

Andrew Callard (BEM)

3 x Commonwealth Medallist (gold, silver & bronze)

Olympian GB coach



Andrew Callard is Commonwealth Games Champion who has coached numerous successful British weightlifters at international events

Callard secured bronze for England at the 1990 Auckland Commonwealth Games and won gold four years later.

During that period he also represented Great Britain at the 1992 Olympics in Barcelona.

In 2002, he formed Europa Weightlifting Club, volunteering to give young people an opportunity to get involved in the sport.

Callard helped Zoe Smith become England's first ever female weightlifting medallist at the Delhi Commonwealth Games in 2010 and at the Gold Coast Commonwealth Games 2018 five out of six English weightlifters were from Europa weightlifting club.

He was named coach of the year at the 2014, 2016 & 2018 BWL Annual Achievement Awards and also received a British Empire Medal in 2019 for services to weightlifting.