

Tooting Crime Briefing

9 July, 2009



Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 2 July and 9 July, 2009

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	EARDLEY ROAD	07/07/2009	1120	Three males assaulted victim on doorstep, then forced her inside, assaulting her again and threatening her with a gun and secateurs, then stole cash. 1) Male, white, aged 18 2) male, black, aged 23 3) male, black, aged 35.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	30/06/2009	1445	25 year old Asian male punched victim in the head several times and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	CHURCH LANE	30/06/2009	1605	Victims were threatened and assaulted by three 14 year old males who stole property from them. 1) white, in a grey t-shirt and jogging trousers 2) white, in a red t-shirt 3) black, wearing a black hooded top and trousers.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	RECTORY LANE	29/06/2009	2345	Two black males kicked victim and stole property. One was aged 17, in cropped trousers and white trainers with a red stripe.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	07/07/2009	0115	Two thieves asked victim for bus fare, then stole cash. 1) Male, black, aged 17, in a black zip-up jacket, black trousers, black trainers and a black baseball cap 2) male, Asian, aged 17, in a brown zip-up jacket and brown leather trainers.	TOOTING

BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	BEDFORD HILL	02/07/2009	1100	02/07/2009	2230	Intruder climbed rear garden wall, then climbed into flat through fanlight window.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	CHERITON SQUARE	30/06/2009	0900	30/06/2009	1530	Intruder forced entry and stole items.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	CLOUDESDALE ROAD	03/07/2009	0220	03/07/2009	0225	25 year old black male forced sash window, searched premises and stole property. He was wearing a green/blue short sleeved shirt, black trousers and black gloves.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	ELMBOURNE ROAD	03/07/2009	2335			Male, wearing a light blue t-shirt and dark blue trousers, forced rear doors, entered and put items in a bin bag before being disturbed by the occupier and leaving.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	FOXBOURNE ROAD	03/07/2009	0030	03/07/2009	0800	Thief entered through open window and stole items.	BEDFORD
Attempted burglary dwelling	GARRATT LANE	22/06/2009	0900	01/07/2009	0000	Thief attempted to force front door, causing damage.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	WANDLE ROAD	07/07/2009	1845	07/07/2009	1850	Burglar entered rear garden through side gate, then used garden spade to force open door, activating alarm.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	ALDRINGTON ROAD	05/07/2009	1930	05/07/2009	2100	Thief reached through fanlight window, unlocked larger window and entered.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	COLWYN CLOSE	06/07/2009	1000			Intruder forced back door, entered and removed property.	FURZEDOWN
Attempted burglary dwelling	CROWBOROUGH ROAD	08/07/2009	0300	08/07/2009	0320	Burglar attempted to force front sash window with a screwdriver but ran off when disturbed by victim. He was a 20 year old black male, wearing a dark long-sleeved quilted jacket.	FURZEDOWN
Attempted burglary dwelling	LEVERSON STREET	08/07/2009	0200	08/07/2009	0205	Burglar used tool in attempt to force front bedroom window whilst victim was asleep inside.	FURZEDOWN

Attempted burglary dwelling	MITCHAM LANE	02/07/2009	0059			Burglar damaged door, lock and door frame in attempt to enter.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	PARKLANDS ROAD	30/06/2009	0030	30/06/2009	0500	Intruder entered through front ground floor window and searched premises.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	PENDLE ROAD	30/06/2009	0030	30/06/2009	0630	Burglar climbed through front ground floor window and stole property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	PENDLE ROAD	30/06/2009	0001	30/06/2009	0730	Thief entered through open front window, stole property then unlocked rear window to leave.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	ENDLESHAM ROAD	04/07/2009	2300	05/07/2009	0930	Burglar slipped latch, entered and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	SARSFELD ROAD	04/07/2009	2330			Thief forced sash window, entered and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	TRINITY ROAD	06/07/2009	0800			Burglar forced door of flat, breaking down frame, entered and stole items.	NIGHTINGALE
Attempted burglary dwelling	TRINITY ROAD	06/07/2009	0800			Burglar attempted to force entry to flat.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	TRINITY ROAD	06/07/2009	1100	06/07/2009	1500	Burglar slipped latch on communal front door, then forced door of flat, damaging frame, and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	28/06/2009	1100	28/06/2009	1426	Thief entered through communal door and stole bicycle that had been locked to railing.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	HEATHFIELD ROAD	04/07/2009	0200	04/07/2009	0645	Thief entered ground floor flat through open bedroom window whilst victim was asleep and stole two mobile phones and a laptop.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Burglary dwelling	WESTOVER ROAD	30/06/2009	2300	01/07/2009	0530	Thief reached through cat flap, stole keys and then 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 those responsible, please contact your local police station on **0300 123 1212**, or your local Safer Neighbourhood Team, details of which can be found at :- <http://bit.ly/127C1D>
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.

ASSISTANCE

Contacting the police.

The new non-emergency number for contacting the police is: - **0300 123 1212**. This can be used for contacting any police unit in London.

Crimes can now be reported online, through <https://online.met.police.uk/>. This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

Reporting anti-social behaviour

If you know about or can identify anyone who is harassing you or others, causing real alarm or distress, then please report it to your local police. If you are a council or housing association tenant report it to your estate manager or your local housing office. Further information about anti-social behaviour and what can be done about it can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/cretzm>

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 call Victim Support on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail flash@vswandsworth.org.uk .

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.

Wandsworth Council has a great deal of useful information on crime prevention on the Community Safety web pages at :-
<http://tinyurl.com/dblkbe>