

## **British Masters Indoor Championships**

**7<sup>th</sup> March 2009**

Tony Wells lifted his first national title in his new veteran-60 age group when the British Masters Indoor Championships were held at London's Lee Valley. The Corby AC veteran international took the 60m hurdles in a time of 9.57 to finish ahead of David Kuester (Veterans AC) who ran 12.78.

Wells also came away with the bronze medal in the 60m when after a close battle he just lost out on the silver by a mere one hundredth of a second to the South's Victor Novell when clocking 8.50 with Welshman Glyn Sutton bagging the title in 8.14.

Other locals who did well to win titles were Cransley's Dave Folgate and Cecil Moven of Northampton. The former easily won the over-55 triple jump from the South's David Blunt (9.50m) with his best leap of 11.23m.

Moven was in action in the over-50 section and qualified for the final of the 60m with a heat winning time of 7.66. In the final he went even faster with 7.51 which gave him the title ahead of the East's Kevin Burgess (7.71) and the South's Clement Bartley (7.75). Corby's John Barclay clocked 8.15 in his heat of the 60m.

Coming away with a silver medal in the same age group was Northampton walker Mark Wall who returned a time of 15.39.0 behind Veteran AC's Trevor Jones (14.33.37) in the 3000m event.

Wall's partner Sue Rey was another to take a walking silver when she clocked 20.06.65 in the corresponding women's event which was won in 19.58.11 by Jo Miles of Veteran AC).

Wellingborough-based Michelle Leach was involved in an exciting 800m in the veteran-40 section when just edging out the South's Tracey Burrows (2.37.41) to clinch the silver in 2.37.04 behind the East's Angie Alstrachen (2.34.01).