



Tooting Crime Briefing

11 August, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 5 August and 11 August, 2004

STREET CRIME

Offence	Place	Date	Time	Method
Commercial Robbery	BALHAM HILL	04/08/2004	1510	Three suspects threatened staff with what they believed to be a handgun in a sock and demanded money from tills. All were male, 19 yrs, black, in dark clothing with black balaclavas and black gloves.
Commercial Robbery	SOUTHCROFT ROAD	06/08/2004	2140	Three suspects entered shop, pushed victim to the floor and then pushed the two victims into a cupboard while they stole property from the shop. 1) Male, black, 25 yrs, in black jacket with white line on sleeve and double white line on body 2) Male, black, in blue shirt with diamond pattern, blue baseball cap with white line around peak and sunglasses 3) Male, 25 yrs, Asian, in black jacket and baseball cap.
Street Robbery	NORTH DRIVE	07/08/2004	0200	20 year old black male, in grey hooded top and riding a pedal cycle, threatened victim with a knife and demanded property.
Street Robbery	CHURCH LANE	08/08/2004	1515	Five suspects pulled victim to ground and stole his property.
Street Robbery	TOOTING BEC COMMON	09/08/2004	2045	Four suspects kicked victim off his bike, held him against a fence and punched him. They then searched him and stole his CD player and bike. They were aged 16-17, black, and two wore dark hooded tops.
Street Robbery	MANTILLA ROAD	10/08/2004	1905	Four suspects punched victim and stole his rucksack.. All four were black, aged 16 yrs, dressed in dark clothing. One wore a baseball cap.



Theft Snatch **TOOTING** 07/08/2004 1930 Property taken from changing room as victim showered.
BEC ROAD

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to Method
Residential Burglary	TOOTING HIGH STREET	09/08/2004	0200	09/08/2004	0500 Suspect climbed onto a first floor roof, entered through open window, and stole property.
Residential Burglary	SELLINCOURT ROAD	06/08/2004	1330	06/08/2004	1900 Burglar entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	GARRATT LANE	08/08/2004	1000	09/08/2004	0015 Suspect climbed to an upper floor utility room window, forced entry and stole
Non-Residential Burglary	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	05/08/2004	1400	05/08/2004	1420 Suspect, who had previously been banned from store, hid various items in jacket and then left the store without paying. He was 38 yrs, male, black, in a white tracksuit top, grey tracksuit trousers, black trainers and blue denim jacket.
Non-Residential Burglary	THURLEIGH AVENUE	07/08/2004	1630	08/08/2004	0800 Burglar forced front door.
Non-Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	09/08/2004	1400		Three suspects entered and one jumped over a desk and stole handbag. 1) 13 yrs, male, black, wearing a dark hooded top and with a pedal cycle 2) 14 yrs, male, black, in a pale blue shirt 3) 15 yrs, black, in a blue hooded top with red and white stripe on sleeves.



Non-Residential Burglary	YUKON COURT	09/08/2004 1945	10/08/2004 0830	Suspects entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	TOOTING HIGH STREET	14/07/2004 0800	31/07/2004 1200	Window frame damaged with a tool in an attempt to enter.
Residential Burglary	BEDFORD HILL	17/07/2004 2359	19/07/2004 1200	Suspect entered property through first floor window and took property from witness's handbag
Residential Burglary	RAVENSLEA ROAD	03/08/2004 1100	04/08/2004 1145	Suspect forced entry and stole
Residential Burglary	CHARLMONT ROAD	04/08/2004 0900	04/08/2004 1620	Suspect entered through rear bedroom window and took property. He was male, black, wearing a white t-shirt, dark shorts, trainers and sunglasses.
Residential Burglary	LONGLEY ROAD	04/08/2004 1130	04/08/2004 1750	Suspect smashed rear bathroom window, entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	KENILFORD ROAD	04/08/2004 2045	04/08/2004 2130	25 year old white male in light clothing entered and stole property.
Residential Burglary	LONGLEY ROAD	04/08/2004 2300	05/08/2004 0700	Intruder entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	MORING ROAD	05/08/2004 0500	05/08/2004 1730	21 year old black male went into unlocked room and stole video camera.
Residential Burglary	TOOTING HIGH STREET	05/08/2004 0800	05/08/2004 1110	Burglar entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	HAWTHORN CRESCENT	05/08/2004 0900	05/08/2004 1900	Suspect entered premises and then took property. He was 14, black, wearing a white hooded jumper, blue tracksuit trousers and white trainers.
Residential Burglary	KENLOR ROAD	05/08/2004 0900	05/08/2004 1600	Suspect entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	COWICK ROAD	06/08/2004 1010	06/08/2004 1145	Suspects forced entry to flat through front door and stole property



Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	06/08/2004 1745	07/08/2004 0300	Suspect climbed in through window and took items shown
Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	07/08/2004 1230		Suspect walked into insecure premises and took items.
Residential Burglary	NIGHTINGALE LANE	07/08/2004 1530	07/08/2004 1700	Suspect gained entry into a ground floor flat by smashing the glass in the French windows, then stole property from bedroom.
Residential Burglary	THURLEIGH AVENUE	07/08/2004 1200	08/08/2004 1800	One of the first floor windows was broken to gain entry into the house. Some items were taken and the intruder left after breaking a ground floor door.
Residential Burglary	FRANCISCAN ROAD	08/08/2004 0600		The victim saw suspect when she woke up as he attempted to take her laptop computer. He was black, 20 yrs, wearing dark blue sports clothing.
Residential Burglary	HOYLE ROAD	08/08/2004 1500	08/08/2004 1510	Two suspects entered room whilst victim was asleep inside with the door ajar, and stole property. 1) Male, black, 30 yrs, in black t-shirt and black jogging trousers 2) Male, black, 30 yrs, in jeans and light yellow vest.
Residential Burglary	ROWFANT ROAD	08/08/2004 2230	09/08/2004 0615	Suspect forced open window then climbed into premises and stole.
Residential Burglary	RAMSDEN ROAD	08/08/2004 2359	09/08/2004 0645	Suspect entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	DALEBURY ROAD	09/08/2004 0001	09/08/2004 0800	Burglar entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	DALEBURY ROAD	09/08/2004 1200	09/08/2004 1200	Thief entered and stole purse from bag.
Residential Burglary	HILLBROOK ROAD	10/08/2004 1511		Suspect entered building, possibly by slipping latch on front door, but left when confronted by occupier. He was black, aged 21, wearing a white jacket.



Residential BEDFORD HILL Burglary	10/08/2004 1847		Suspect forced window open, put hand inside but was scared off by occupiers. He was aged about 55, black, in a grey t-shirt, trousers and a peaked cap.
Residential DEWEY STREET Burglary	10/08/2004 2130		Suspect climbed through open ground floor window, ripping curtain rails, but was disturbed and left. He was black, aged about 18.
Residential LONGLEY ROAD Burglary	10/08/2004 0800	10/08/2004 2000	Suspect forced dining room window and took property.
Residential NOYNA ROAD Burglary	10/08/2004 0800	10/08/2004 2230	Entered property and whilst inside stole a DVD player
Residential STREATHBOURNE ROAD Burglary	10/08/2004 0815	10/08/2004 1600	Suspect damaged the back door frame and opened locked door
Residential BROOKVIEW ROAD Burglary			

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/ This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

ASSISTANCE

Victim Support 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.

Victim Support Wandsworth, tel. 0207 223 1234

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.

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.

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