



## Tooting Crime Briefing

9 February, 2005

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 3 February and 9 February, 2005

### STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery		4/2/2005	1810	Suspect punched victim in chest, threatened him and stole his dog and mobile phone.
Commercial Robbery	<b>TRINITY ROAD</b>	5/2/2005	1550	Four female suspects, of Arab appearance, entered shop. While one held the female victim another searched through and stole her property. 1) Aged 30, in "Muslim dress" 2) aged 19, in white collared top and black trousers 3) aged 30, in long dark jacket 4) aged 30, in short black jacket and brown jeans, and wearing glasses.
Street Robbery	<b>TEMPERLEY ROAD</b>	18/1/2005	1330	Three suspects stopped victims and took property by force, spraying paint in face of one victim. 1) Male, aged 16, white, in red hooded top and navy or black coat 2) male, black, aged 16, in dark green zip-up jacket, hooded top and grey tracksuit trousers 3) male, white, aged 16, in dark grey Nike hooded top.
Street Robbery	<b>TOOTING BEC ROAD</b>	25/1/2005	1550	Three black suspects, all aged about 20, pushed victim from his bike and stole it. One had a red hooded top and another a grey hooded top.
Street Robbery	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	4/2/2005	2245	Suspect in a white car approached victim who was on her mobile phone, slapped her across the face and stole the phone, then made off.
Street Robbery	<b>BROXASH ROAD</b>	5/2/2005	1915	Three male suspects intimidated victims, then searched them and stole property. 1) Male, black, aged 15, in a dark hooded top 2) male, 16 yrs, mixed race, in a dark hooded top 3) male, aged 17, of Greek/Turkish appearance, in a dark hooded top and black gloves.



Street Robbery	<b>FERNTHORPE ROAD</b>	5/2/2005	0001	As victim was walking home she was followed by two suspects who pulled at her handbag then pushing her to the ground and stole property. Both were black, male, aged 20, in black clothing.
Street Robbery	<b>BALHAM HILL</b>	7/2/2005	1600	Two suspects threatened victim with a knife and demanded money. 1) Male, black, aged 14, in a dark blue hooded top 2) male, white, aged 14, in a dark blue hooded top.
Street Robbery	<b>BEEHCROFT ROAD</b>	8/2/2005	0040	Two thieves threatened victims with violence and stole property. 1) Male, black, aged 30, with earrings in both ears, wearing a brown jumper and blue jeans 2) male, Asian, aged 30, in a black winter jacket and blue jeans.
Street Robbery	<b>CATHLES ROAD</b>	8/2/2005	0030	Victim was pushed to the ground by two suspects, his mobile was taken then he was searched and further items stolen. They then kicked him in the head.
Theft Snatch	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	02/02/2005	2125	Black male, aged 25, snatched victim's mobile phone.
Theft Snatch	<b>LIMETREE WALK</b>	6/2/2005	1830	Two suspects grabbed phone from victim. Both were white, aged 20, in dark jackets.

### BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>LONGLEY ROAD</b>	5/2/2005	1000	5/2/2005	1600	Burglar broke window, entered office and stole property.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	4/2/2005	1745	5/2/2005	0830	Suspect entered enclosed forecourt, stole property and damaged security equipment.



Non-Residential Burglary	<b>HARBERSON ROAD</b>	3/2/2005 1830	4/2/2005 0830	Intruder entered and stole.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>NIGHTINGALE LANE</b>	3/2/2005 0130	3/2/2005 0132	Two suspects forced entry through front door and stole property. 1) Male, white, wearing a long dark jacket and a baseball cap, and carrying a large bag 2) male, white, aged 30, scruffy looking, in a baggy jacket.
Residential Burglary	<b>PENWORTHAM ROAD</b>	8/2/2005 1030	8/2/2005 1215	Intruder broke glass panel in front door, entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>ROOKSTONE ROAD</b>	8/2/2005 2140		Suspect attempted to enter house under renovation by repeatedly hitting door with scaffold pole, and attempting to lever it open with a metal bar. He was white, aged 42, in a blue jumper, dark blue trousers and black steel toe-cap boots.
Residential Burglary	<b>BRODERICK ROAD</b>	7/2/2005 0830	7/2/2005 2200	Suspects entered from garden at rear through an open door, then forced another door and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>HOYLE ROAD</b>	7/2/2005 0830	7/2/2005 2205	Two female suspects, one aged 40, the other 20, broke in through main door then broke into flat through door and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	6/2/2005 2230		Suspect entered through second floor kitchen sash window.
Residential Burglary	<b>SHIPKA ROAD</b>	6/2/2005 1630	6/2/2005 2130	Suspect broke front window of house, released window latches and entered.
Residential Burglary	<b>GATTON ROAD</b>	5/2/2005 1400	6/2/2005 0001	Intruder entered through insecure window and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>TRINITY ROAD</b>	5/2/2005 1000	5/2/2005 2000	Communal door servicing three residential flats was kicked in attempt to force entry, causing damage.



Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM PARK RD</b>	4/2/2005 0745	4/2/2005 2100	Burglar entered and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>DORNTON ROAD</b>	4/2/2005 1500	4/2/2005 1845	Burglar attempted to force entry through front door, causing damage.
Residential Burglary	<b>NOTTINGHAM ROAD</b>	4/2/2005 0711	4/2/2005 2229	Suspect entered and stole car keys whilst victim was at work.
Residential Burglary	<b>EARDLEY RD</b>	3/2/2005 0730		Burglar used large stone to break patio door, entered and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>OLD DEVONSHIRE ROAD</b>	3/2/2005 1000	3/2/2005 1900	Burglar broke window and stole cash.
Residential Burglary	<b>ST. JAMES TERRACE, BOUNDARIES ROAD</b>	2/2/2005 0900	2/2/2005 1900	Vehicle interfered with whilst in garage.

## 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 8374**

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/](http://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.