

1990 CENTENARY YEAR HIGHLIGHTS – The following gives highlight details of SBH events and achievements throughout 1990.

1 January – Inauguration of the Centenary Year of SBH at Barnet Copthall Stadium. Over 200 members and friends attended, with 100 taking part in cross-country races, many in fancy dress.

6 January – Ladies win Beryl Davies Trophy.

13 January – Men's Southern CC Championships at Parliament Hill. Junior win 2nd place team medals.

27 January – Women's Southern CC Championships at Coulsdon. Senior and Intermediate teams both finished in 2nd place, with **KERRY MACKAY** 2nd in the Intermediates.

10 February – Southern Veterans CC Championships at Havering. Ladies 1st team, with four Individual age-group champions.

10 February – Senior Men finish top of the Metropolitan League.

10/11 February – At the AAA/WAAA Under 20 Indoor Championships. **CATHERINE MURPHY** wins Girls 60m and 200m titles, and **ONOCHIE ONUORAH** Youths Long Jump, his (7.07) a UK Youth Record.

17 February – Women's National CC Championships at Rickmansworth. Intermediate win 2nd place team medals, with **KERRY MACKAY** in 4th place.

17 February – At the Omron Games **NEIL WINTER** clears (4.85m) in the Pole Vault for a UK Youth Indoor Record.

24 February – English National CC Championships at Leeds. **JOHN SHERBAN** 7th in Senior race.

25 February – **ANNE RIDLEY** wins Scottish CC Championships.

25 February – 35th Shaftesbury Barnet Harriers YA CC Meeting at Copthall. Shaftesbury win one Individual and three team titles.

3/4 March – **JACKIE AGYEPONG**, 60m Hurdles, and **EVETTE FINIKIN**, Triple Jump, represent Great Britain in the European Indoor championships in Glasgow.

9/10 March – At the AAA/WAAA Indoor Championships. **FRANCIS AGYEPONG** wins the Triple Jump and **JACKIE AGYEPONG** the 60m Hurdles. Silver Medal for **FRED SALLE** in the Long Jump.

17 March – Shaftesbury Barnet Harriers Centenary Dinner.

24 March – In the World CC Championships at Aix-Les-Baines, **KERRY MACKAY** runs for Great Britain in the Junior Women's race.

24 March – ECCU National CC Relays at Mansfield. Senior Men finish 3rd, with **JOHN SHERBAN** fastest of the day.

1 April – AAA Young Athletes Road Relay Championships at Sutton Park. Boys team finish 3rd.

7 April – Southern 12 Stage Road Relay Championships at Wimbledon. Senior Men finish 3rd.

16 April – Shaftesbury Barnet Harriers Open Throws Meeting at Copthall.

28 April – In the London Marathon, **MIKE O'REILLY** finishes 5th in a new Club Record (2:11.05).

28 April – National 12 Stage Road Relay Championships at Sutton Park. Senior Men finish 4th.

28 April to 12 May – Shaftesbury stage five home league fixtures at Copthall Stadium in the space of 15 days, including BAL Division One fixture with the top eight clubs in the UK.

19/20 May – Middlesex Championships held at Copthall. SBH have 23 County Champions.

27 May – **MARY BERKELEY**, **EVETTE FINIKIN**, **FRANCIS AGYEPONG** and **MIKE JONES** competed for Great Britain in a Field Events International at Portsmouth.

27/28 May – Southern Under 20 Championships held at Copthall. SBH have 5 County Champions and two 2nd places.

2/3 June – UK Championships held at Cardiff. Gold Medals for **FRANCIS AGYEPONG** (Triple Jump) and **MARY BERKELEY** (Long Jump), and Silver Medals for **MIKE JONES** (Hammer) and **EVETTE FINIKIN** (Triple Jump).

7 June – **MARY BERKELEY**, **COURTNEY RUMBOLT** and **MIKE JONES** competed for Great Britain v Finland in Helsinki.

30 June-1 July – AAA/WAAA Under 20 Championships at Stoke. Gold Medals for **NEIL WINTER** (Junior and Youth Pole Vault), **NICK NIELAND** (Junior Javelin), **ONOCHIE ONUORAH** (Youth Long Jump), **KERRY MACKAY** (Junior 3000m) and **CATHERINE MURPHY** (Junior 200m). Silver Medals for **MARK STERN** (Junior 110m Hurdles) and **CATHERINE MURPHY** (Junior 100m).

7 July – Official reopening of Barnet Cophall Stadium by **SIR ARTHUR GOLD CBE**, on the occasion of the Schools Cup Final. Reconstruction included re-laying of track, updating of field events facilities, bringing stand up to Home Office safety regulations, and re-decorating.

7 July – AAA/WAAA Championships at Stoke. Gold Medal from **EVETTE FINIKIN** (Triple Jump).

8 July – Shaftesbury Barnet Harriers stage UK Women's League Division 2 fixture at Cophall, and with a convincing win practically ensure promotion to Division 1.

13/14 July – English Schools Championships at Derby. There were Gold Medals from **ONOCHIE ONUORAH** (Intermediate Long Jump), **KERRY MACKAY** (Senior 3000m) and **CATHERINE MURPHY** (Junior 200m) and **MARK STERN** (Senior 110m Hurdles).

15 July – Gold Cup and Jubilee Cup Semi-Finals. Shaftesbury organised the meeting at Cophall. The Men at Birmingham and the Women at Cophall, finished first to qualify for the Cup Finals at Gateshead.

15 July – Centenary Family Day held following the Cup Semi-Final, with over 250 attended the Family evening, including Cllr **ROY SHULTZ** Mayor of Barnet 1990-91. A fine warm evening was enlivened by children's races, fun and games, raffle, barbecue and disco.

22 July – Young Athletes League Southern Premier Division. SBH finish 3rd, to qualify for the League Finals Meeting at Birmingham for the 13th consecutive year.

3/4 August – At Stoke. **MIKE JONES** is 2nd in the Hammer, **MARY BERKELEY** is 2nd in the Long Jump and **JACKIE AGYEPONG** is 3rd in the 110m Hurdles.

11 August – British Athletic League Division 1, final fixture SBH finish 4th, in top half of the table.

12-16 August – **NEIL WINTER** (Pole Vault) competes for Great Britain in the World Junior Championships at Plovdiv.

18 August – Gold Cup and Jubilee Cup Finals at Gateshead. An outstanding achievement that both sections of the club should be in the Final. In the Gold Cup the Men finished 5th, and in the Jubilee Cup the Ladies finished 6th.

26 August – UK Women's League Division 2, final fixture at Coatbridge. **LUCY ELLIOTT** is 'Athlete of the Meeting', SBH finished 3rd and gain promotion to Division 1.

27 August-1 September – **MARY BERKELEY** (Long Jump) and **JACKIE AGYEPONG** (110m Hurdles) compete for Great Britain in the European Championships at Split.

1 September – Southern WAAA Clubs Trophy (**KIMBERLY-CLARK**) for Girls and Intermediates is held at Cophall. SBH win the trophy for the first time.

2 September – Young Athletes Final at Birmingham. SBH finish 2nd. **NEIL WINTER** 'Man of the Match', his (5.20m) Pole Vault a UK Youth Record and Welsh Senior Record.

9 September – 37th Shaftesbury 10m Road Race and Southern 10m Championships at Cophall. SBH 3rd team in both.

29 September – European Junior Clubs Meeting. The athletic high spot of our Centenary Year, held at Cophall, with 14 clubs, 12 from overseas. SBH finished 3rd, and we were responsible for staging the meeting, and the transport, accommodation and feeding of all the teams.

20 October – Southern Women's Road Relays Championships held at Aldershot. Seniors 3rd team.

10 November – National Women's Road Relays Championships held at Sutton Park. In the Senior race **LUCY ELLIOTT** hands over a winning lead on Leg 1. Two weeks previously **LUCY** ran for Great Britain in the Ekiden Road Relay in Paris.

17 November – North of the Thames Championships at Hainault. Youth team finished 1st.

24 November – London CC Championships at Parliament Hill. Ladies finish 2nd team, with **FREIDA BROWN** 3rd.

December – **NEIL WINTER** awarded the '**JACK CRUMP**' Memorial Trophy by AAA as the outstanding Youth athlete for 1990.

1 December – Women's Southern CC League final fixture held at Cophall. 500 runners from 35 clubs take part, SBH Seniors are 2nd at the end of the league season.

9 December – Women's Middlesex CC Championships held at Cophall. SBH athletes win 7 Individual and 4 team titles.

13 December – Centenary Christmas Party with seasonal fare, fun and festivities.

26 December – The Curtain comes down with the Boxing Day races at Cophall. Cross country races,

reunion of members and friends, prize winners announced for our Grand Centenary Draw. By every stand our Centenary Year must be rated a great success. Farewell 1990 with happy memories!