Ian Thomson

Scottish Weightlifting Chair
EWF Technical Committee Member
Organised World Juniors in 1985 and Commonwealth Games in 1986

Ian Thomson was the Scottish Weightlifting Chair from 1979-1994.

He was instrumental in bringing to Scotland it’s first British senior championship event and ensured it was so efficiently organised that at one point it became a biennial fixture.

He helped organise the World Junior’s in 85 & the Commonwealth Games in 86. Thomson managed UK and Scottish teams and was chief technical officer for the British Weight Lifters Association.

He was elected to the European Weightlifting Committee a week before passing away at the age of 51 from cancer.