

Tooting Crime Briefing

10 May, 2007

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 3 May and 10 May, 2007

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Theft snatch	BALHAM HILL	07/05/2007	1755	25 year old black male snatched victim's purse. He was wearing a pink t-shirt and tight light blue shorts.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	BLANDFIELD ROAD	05/05/2007	1105	Two 25 year old males pushed victim from behind and stole his rucksack. One wore a dark top and dark trousers and the other had a light coloured top, blue jeans and a dark baseball cap.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	LYTTON GROVE	01/05/2007	1500	Thief, no description, threatened to stab victim and stole his mobile phone.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	ST. JOHN'S DRIVE	06/05/2007	1620	Three thieves assaulted pizza delivery rider then stole his moped. 1) Male, white, aged 15 2) Male, Asian, aged 15 3) male, black, aged 13.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	CHARLMONT ROAD	02/05/2007	0040	28 year old black male threatened victim and stole bag. He was chased by the victim and dropped the property. He had an earring in his right ear and wore a blue woollen zip-up top.	GRAVENEY
Theft snatch	TOOTING BROADWAY	27/04/2007	1500	Two thieves snatched victim's property. 1) Male, black, aged 18, in a black top and jeans 2) male, Mediterranean appearance, aged 17, in jeans and a red top.	GRAVENEY

Robbery personal property	FOUNTAIN ROAD	07/05/2007	2000	Thief stole victim's property.	TOOTING
Theft snatch	GARRATT TERRACE	01/05/2007	1700	Two black males, aged 16, took phone from victim's pocket. One wore a red jumper and blue tracksuit trousers, and had a diamond stud in one ear; the other had a red jumper, black jeans and a black baseball cap.	TOOTING
Theft snatch	TOOTING HIGH STREET	03/05/2007	1550	Two females, aged about 28 and 32, both of Mediterranean appearance, snatched bag from victim's pushchair.	TOOTING

BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	DAGNAN ROAD	07/05/2007	07/05/2007	0500	0800	Burglar entered through ground floor living room window.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	KYRLE ROAD	30/04/2007	01/05/2007	1600	1630	Burglar slipped front door latch and stole property.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	WROUGHTON ROAD	06/05/2007	06/05/2007	1115	1930	Thief opened unlocked window, reached in and stole items from on top of television set.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	ALLFARTHING LANE	27/04/2007	27/04/2007	0900	2359	Burglar found keys then used them to enter and steal.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	DINGWALL ROAD	02/05/2007	02/05/2007	0020	0800	Burglar slipped latch, entered and removed property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	ST. GEORGES GROVE	28/04/2007	30/04/2007	1300	2100	Burglar damaged door and bedroom window in attempt to enter.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	CHARLMONT ROAD	04/05/2007	04/05/2007	1015	2340	Intruder slipped front door latch and entered.	GRAVENEY

Burglary dwelling	CHARLMONT ROAD	30/04/2007	30/04/2007	1200	2045	Burglar entered through communal door then forced door of flat and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	FRANCISCAN ROAD	02/05/2007	02/05/2007	0700	1748	Intruder smashed front ground floor window and gained entry, searched premises and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	MARIUS ROAD	03/05/2007	03/05/2007	0830	2345	Burglar kicked open door of ground floor flat, entered and stole.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	GARRATT LANE	03/05/2007	03/05/2007	1000	1400	Burglar broke panel in front door and inserted broom handle through letter-box in attempt to enter.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	GILBEY ROAD	02/05/2007	02/05/2007	1430	1730	Intruder entered flat and stole items.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	KHAMA ROAD	07/05/2007		2145		Intruder entered through front door, leaving when disturbed by telephone.	TOOTING
Distraction burglary	PEVENSEY ROAD	03/05/2007	03/05/2007	1110	1135	35 year old male posed as plumber working for housing association fixing leak. He was allowed in and started searching premises; victim called for help and he ran off. He was wearing a white open-necked shirt and fawn trousers.	TOOTING

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 <https://online.met.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 . 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.