



Tooting Crime Briefing

4 August, 2005

If you are able to provide any information on terrorist offences, call the Anti-Terrorist Hotline, on **0800 789 321**.
 If you have mobile phone images of any of the recent bombing incidents, please send them to **07734 282 288**

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 29 July and 4 August, 2005

STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery	HAZELHURST ROAD	27/07/2005	2100	By black male aged 42, in casual clothing, who injured victim's arms.
Theft Snatch		29/07/2005	1330	Victim's mobile phone was snatched from him as he left car park. The thief was aged 25, male, black, in a white t-shirt, black jeans and blue trainers.
Street Robbery	GATTON ROAD	31/07/2005	0400	By black male aged 30, in jeans and a grey t-shirt.
Street Robbery	TOOTING BEC ROAD	31/07/2005	2355	18 year old Asian male used violence to steal from victim.
Commercial Robbery	TOOTING HIGH STREET	31/07/2005	0615	Thief entered shop armed with a samurai sword, threatened staff and stole alcohol. He was aged 25, black, wearing a grey t-shirt, green trousers and a black jacket.
Theft Snatch	CREDENHILL STREET	01/08/2005	1200	Two thieves snatched bag containing phone. 1) Male, black, aged 23, in black hooded top, white t-shirt and black baseball cap over black bandana 2) male, black, aged 22, in light grey hooded top with wording on front.
Street Robbery	EARDLEY ROAD	01/08/2005	2250	Thief assaulted the victim and stole his property. He was black, aged 24, in a black zip-up jacket, blue jeans and a black baseball cap.
Theft Snatch	HURON ROAD	01/08/2005	1229	Thief cycled up to victim and snatched handbag. He was white, aged 30, in light and dark blue shell suit top and grey jogging trousers.



Street Robbery	FOUNTAIN ROAD	01/08/2005 2135	Thief forcibly stole property.
Street Robbery	TOOTING BEC COMMON UPPER TOOTING ROAD	02/08/2005 2315	18 year old black male punched female victim twice to the head, knocking her to the ground, and stole her bag.
Street Robbery	TOOTING BEC ROAD	02/08/2005 1505	23 year old black male threatened victim with a knife and stole mobile phone. He was wearing a dark blue denim jacket, dark blue jeans and black trainers.
Street Robbery	TOOTING BEC ROAD	03/08/2005 0005	Thief threatened victim with a gun while searching him and attempting to steal property. He was black, aged 22, in a black hooded top, black trousers and black trainers.

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Non-Residential Burglary	BOUNDARIES ROAD	28/07/2005	2345	29/07/2005	0800	Burglar forced lock from door, entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	RAVENSLEA ROAD	29/07/2005	0815	29/07/2005	1800	Thief slipped latch on communal front door then broke open door of flat, entered and stole.
Non-Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	29/07/2005	2000	30/07/2005	0830	Thief broke in through roof and stole property.
Residential Burglary	ANSELL ROAD	30/07/2005	1820	30/07/2005	2120	Burglar climbed through open rear ground floor bathroom window and stole property, leaving through first floor rear window.
Residential Burglary	ELMBOURNE ROAD	30/07/2005	2040			Black male thief climbed through window and stole items.



Non-Residential Burglary	TOOTING HIGH STREET	31/07/2005	2330	02/08/2005	1100	Toilet window forced and items taken.
Non-Residential Burglary	DR JOHNSON AVENUE	01/08/2005	1545	02/08/2005	0700	Intruder forced entry, stole gardening equipment and made off in vehicle.
Non-Residential Burglary	BLACKSHAW ROAD	02/08/2005	0900	02/08/2005	1000	Thief stole display monitor from unattended room.
Residential Burglary	ALDIS STREET	03/08/2005	0730	03/08/2005	1730	Burglar slipped latch on flat door and stole property.
Residential Burglary	LONGLEY ROAD	03/08/2005	0845	03/08/2005	1705	Burglar forced door of flat and stole property.
Residential Burglary	LONGLEY ROAD	03/08/2005	1220	03/08/2005	2017	Thief entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	OAKMEAD ROAD	03/08/2005	2255	03/08/2005	2305	Door was forced open by thief who was disturbed by occupier.

WHO TO CONTACT IF YOU CAN HELP?

If you can help solve any of the crimes mentioned above, or can assist to identify the person(s) responsible, please contact **Tooting Police Sector Office on 020 8247 8383**

Alternatively pass your information to **CRIMESTOPPERS on 0800 555 111** You do not have to give your name or address and you may be eligible for a reward if the information given leads to the arrest and conviction of an offender.

Crimes can also be reported online, through www.online.police.uk/ This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

ASSISTANCE



Age Concern Wandsworth, tel. 0208 870 2020 can also offer advice and assistance to the over-50s, whether or not you have been a victim of crime. You can also report a crime and get advice at the Age Concern **Safe & Secure Advice Desk**, each Thursday from 10am to 1pm, where you can speak to a police Crime Prevention Officer, Victim Support worker or a Community Safety Officer.

Victim Support, tel. 0207 223 1234, is an independent charity that helps people cope with crime.

Trained staff and volunteers, based in local branches, contact people after a crime has been committed, to offer free, confidential support and information. The Police and other organisations refer victims of crime to Victim Support; however some people feel able to 'pop in' to one of our branches to ask for assistance.

CRIME PREVENTION ADVICE

Advice on all aspects of crime prevention can be obtained from:

- 1) Putney Crime Prevention Shop, next to the Odeon Cinema in Putney High Street, (telephone 020 8785 8874). The shop is open to the public between 10am and 5-30pm, Mondays to Saturdays.
- 2) Community Policing Contact Centre, Islamic Centre, 145 Upper Tooting Road, London SW17 between 11am and 1pm on Saturday mornings will be pleased to mark mobile phones and other property, give advice and accept third party reports of crime.