

# Tooting Crime Briefing

8 July, 2010



## Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 1 July and 8 July, 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	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	01/07/2010	1710	Two 13 year old black males punched victim on the back of the head whilst he was travelling on a 155 bus, then stole his rucksack.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	<b>BUSHNELL ROAD</b>	03/07/2010	1310	15 year old white male attempted to take victim's bag, but, after a struggle, was unsuccessful .	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	<b>ELMFIELD ROAD</b>	30/06/2010	2240	15 year old pushed victims against a wall and demanded property.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	<b>NIMROD ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	1445	16 year old white male in a black jacket threatened victim and attempted to steal from him.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	<b>PENDLE ROAD</b>	03/06/2010	0245	Two black males assaulted and threatened female victim and stole property. 1) Aged 12, in a light grey hooded jumper and dark clothing 2) aged 15, in a black hooded top and dark clothing.	FURZEDOWN

Robbery personal property	<b>ASHVALE ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	2150	By two Asian males, one aged 20, in a red t-shirt, blue jeans and white trainers. No further details available.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	1620	Two 20 year old black males threatened victim with a knife and demanded property. Both wore blue jeans and white t-shirts.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	<b>ENDLESHAM ROAD</b>	03/07/2010	2345	Thief grabbed victim from behind and snatched her handbag.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	<b>BLACKSHAW ROAD</b>	01/07/2010	1410	20 year old black male took victim's mobile phone by force.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	<b>TOOTING GROVE</b>	04/07/2010	0042	Two 20 year old black males threatened victim with a knife and stole his wallet and iPhone. One wore a blue t-shirt and black jeans and the other wore a black t-shirt and jeans.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	<b>BELLEVUE ROAD</b>	02/07/2010	1830	Two thieves demanded victim's bag and stole it. 1) Male, white, aged 14, in a black t-shirt and grey tracksuit trousers 2) male, black, aged 13, in a red t-shirt.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Robbery personal property	<b>BELLEVUE ROAD</b>	03/07/2010	2310	Victims were threatened and searched by two thieves who searched their bags and attempted to steal handbag. They were both 15 year old black males, one in a grey jumper with a Mickey Mouse motif and light blue jeans.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Robbery personal property	<b>BELLEVUE ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	1755	Two black males, aged 15 and 18, stole victims' bikes. They managed to retrieve them but were assaulted by the thieves when they tried to steal the bikes again.	WANDSWORTH COMMON

### BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary non-residential	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	2020	05/07/2010	2030	Burglar entered club through main entrance, then stole cash box from till.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	<b>CHERITON SQUARE</b>	04/07/2010	0845			Intruder opened front door, activating alarm and waking victim.	BEDFORD
Burglary non-residential	<b>DOCTOR JOHNSON AVENUE</b>	28/06/2010	2100	29/06/2010	0850	Thief broke into hut and stole sweets, balls and tennis racquets.	BEDFORD

Burglary dwelling	<b>RITHERDON ROAD</b>	04/07/2010	0230	04/07/2010	0330	Burglar climbed over gate, then climbed ladder to first floor, forced entry to bed-sit and took property before leaving through front door. He was wearing dark clothing and a balaclava.	BEDFORD
Distraction burglary dwelling	<b>GARRATT LANE</b>	01/07/2010	1130	01/07/2010	1150	50 year old male was allowed into flat after posing as a decorator, distracted victim and stole cash. He was wearing a blue t-shirt, pale blue jeans and trainers.	EARLSFIELD
Attempted burglary non-residential	<b>MITCHAM LANE</b>	04/07/2010	1600	04/07/2010	1630	Burglar broke small leaded window, reached through and opened front door.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>MITCHAM LANE</b>	03/07/2010	1800	03/07/2010	2300	Two intruders entered flat through open window, searched premises and damaged fish tank and television. They were both white, aged 20, one male and the other female.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary non-residential	<b>MOYSER ROAD</b>	02/07/2010	2000	03/07/2010	0430	Burglar broke wooden panel in bottom of door and entered flat.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>BLAKENHAM ROAD</b>	02/07/2010	2300	03/07/2010	0230	Burglar slipped latch on front door, entered and searched house.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	<b>ESWYN ROAD</b>	29/06/2010	0845	29/06/2010	1930	Thief entered and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	<b>OTTERBURN STREET</b>	05/07/2010	0850	05/07/2010	1815	Intruder entered, searched premises and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	<b>ASHDOWN WAY</b>	30/06/2010	1100	30/06/2010	1920	Thief walked into house and stole items.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary non-residential	<b>DALEBURY ROAD</b>	01/07/2010	2230	02/07/2010	0745	Intruder broke into shed and removed power tool.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	<b>NEVIS ROAD</b>	29/06/2010	0745	29/06/2010	1835	Burglar forced rear door and entered.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	<b>TRINITY ROAD</b>	06/07/2010	1330	06/07/2010	1630	Intruder entered, possibly with a key, and attempted to break into drawer before being disturbed.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary non-residential	<b>UPPER TOOTING PARK</b>	02/07/2010	2100	02/07/2010	2110	Two 20 year old white males entered insecure shed in back garden. One had no top on, and the other had a white top.	NIGHTINGALE
Distraction burglary dwelling	<b>BLAKENHAM ROAD</b>	22/06/2010	1400	27/06/2010	1500	Two 30 year old white males, one in a light grey raincoat, entered after posing as police officers and stole jewellery.	TOOTING

Attempted burglary dwelling	<b>BROADWATER ROAD</b>	03/07/2010	2230	03/07/2010	2231	Intruder damaged double glazed window and door lock in attempt to enter.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	<b>FISHPONDS ROAD</b>	29/06/2010	1500			Intruder slipped latch on communal door and door of flat and entered.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	<b>UPPER TOOTING ROAD</b>	03/07/2010	1840			Burglar entered and stole hammer.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	<b>UPPER TOOTING ROAD</b>	02/07/2010	2200	02/07/2010	2359	Burglar slipped latch on front door and stole items.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	<b>BEVIN SQUARE</b>	01/06/2010	2330	02/06/2010	0800	Thief entered garage and stole bike.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Burglary dwelling	<b>EARLSFIELD ROAD</b>	05/07/2010	0100	05/07/2010	0700	Thief entered through unlocked back door and stole electrical items.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Burglary dwelling	<b>MOUNTBATTEN MEWS</b>	30/06/2010	1330	30/06/2010	1415	Thief entered and stole wallet.	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](mailto: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.