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Evan Armstrong (Ayr)

Active: 1963-1973

Weight classes fought in:

Recorded fights: 50 contests (won: 36 lost: 13 drew: 1)

Fight Record

1963

Nov 28 Candido Sawyer (Nigeria) WK01(6) Ice Rink, Paisley

Source: *Boxing News* 06/12/1963 page 2

Armstrong 8st 10lbs 14ozs Sawyer 8st 7lbs 10ozs

Promoter: Peter Keenan

1964

Jan 21 Dele Majeke (Nigeria) WPTS(8) Town Hall, Govan

Source: *Boxing News* 24/01/1964 page 3

Armstrong 9st 11lbs 8ozs Majeke 9st 3lbs

Promoter: Peter Keenan

Feb 11 Dele Majeke (Nigeria) WPTS(6) Town Hall, Shoreditch

Source: *Boxing News Annual* 14/02/1964 page 16

Promoter: Harry Grossmith

- Feb 24 Billy Williams (Cannock) WRSF3 Belle Vue, Manchester**
Source: Boxing News 28/02/1964 pages 6 and 11
Williams boxed for the Midlands Area Bantamweight Title twice in 1963.
Armstrong 9st 2lbs Williams 9st 7lbs
Promoter: Harry Levene
- Mar 9 Mick Carney (Wakefield) WRSF5 Free Trade Hall, Manchester**
Source: Boxing News 13/03/1964 page 3
Carney was Central Area Featherweight Champion 1964.
Armstrong 9st 1lbs Carney 9st 12lbs
Promoter: Gus Demmy
- May 12 Mick Greaves (Leicester) WKO4 Empire Pool, Wembley**
Source: Boxing News 15/05/1964 pages 8 and 9
Greaves boxed for the Midlands Area Featherweight Title 1965.
Armstrong 8st 13lbs 8ozs Greaves 9st 2lbs
Promoter: Harry Levene
- May 28 Con Mount Bassie (Jamaica) WPTS(8) Kelvin Hall, Glasgow**
Source: Boxing News 05/06/1964 pages 6 and 7
Armstrong 8st 11lbs Mount Bassie 9st 2lbs
Promoter: Peter Keenan
- Sep 3 Bobby Fisher (Wishaw) LRSF6(8) Ice Rink, Paisley**
Source: Boxing News 11/09/1964 pages 4 and 16
Fisher boxed a British Featherweight Title Eliminator 1963.
Armstrong 8st 9lbs 12ozs Fisher 9st 0lbs 8ozs
Promoter: Peter Keenan
- Oct 27 Al Juma (Kenya) WPTS(8) Empire Pool, Wembley**
Source: Boxing News 30/10/1964 pages 8, 09 and 16
Armstrong 8st 13lbs Juma 9st 3lbs
Promoter: Harry Levene
- Nov 16 Brian Cartwright (Birmingham) LPTS(8) Royal Albert Hall, Kensington**
Source: Boxing News 20/11/1964 pages 8 and 9
Cartwright boxed for the British Flyweight Title 1962 and boxed
for the British Junior Lightweight Title 1968 and was Midlands Area
Bantamweight Champion 1963.
Armstrong 8st 11lbs Cartwright 8st 9lbs 8ozs
Promoter: Mike Barrett

1965

- Feb 4 Tommy Burgoyne (Demmy) WRSF6 Kelvin Hall, Glasgow**
Source: Boxing News 12/02/1965 page 12
Burgoyne was Scottish Area Bantamweight Champion 1962-64.
Armstrong 8st 13lbs 4ozs Burgoyne 8st 13lbs
Promoter: Peter Keenan

Mar 22 Peter Lavery (Belfast) WPTS(8) National Sporting Club, Piccadilly

Source: Boxing News 26/03/1965 page 5

Lavery was Northern Ireland Area Featherweight Champion 1965.

Armstrong 9st 0lbs Lavery 9st 0lbs 4ozs

Jun 10 Johnny Adebesei (Nigeria) WPTS(8) Ice Rink, Paisley

Source: Boxing News 18/06/1965 pages 6 and 16

Armstrong 9st 0lbs Adebesei 9st 3lbs 3ozs

Jul 12 Tony Riley (Coventry) LPTS(6) Hilton Hotel, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 16/07/1965 page 2

Riley boxed for the British Lightweight Title 1972 and was Midlands

Area Lightweight Champion 1969-71.

Armstrong 8st 13lbs 6ozs Riley 9st 5lbs 4ozs

Promoter: Anglo-American Sporting Club

Aug 20 Johnny Adebesei (Nigeria) WKO7(8) Ice Rink, Paisley

Source: Boxing News 27/08/1965 pages 4 and 12

Armstrong 8st 12lbs 4ozs Adebesei 9st 2lbs

Promoter: Peter Keenan

Sep 13 Tony Riley (Coventry) WRSF5(8) Hilton Hotel, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 17/09/1965 page 2

Armstrong 8st 11lbs 12ozs Riley 9st 2lbs

Promoter: Anglo-American Sporting Club

Nov 1 George Bowes (West Hartlepool) WRSF3 Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 05/11/1965 page 3

Bowes boxed for the British Bantamweight Title 1964.

Dec 8 Johnny Mantle (Battersea) WRSF7(8) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 17/12/1965 page 2

Mantle boxed for the Southern Area Featherweight Title 1966 and 1967.

Armstrong 8st 12lbs Mantle 8st 13lbs 8ozs

Referee: Bill Williams

1966

Jan 17 Brian Cartwright (Birmingham) LPTS(8) Hilton Hotel, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 21/01/1966 page 4

Armstrong 8st 10lbs 8ozs Cartwright 9st 2lbs

Promoter: Anglo-American Sporting Club

Apr 4 Tei Dovie (Ghana) WRSF3(8) Central Hotel, Glasgow

Source: Boxing News 15/04/1966 pages 4 and 5

Armstrong 8st 13lbs Dovie 9st 2lbs

Promoter: Central SC

Jun 28 Monty Laud (St Ives) WRSF8(8) Royal Albert Hall, Kensington

Source: Boxing News 01/07/1966 page 4

Laud was Southern Area Bantamweight Champion 1965-66 and Southern Area Featherweight Champion 1967.

Armstrong 8st 7lbs Laud 8st 7lbs

Promoter: Mike Barrett

Aug 1 Oye Turpin (Ghana) WRSF2(8) Town Hall, Govan

Source: Boxing News 05/08/1966 page 13

Armstrong 8st 9lbs 14ozs Turpin 8st 11lbs 8ozs

Promoter: Peter Keenan

Aug 29 Angel Chinaea (Spain) WRSF2(8) Central Hotel, Glasgow

Source: Boxing News 09/09/1966 page 2

Armstrong 8st 7lbs 4ozs

Promoter: Central SC

Sep 19 Jackie Brown (Edinburgh) WKO4(10) Central Hotel, Glasgow

Source: Boxing News 30/09/1966 page 3

(Scottish Area Bantamweight Title)

Brown was British and British Empire Flyweight Champion 1962-63.

Armstrong 8st 5lbs 8ozs Brown 8st 5lbs 12ozs

Promoter: Central SC

Oct 17 Orizu Obilaso (Nigeria) WRTD3(8) Hilton Hotel, Mayfair

Source: Boxing News 21/10/1966 page 2

Armstrong 8st 8lbs 8ozs Obilaso 8st 6lbs

Promoter: Anglo-American Sporting Club

Nov 28 Bobby Davies (West Ham) WPTS(8) Central Hotel, Glasgow

Source: Boxing News 09/12/1966 page 5

Davies boxed for the Southern Area Featherweight Title 1963.

Armstrong 8st 9lbs 8ozs Davies 8st 12lbs 8ozs

Referee: Tommy Hendrie

1967

Jan 30 Benny Lee (Hainault) WRSF2(8) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Manchester

Source: Boxing News 03/02/1967 page 4

Armstrong 8st 9lbs Lee 8st 8lbs

May 11 Jim McCann (Belfast) WRSF5(12) Ice Rink, Paisley

Source: Boxing News 19/05/1967 pages 2 and 11

McCann boxed a British Bantamweight Title Eliminator 1967 and was Northern Ireland Area Bantamweight Champion 1965-66.

Armstrong 8st 4lbs 10ozs McCann 8st 5lbs

Referee: Roland Dakin Promoter: Peter Keenan

Oct 23 Patrick Mambwe (Zambia) DRAW(8) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: *Boxing News* 27/10/1967 page 4

Armstrong 8st 5lbs 8ozs Mambwe 8st 7lbs 4ozs

Referee: Bill Williams

1968

Jan 23 Pornchai Poppraiam (Thailand) WRSF6 Royal Albert Hall, Kensington

Source: *Boxing News*

Armstrong 8st 7lbs 6ozs Poppraiam 8st 7lbs 6ozs

Referee: Harry Gibbs Promoter: Mike Barrett

Armstrong sub for Johnny Clark(Walworth)

Mar 5 Patrick Mambwe (Zambia) WRSF2(8) Town Hall, Shoreditch

Source: *Boxing News* 15/03/1968 page 6

Armstrong 8st 8lbs Mambwe 8st 9lbs 8ozs

Referee: Pat Floyd

Armstrong sub for Alan Rudkin(Liverpool)

Mar 11 Jose Bisbal (Spain) WRSF7(8) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: *Boxing News* 15/03/1968 page 6

Armstrong 8st 9lbs Bisbal 8st 10lbs

Referee: Harry Humphreys

Mar 31 Joe Medel (Mexico) LPTS(10) El Toreo Bullring, Mexico City

Source: *Boxing News*

Armstrong 8st 7lbs Medel 8st 7lbs

Aug 28 Chucho Castillo LRSF2 Inglewood USA

Source: *Boxing News*

Nov 12 Bob Allotey (Ghana) LRSF4 Pool, Wembley

Source: *Boxing News*

1969

Feb 24 Billy Hardacre (Liverpool) WPTS(8) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: *Boxing News*

Hardacre boxed a British Featherweight Title Eliminator 1973 and was Central Area Featherweight Champion 1969-73 and Central Area Lightweight Champion 1973.

Jun 9 Alan Rudkin (Liverpool) LRTD11(15) Manchester

Source: *Boxing News*

(British Bantamweight Title)

Rudkin was British Bantamweight Champion 1965-66 and 1968-72 and British Empire Bantamweight Champion 1965-66 and 1968-69 and British Commonwealth Champion 1971.

Dec 8 Reg Gullefer (Dagenham) WKO2 Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: *Boxing News*

1970

Feb 6 Jose Legra (Cuba) LPTS(10) Barcelona Spain
Source: *Boxing News*
Sep 21 Jimmy Bell (Kilmarnock) WRSF9(12) World Sporting Club, Mayfair
Source: *Boxing News*

(Scottish Area Featherweight Title)

*Bell boxed for the Commonwealth Featherweight Title 1975 and was
Scottish Area Featherweight Champion 1969-70.
Armstrong 8st 10lbs 8ozs Bell 8st 13lbs 8ozs
Referee: Harry Gibbs*

1971

Mar 16 Abdou Fakyh (France) WPTS(8) Wembley
Source: *Boxing News*
*Armstrong 8st 11lbs Fakyh 8st 10lbs 12ozs
Referee: Benny Caplan*

Jul 5 Jimmy Revie (Stockwell) WKO12(15) World Sporting Club, Mayfair
Source: *Boxing News*

(British Featherweight Title)

Revie was British Featherweight Champion 1969-71.

Sep 6 Toro George (New Zealand) LPTS(15) Melbourne Australia
Source: *Boxing News*

(British Empire Featherweight Title)

1972

Feb 15 Jose Legra (Cuba) LPTS(15) Royal Albert Hall, Kensington
Source: *Boxing News*

(European Featherweight Title)

*Armstrong 8st 11lbs 12ozs Legra 8st 10lbs 4ozs
Referee: Herbert Tomser(Germany)*

Apr 18 Howard Hayes (Doncaster) WRSF6(15) Ice Stadium, Nottingham
Source: *Boxing News*

(British Featherweight Title)

*Hayes boxed for the British Featherweight Title 1972.
Armstrong 8st 10lbs 12ozs Hayes 8st 12lbs 8ozs
Referee: Wally Thom
cut eye*

Sep 25 Tommy Glencross (Glasgow) LPTS(15) Anglo-American Sporting Club, Mayfair

Source: *Boxing News*

(British Featherweight Title)

Glencross was British Featherweight Champion 1972-73.

Armstrong 8st 11lbs 8ozs Glencross 9st 0lbs

Referee: Sid Nathan

Oct 28 Arnold Taylor (South Africa) LKO4 Johannesburg South Africa

Source: *Boxing News*

Nov 28 Howard Hayes (Doncaster) WRSF6(12) Ice Stadium, Nottingham

Source: *Boxing News*

(British Featherweight Title Final Eliminator)

Armstrong 8st 10lbs 12ozs Hayes 8st 13lbs 12ozs

1973

May 22 Bingo Crooks (Wolverhampton) WPTS(8) Wembley

Source: *Boxing News*

Armstrong 8st 11lbs Crooks 9st 1lbs 8ozs

Referee: Harry Paulding

Sep 17 Tommy Glencross (Glasgow) WRSF3(15) St Andrews SC, Glasgow

Source: *Boxing News*

(British Featherweight Title)

Armstrong 8st 11lbs 8ozs Glencross 8st 13lbs

Referee: Jim Brimmell

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