

Tooting Crime Briefing

6 May, 2010



Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 29 April and 6 May, 2010

The information in this message is provided for Wandsworth Neighbourhood Watch by Wandsworth Council from data supplied by the Metropolitan Police, and is for dissemination to Neighbourhood Watch members **only**.

This is not a complete list of crimes in the Borough but is intended to make NHW members aware of any current trends relating to burglaries and robberies in their particular ward. The Metropolitan Police may not release details of all crimes to Neighbourhood Watch as there may be sensitive or ongoing investigations and the details therefore may not be released into the public domain until the investigation reaches the court system.

For a picture of crime across the whole of London and to compare your ward to others, please visit the Metropolitan Police Crime Mapping site at <http://maps.met.police.uk/>

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	30/04/2010	2230	Male in dark hooded clothing pushed victim to the ground and stole cash.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	ELMFIELD ROAD	03/05/2010	2219	As victim was approaching her front door a male in a black motorcycle helmet and black gloves pushed her head against the door, threatened her and stole her mobile phone and handbag.	BEDFORD
				NO ROBBERIES WERE REPORTED ON THIS WARD	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	MOYSER ROAD	28/04/2010	1420	Three thieves hit victim on the head, punched him on the nose and stole property before running off. 1) Male, Mediterranean appearance, in a light blue t-shirt and black cargo trousers 2) black, male, aged 16 3) no useful description available.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	MOYSER ROAD	28/04/2010	0115	18 year old black male pushed victim to the ground, kicked his head and stole his phone and shoes.	FURZEDOWN
				NO ROBBERIES WERE REPORTED ON THIS WARD	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	TRINITY ROAD	28/04/2010	0852	14 year old black male, wearing a black hooded top, black puffa jacket and black trousers, grabbed victim's iPod and punched her in the face, knocking her to the ground.	NIGHTINGALE

Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	03/05/2010	1205	20 year old male offered to sell victims an iPod, then stole property from them when they refused. He was of Mediterranean appearance in a light blue hooded top and blue jeans.	TOOTING
Robbery business property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	04/05/2010	1315	Two males on a black scooter attacked security guard from behind, pushed him and stole empty cash box. One was in black clothing with a motorcycle helmet and the other had a black tracksuit top and trousers, black Nike gloves and a black crash helmet with an orange sticker.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	30/04/2010	2230	Five thieves threatened victims in restaurant with a knife and knuckleduster and demanded property. 1) Black, aged 16, in a black hooded top 2) male, aged 16 3) male, black, aged 16, in a black hooded top 4) male, black, aged 16, in a dark grey hooded top and black tracksuit trousers 5) male, black, aged 16, in a hooded black jacket, black jeans and black trainers.	TOOTING
Robbery business property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	30/04/2010	1510	20 year old black female entered jeweller's shop, then held knife to customer's neck, causing injury. She then demanded access to rear of premises and struggled with staff, resulting in knife wounds to their hands.	TOOTING
				NO ROBBERIES WERE REPORTED ON THIS WARD	WANDSWORTH COMMON

BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Attempted burglary dwelling	BRIERLEY ROAD	29/04/2010	2000	29/04/2010	2155	Burglar broke glass in rear kitchen door in attempt to enter.	BEDFORD
Burglary non-residential	DR JOHNSON AVENUE	01/05/2010	0001	03/05/2010	0800	Burglar forced open a metal shutter and stole goods from building.	BEDFORD
Burglary non-residential	ELMBOURNE ROAD	20/04/2010	2230	21/04/2010	1800	Intruder entered through communal door and stole unlocked bicycle.	BEDFORD
Burglary non-residential	BURNTWOOD LANE	27/04/2010	1600	28/04/2010	0800	Intruder entered, then forced open internal door and attempted to get into loft	EARLSFIELD
Attempted burglary non-residential	GARRATT LANE	30/04/2010	0337			Burglar broke gate to yard then attempted to force open rear door of store.	EARLSFIELD

Attempted burglary dwelling	VANDERBILT ROAD	28/04/2010	2300	29/04/2010	0730	Burglar forced window whilst victim was asleep, but was prevented from entering by window lock.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	CLAIRVIEW ROAD	01/05/2010	2200	02/05/2010	0345	Intruder entered through rear door and stole items.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	SPALDING ROAD	15/04/2010	1030	15/04/2010	1045	During fire drill victim's camera was stolen from his room.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	COTEFORD STREET	01/05/2010	0200	01/05/2010	0800	Burglar forced sash window, reached in and stole laptop and car keys, then stole car from street.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	MITCHAM ROAD	28/04/2010	0358			Intruder forced entry and entered before being disturbed.	GRAVENEY
Attempted burglary dwelling	SELLINCOURT ROAD	02/05/2010	1300	02/05/2010	2145	Intruder attempted to enter by kicking front door then levering window.	GRAVENEY
Burglary non-residential	CHESTNUT GROVE	28/04/2010	1630	29/04/2010	0830	Burglar climbed wall into garden from railway, broke glass panel in door with a flower pot and stole cash.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary non-residential	BEEHCROFT ROAD	30/04/2010	0030	30/04/2010	0033	25 year old white male, dressed in a dark hooded top and dark jeans, broke side window, entered and was searching premises before being scared off by victim.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	DERINTON ROAD	22/04/2010	0700	22/04/2010	1500	Two 18 year old white burglar, one female, climbed through open window and stole property.	TOOTING
Attempted burglary non-residential	FIRCROFT ROAD	30/04/2010	1800	04/05/2010	0800	Intruder damaged panelling on shed door.	TOOTING
Attempted distraction burglary dwelling	FOSS ROAD	24/04/2010	1905	24/04/2010	1915	Two white males, one aged 20, entered after claiming to be from water board, and searched flat whilst the occupier was distracted.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	HAZELHURST ROAD	29/04/2010	2200	29/04/2010	2250	Burglar broke in to flat and stole items.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	SELKIRK ROAD	24/04/2010	1700	24/04/2010	1900	Property stolen from house, believed to have been by three Asian males carrying out work there. They were aged 19, 28 and 40.	TOOTING
Attempted burglary dwelling	TOOTING GROVE	30/04/2010	2200	01/05/2010	0020	Burglar unsuccessfully attempted to force front door, causing damage.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	TOOTING HIGH	02/05/2010	1430	02/05/2010	1815	Burglar entered first floor flat above shop, searched it and stole items.	TOOTING

	STREET						
Burglary dwelling	JESSICA ROAD	30/04/2010	0130	30/04/2010	0600	Burglar climbed over several gardens then forced rear door of house, entered and stole property.	WANDSWORTH COMMON

WHO TO CONTACT IF YOU CAN HELP?

If you can help solve any of the crimes mentioned above, or can assist in identifying the person(s) responsible, please contact your local police station on **020 7350 1122**, or your local Safer Neighbourhood Team, details of which can be found at :- <http://bit.ly/cpF9u> . 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 <https://online.met.police.uk/> . This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is *not* required.

ASSISTANCE

Don't forget the new non-emergency number for contacting the police: - 0300 123 1212

Putney Police Sector Office, Putney High Street (next to the cinema), for crime prevention advice, property marking, etc. Open from Monday to Friday between 11am and 2pm and on Saturday from 10am to 2pm.

Age Concern Wandsworth, at 549 Old York Road, London, SW18, **tel. 020 8877 8940** can offer advice and assistance to the over-50s, whether or not you have been a victim of crime.

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 their branches to ask for assistance.

FLaSH - Free home security and fire safety checks are available for **all** residents in the borough, including the installation of free smoke detectors and locks on doors and windows where required. If you would like more information on this service, please contact Donna on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail vs.wandsworth@vslondon.org. Victim Support Wandsworth manages this service.

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.