

Tooting Crime Briefing

10 June, 2010



Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 3 June and 10 June, 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 |
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| Theft snatch | BEDFORD HILL | 08/06/2010 | 1220 | As victim was walking her dog a black male, aged 14, snatched her phone. He was wearing a black hooded top, grey t-shirt, blue jeans and black trainers. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | BEDFORD HILL | 05/06/2010 | 0250 | Two 22 year old black males pushed victim off his bike, held him round the neck and stole property. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | BEDFORD HILL | 07/06/2010 | 1830 | Two 14 year old white males grabbed victim's arm, demanded her Walkman and intimated they had a weapon, but she managed to break away. They both wore black blazers, black trousers and a black, yellow and red striped tie. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | BEDFORD HILL | 07/06/2010 | 1750 | No details available. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | DR JOHNSON'S AVENUE | 02/06/2010 | 2020 | Four thieves demanded property, stole items then punched victims and stole more property. 1) Female, black, aged 16 2) male, South American appearance, in dark clothing with a woollen hat 3) male, black, aged 16 4) male, black, aged 16, in dark clothing. | BEDFORD |

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| Robbery personal property | FONTENOY ROAD | 05/06/2010 | 2355 | Thief, no useful description, rode past victim then grabbed her by the throat, threatened her with a knife and stole her handbag. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | TOOTING BEC COMMON | 08/06/2010 | 1150 | 15 year old black male, wearing black jeans and a black hooded top, exposed himself to female victim, indecently assaulted her and stole her bag and mobile phone. | BEDFORD |
| Robbery personal property | IDLECOMBE ROAD | 06/06/2010 | 2335 | Black male on a bicycle pushed victim from behind, causing her to fall, and snatched her bag. | FURZEDOWN |
| Robbery personal property | WEST DRIVE | 02/06/2010 | 2340 | Three thieves assaulted victim, resulting in serious injury, and stole property. 1) Female, white, aged 20 2) female, white, aged 25, in dark clothing 3) male, black, in a white t-shirt. | FURZEDOWN |
| Robbery personal property | UNDINE STREET | 01/06/2010 | 2210 | Two black males threatened victim with a knife and stole a mobile phone, wallet and keys. | GRAVENEY |
| Robbery personal property | BOUNDARIES ROAD | 07/06/2010 | 2250 | 18 year old black male demanded victim's handbag, then snatched it and ran off to awaiting vehicle (no description available). | NIGHTINGALE |
| Robbery personal property | TUNLEY ROAD | 02/06/2010 | 2300 | Two 14 year old white males attempted to snatch victim's purse. One wore a white hooded top, black trousers and white trainers and the other had a grey and orange tracksuit top and dark trousers. | NIGHTINGALE |

BURGLARY

| Crime | Venue | Date from | Time from | Date to | Time to | Method | Ward |
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| Burglary dwelling | RITHERDON ROAD | 29/05/2010 | 1800 | 06/06/2010 | 2300 | Burglar broke into flat and stole a laptop and cash. | BEDFORD |
| Burglary non-residential | TOOTING BEC ROAD | 06/06/2010 | 2015 | 07/06/2010 | 0530 | Burglar broke in through roof, cut open safe and stole large amount of cash. | BEDFORD |
| Burglary dwelling | BURNTWOOD LANE | 03/06/2010 | 1730 | 04/06/2010 | 0935 | Burglar broke glass in door then used keys left in door to enter and steal items. | EARLSFIELD |
| Burglary dwelling | FRESHFORD STREET | 05/06/2010 | 0840 | 05/06/2010 | 0843 | Thief entered house through open door and stole laptop whilst victim was indoors. He was a 20 year old black male, wearing a blue t-shirt and trousers and a black cap. | EARLSFIELD |

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| Attempted burglary dwelling | BLEGBOROUGH ROAD | 05/06/2010 | 2310 | 05/06/2010 | 2315 | Black male in a white hooded top attempted to enter through open front window. | FURZEDOWN |
| Burglary dwelling | NIMROD ROAD | 03/06/2010 | 1415 | 03/06/2010 | 1600 | Thief entered and stole items. | FURZEDOWN |
| Burglary dwelling | NORTH DRIVE | 03/06/2010 | 1047 | 03/06/2010 | 1319 | Burglar forced door, entered and searched house. | FURZEDOWN |
| Theft | THRALE ROAD | 27/05/2010 | 1630 | 28/05/2010 | 0930 | Burglar entered and stole new computer. | FURZEDOWN |
| Burglary dwelling | AVARN ROAD | 07/06/2010 | 0815 | 07/06/2010 | 2015 | Thief forced ground floor sash window and then stole a laptop. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | CHERTSEY STREET | 04/06/2010 | 0905 | 04/06/2010 | 1310 | Intruder entered through insecure door and stole property. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary non-residential | MITCHAM ROAD | 01/06/2010 | 2359 | 02/06/2010 | 0346 | Intruder broke glass front door with a brick, activating alarm. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | GOSBERTON ROAD | 03/06/2010 | 0745 | 03/06/2010 | 1945 | Thief broke glass in rear door, then reached in and used keys to enter. He then stole a bicycle and keys and a BMW car from outside front of house. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary non-residential | OAKMEAD ROAD | 03/06/2010 | 1930 | 04/06/2010 | 2026 | Thief entered rear garden through insecure gate, forced lock off shed and stole a bicycle, helmet and lock. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary dwelling | OSWARD ROAD | 05/06/2010 | 2300 | 06/06/2010 | 1500 | Burglar entered through window, stole property and left through unlocked front door. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary dwelling | ROWFANT ROAD | 04/06/2010 | 1700 | 06/06/2010 | 2100 | Burglar entered flat through first floor insecure window and stole property. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary non-residential | BLACKSHAW ROAD | 08/06/2010 | 1825 | 08/06/2010 | 1830 | Burglar forced doors of club, entered and stole television. | TOOTING |
| Burglary non-residential | MANDRAKE ROAD | 05/06/2010 | 2007 | 05/06/2010 | 2024 | Black male, aged 16, forced bike shed and stole unlocked bicycle. He was wearing a cream top with green writing on and dark blue jeans. | TOOTING |
| Burglary dwelling | EARLSFIELD ROAD | 07/06/2010 | 0810 | 07/06/2010 | 1630 | Burglar entered, possibly by slipping latch, and stole items. | 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. 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.