



Tooting Crime Briefing

8 June, 2005

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 2 June and 8 June, 2005

STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery	RAVENSWOOD ROAD	03/06/2005	0045	Suspect got off moped, tried to grab victim's bag and threatened to stab her. After a struggle the bag split and the thief stole purse. He was wearing a black jacket, black trousers, gloves, and a black motorcycle helmet with a black visor.
Street Robbery	BLEGBOROUGH ROAD	04/06/2005	2200	The victim was threatened by three thieves who demanded his money. When he refused he was beaten up. 1) Male, black, aged 20 2) & 3) male, black, aged 19.
Street Robbery	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	06/06/2005	2000	40 year old white male, wearing a long green coat, held victim around throat and demanded money.
Street Robbery	WEST DRIVE	06/06/2005	2330	Two suspects pushed victim to ground and demanded his wallet and phone. Both were black, aged 18. One wore a black jacket and trousers and the other had a red hooded top, black tracksuit trousers, black duffle coat and black baseball cap.



Theft Snatch	BEDFORD HILL	03/06/2005	1230	Two thieves riding scooters mounted the pavement and snatched victims mobile phone and shoulder bag. 1) Male, wearing a helmet and a grey sweatshirt, and riding a purple scooter 2) male, wearing a black hooded top over a helmet and riding a blue scooter.
Street Robbery	WELHAM ROAD	02/06/2005	2245	Two 25 year old black males threatened victim with a knife and stole property. One wore a dark grey hooded top and white trainers and the other had a hooded top with white writing on.
Street Robbery	NOTTINGHAM ROAD	06/06/2005	1500	Victim approached by three suspects who demanded his mobile. When the victim refused he was assaulted then handed over his phone. 1) Male, white, aged 16, in a light blue sweatshirt and dark trousers 2) male, white, aged 16, in dark trousers and a light beige jacket 3) male, aged 16, dark-skinned European, in a black jacket and trousers.

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Residential Burglary	TRINITY ROAD	02/06/2005	2000	03/06/2005	0230	Intruder forced entry to communal front door then forced entry to an individual flat, entered and stole.
Non-Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	02/06/2005	1645	02/06/2005	1650	Thief leant over counter and snatched prescriptions.



Non-Residential Burglary	TOOTING HIGH STREET	02/06/2005 1700 03/06/2005 0630	Burglar broke in through front glass door, stole till and damaged other property.
Non-Residential Burglary	NIGHTINGALE LANE	06/06/2005 0130 06/06/2005 0200	Burglar entered enclosed yard and tried to force open louvre windows.
Residential Burglary	BOUNDARIES ROAD	01/06/2005 0030 01/06/2005 0830	Thief entered overnight through open window.
Residential Burglary	BUSHNELL ROAD	01/06/2005 1000 04/06/2005 2000	Burglar attempted to open a window to gain entry.
Residential Burglary	MITCHAM LANE	02/06/2005 0900 02/06/2005 1800	Burglar smashed panel on door then searched premises and stole property, leaving through patio door. He was black, aged 25, in a black 3/4 length leather jacket.
Residential Burglary	YUKON ROAD	03/06/2005 1100	Burglar forced door with tool and attempted to enter.
Residential Burglary	HURON ROAD	04/06/2005 0940 04/06/2005 2100	Intruder entered through kitchen window, then caused damage and stole items.
Residential Burglary	RAVENSWOOD ROAD	04/06/2005 2020 05/06/2005 0115	Intruder forced patio door, entered and stole.

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.