

Tooting Crime Briefing

9 February, 2007

If you are able to provide any information on terrorist offences, call the Anti-Terrorist Hotline, on **0800 789 321**.

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 1 February and 9 February, 2007

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	BALHAM STATION ROAD	06/02/2007	1815	Black male, aged 16, held knife to victim and demanded his mobile phone.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	ORMELEY ROAD	04/02/2007	1700	Two thieves grabbed victim, threatened her with a bottle and stole her bag. 1) Aged 15, female, in a black and white striped top 2) aged 15, male, black, in a dark hooded top.	BALHAM
Theft snatch	SOUTHCROFT ROAD	02/02/2007	1530	Three black males snatched victim's mobile phone. 1) Aged 19, in navy trousers and dark clothing 2) aged 17, in dark clothing 3) aged 18, in a black hooded jacket with two white stripes and dark trousers.	BALHAM
Theft snatch	WESTBURY PARADE	31/01/2007	1330	Two black males, aged about 16, grabbed chain from victim's neck and then assaulted him.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	08/02/2007	0115	Victim approached by 30 year old male of Mediterranean appearance who demanded property and threatened to kill him.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	FRANCISCAN ROAD	27/01/2007	2330	18 year old black male threatened victim with a knife and stole ring. He was wearing a grey jacket, with a target on the front, black jeans and a black woollen hat.	BEDFORD

Robbery personal property	LOUISVILLE ROAD	05/02/2007	1818	Victim was chased by a group of about six males, who pulled him to the ground, punched and kicked him and searched his pockets. They were all black, aged about 18; one was in grey clothing, holding a crutch, and most of the others wore red.	BEDFORD
Theft snatch	GARRATT LANE	20/01/2007	2330	Victim's mobile phone was snatched whilst he was using it by three black males, aged about 17, one in a red tracksuit and one in a grey tracksuit.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	GARRETT LANE	05/02/2007	2030	Victim was grabbed from behind by two males while a black female, aged about 15 stole his phone.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	SWANDLE WAY	31/01/2007	0945	Two black males in hooded top, one aged about 17 and the other 18, demanded victims phone.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	WIX'S LANE	06/02/2007	1020	Two black males aged about 20 pushed victim to ground and stole cash.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	NORTH DRIVE	02/02/2007	1730	Three black males, one aged about 17, followed victim off bus then punched and slapped him and tried to steal property.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	29/01/2007	1300	Victim's bag and contents stolen.	GRAVENEY
Theft snatch	TOOTING HIGH STREET	03/02/2007	1100	Victim's bag was taken from her arm by two males, one of Chinese appearance, aged about 30.	GRAVENEY
Theft snatch	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	30/01/2007	1600	Two black girls, aged 14 and 15, asked victim on bus if they could see his phone, then stole it.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	CROCKERTON ROAD	31/01/2007	1700	14 year old black boy punched victim on the arm and stole his bike.	NIGHTINGALE

Robbery personal property	SARSELD ROAD	07/02/2007	1750	Victim was punched to the floor and his wallet was stolen by three thieves. Two were black, one in a black hooded top and the other in a grey hooded top. The other was white, in a black hooded top. All were aged about 17.	NIGHTINGALE
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Robbery personal property	GATTON ROAD	06/02/2007	2045	Victim's mobile phone was taken by two black males, aged about 30. Both wore black jackets; one had a red cap and the other had a black beanie hat.	TOOTING
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Robbery personal property	HILLBROOK ROAD	03/02/2007	0001	Asian male, aged 22, searched victim and stole property. He was wearing a black jacket, grey trousers and woollen gloves.	TOOTING
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Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	30/01/2007	1830	As victim got off a bus two black males demanded property and punched him when he refused. One was about 15, black, in a black jumper black trousers and a black cap, and the other was also black, aged 15, in a blue jumper and trousers and a black cap. He also wore a gold sovereign ring.	TOOTING
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Robbery personal property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	02/02/2007	1241	Passport and cash taken from victim's bag	TOOTING
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BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	BALHAM NEW ROAD	06/02/2007	1500	06/02/2007	2000	Thief kicked open front door and stole puppy, no description available.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	TEMPERLEY ROAD	03/02/2007	1200	04/02/2007	0120	Thief kicked open front door, searched premises and stole property.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	BEDFORD HILL	03/02/2007	1300	03/02/2007	1830	Intruder entered and stole.	BEDFORD

Burglary dwelling	DAFFORNE ROAD	07/02/2007	0815	07/02/2007	1830	Intruder entered and removed property.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	BARMOUTH ROAD	30/01/2007	0840	30/01/2007	1845	Burglar entered through communal door then forced entry to flat and stole.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	BEEMANS ROW	02/02/2007	1800	04/02/2007	1230	Burglar forced lock with tool, entered and stole.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	HERITAGE PLACE	07/02/2007	0815	07/02/2007	1830	Burglar forced entry and stole.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	SWAFFIELD ROAD	31/01/2007	0915	31/01/2007	1030	Thief entered through insecure door, entered and removed items.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	WAVERTON ROAD	15/01/2007	1900	20/01/2007	1959	White male, aged about 16, entered bedroom and stole items.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	NIMROD ROAD	02/02/2007	0200	02/02/2007	0720	Thief used tool to force entry, then stole items.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	WOODNOOK ROAD	04/02/2007	0600	04/02/2007	0615	Intruder entered through front door which had been left open and stole handbag and laptop computer.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	SELLINCOURT ROAD	02/02/2007	0530	02/02/2007	1830	Thief entered through communal door then broke door of flat, entered and stole.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	TOTTERDOWN STREET	03/02/2007	1700	03/02/2007	1900	Thief entered and stole.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	RAMSDEN ROAD	03/02/2007	1915	03/02/2007	2225	Burglar kicked open front door and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ST. JAMES'S CLOSE	07/02/2007	1000	07/02/2007	1200	Thief kicked open front door, entered and stole.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ST. JAMES'S CLOSE	01/02/2007	0720	01/02/2007	1645	Thief slipped latch, entered and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	FAIRLIGHT ROAD	07/02/2007	1355			Intruder rang bell and knocked on door then entered, leaving when disturbed inside house by occupier. He was aged about 40, black, wearing a blue jacket and large gloves.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	FIRCROFT ROAD	07/02/2007	1930	07/02/2007	2000	Black male in white hat kicked open front door, entered and stole.	TOOTING

Burglary dwelling	GATTON ROAD	06/02/2007	1430	06/02/2007	1435	Thief slipped latch on front door, entered and stole from bedroom.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	GLENBURNIE ROAD	06/02/2007	0730	06/02/2007	2000	Thief entered at rear and took items.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	MOFFAT ROAD	31/01/2007	1130	31/01/2007	2200	Burglar entered and stole.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	TOOTING HIGH STREET	02/02/2007	0830	02/02/2007	1750	Black male, aged about 28, entered and stole. He was wearing a blue top and blue jeans, carrying a clipboard and a bag.	TOOTING

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 **Tooting Police Sector Office on 020 8247 8383** or **Wandsworth Control Room on 020 7350 1122** (24 hrs).

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

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, tel. 0208 870 2020 can 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.

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 Zainab on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail flash@vswandsworth.org.uk . This service is managed by Victim Support Wandsworth.

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.