Mike Pearman is a three-times Olympian and two times Commonwealth medallist who has over 60 years' experience in the sport as an athlete and coach.

Early in his career while training Pearman worked as a lady's hair stylist while being trained by GB Head Coach Al Murray.

He competed in the Men's Middleweight Division at Tokyo 1964 and finished fourteenth. He moved up to the Light Heavyweight Division four years later and finished fourteenth again.

In 1972 Pearman remained at Light-Heavyweight and improved to place eleventh in Munich.

Pearman won bronze medals for England at the 1966 and 1974 Commonwealth Games.

He was Great Britain's Head Coach at the 2001 World Championships and Head England Coach at the 2014 Commonwealth Games.