

# Sally Nugent

Sally has been working for the BBC for 15 years, starting as a broadcast journalist at her local radio station - BBC Radio Merseyside.

She covered many big stories including the Grand National that never was in 1997.

Sally moved to the regional television newsroom and when their sports presenter took a short break, they asked her to step in for six weeks. She remained there for two years.

During that time Sally travelled around Europe as Liverpool went on their fairytale UEFA Cup campaign in 2001, which ended in success. Liverpool beat Alaves 5-4 in the final after extra time and a golden own goal!

Sally covered the 2002 Commonwealth Games in Manchester - broadcasting live every night. She saw the effect a big sporting event can have on a region and its people. Sally believes that London will benefit in a similar way when the Olympics arrive.

Sally moved to national news, covering many big sporting events including two FIFA World Cups in Germany and South Africa.



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