



## Tooting Crime Briefing

11 November, 2005

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 3 November and 11 November, 2005

### STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Robbery personal property	<b>MASSINGBERD WAY</b>	03/11/2005	1640	17 year old white male with his face covered, grabbed victim, demanded property and searched his bag and pockets. He was wearing a black Nike jacket over a grey hooded top, black tracksuit trousers, and trainers,
Robbery personal property	<b>COVERTON ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	0030	Thief threatened victim and forced him to hand over his mobile phone.
Robbery personal property	<b>NORGROVE STREET</b>	05/11/2005	1137	20 year old black male in blue jeans and a blue top attempted to snatch bag from victim's shoulder, then threatened her with a knife.
Robbery personal property	<b>FRANCISCAN ROAD</b>	06/11/2005	2140	Two males attacked victim from front and rear, threatened him with a knife and stole his wallet and phone. 1) Male, black, aged 25, in a dark blue t-shirt, black trousers and a black baseball cap 2) no useful description.
Robbery personal property	<b>CHURCH LANE</b>	07/11/2005	1620	Three boys held victim's arm, threw him to the ground and tried to steal from his pockets. 1) Aged 12, in a white shirt, blue beanie hat and a jacket and riding a bike 2) aged 12, black, in a black jacket and trousers and a white shirt 3) aged 12, black, in a white shirt.



Robbery personal property	<b>CHURCH LANE</b>	07/11/20051615	Two thieves punched victim and stole his bike. 1) Male, black, aged 15, in dark blue coat and black trousers 2) male, black, aged 13, in blue Nike jacket, black trousers and black Nike trainers.
Robbery personal property	<b>MOYSER ROAD</b>	07/11/20051630	Two 14 year old boys demanded money from victim, and then stole cash. 1) White, in Graveney School uniform and riding a blue bike 2) black, in Graveney School uniform (not blazer).
Robbery personal property	<b>TOOTING BEC COMMON</b>	08/11/20051610	Two victims were stopped on way home from school by group of approx. 10 youths, who pushed them to the ground, demanded phones and threatened then with a staple gun. 1) Male, aged 16, white, in grey hooded tracksuit 2) aged 18, black. No useful description of others.
Robbery personal property	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	08/11/20051200	Thief snatched wristwatch from victim's arm as she was adjusting the watch strap. He was Asian, aged 25, in a black jumper and a blue/black baseball cap.
Robbery personal property	<b>NIMROD ROAD</b>	09/11/20052130	Two 20 year old black men pushed victim against a fence, threatened him with a knife and stole property. 1) Wearing a grey hooded top, dark trousers and white trainers 2) dressed in a dark jacket.
Robbery personal property	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	09/11/20052200	20 year old white man pushed and punched victim on back of head and stole her mobile phone. He was wearing a blue hooded top, blue jeans and white trainers.
Robbery personal property	<b>TOOTING BROADWAY</b>	09/11/20051530	Five thieves tried to take victim's phone and wallet. When he resisted he was head butted by one, and later beaten up. No useful descriptions available.
Robbery personal property	<b>GLENBURNIE ROAD</b>		Two thieves held victim around the neck and stole bag containing two phones. 1) Male, black, aged 30, in blue denim jacket, blue jeans and a white baseball cap 2) male, black, aged 25, in a black jacket with grey trim around hood, blue jeans and white trainers.



## BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Burglary non-residential	<b>BICKERSTETH ROAD</b>	28/10/2005	2000	30/10/2005	1500	Burglar entered communal area of business centre, then forced entry to unit and stole property.
Burglary non-residential	<b>NOTTINGHAM ROAD</b>	01/11/2005	1100	03/11/2005	1000	Intruder forced entry through a small rear window and then stole property.
Burglary non-residential	<b>CLAPHAM COMMON WEST SIDE</b>	02/11/2005	1215	02/11/2005	1345	Thief forced open shed door and then stole property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>BESLEY STREET</b>	03/11/2005	0710	03/11/2005	1815	Thief broke in, searched premises and stole property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>EDENCOURT ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	0730	03/11/2005	1730	Intruder forced entry by breaking open front door and stole property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>FRANCISCAN ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	0830	03/11/2005	1630	Thief entered through open door and stole property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>GATTON ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	0745	03/11/2005	1700	Burglar slipped latch entered and stole property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>LONGSTONE ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	1400	03/11/2005	1615	Intruder forced front door, entered and searched premises.
Burglary non-residential	<b>UPPER TOOTING ROAD</b>	03/11/2005	1030	03/11/2005	1230	Burglar entered rear office of shop premises from an adjacent communal area through fire door and stole a computer.
Burglary dwelling	<b>BLACKSHAW ROAD</b>	04/11/2005	0910	04/11/2005	1715	Intruder broke glass in front door, released latch then entered and stole DVD player.
Burglary non-residential	<b>OLD PARK AVENUE</b>	04/11/2005	1830	06/11/2005	1900	Thief broke padlock off shed door and stole two bikes.



Burglary dwelling	<b>OUSELEY ROAD</b>	04/11/2005	1930	06/11/2005	1630	Thief used key to enter and steal.
Burglary non-residential	<b>CLAPHAM COMMON WEST SIDE</b>	05/11/2005	0930	07/11/2005	1630	Thief climbed into back garden, forced open garden shed and stole property.
Burglary non-residential	<b>CLAPHAM COMMON WEST SIDE</b>	05/11/2005	2100	06/11/2005	0730	Intruder entered intending to steal.
Burglary dwelling	<b>CROWBOROUGH ROAD</b>	05/11/2005	1430	05/11/2005	2230	Intruder forced door and searched house.
Burglary dwelling	<b>MELLISON ROAD</b>	05/11/2005	1930	05/11/2005	1932	Intruder entered through unlocked front window but activated alarm.
Burglary dwelling	<b>ORMELEY ROAD</b>	05/11/2005	2200	06/11/2005	1139	Intruder broke window in an attempt to gain entry.
Burglary non-residential	<b>WYVIL ROAD</b>	05/11/2005	2100	06/11/2005	0730	Intruder entered with intent to steal.
Burglary dwelling	<b>HEREWARD ROAD</b>	07/11/2005	1610	07/11/2005	1615	Thief forced front door and stole items. He was Asian, aged 20, in a blue Adidas sweater and dark trousers.
Burglary non-residential	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	08/11/2005	0427			30 year old white male used pole through letterbox to remove property.
Burglary non-residential	<b>BLACKSHAW ROAD</b>	09/11/2005	1545			32 year old white man, in navy top and black trousers, entered secure office.
Burglary dwelling	<b>RAVENSWOOD ROAD</b>	09/11/2005	1400			30 year old white man was allowed in after claiming to be a council officer inspecting the drains. Whilst he and victim were in garden a second intruder, no description, entered victim's bedroom and stole money.
Burglary dwelling	<b>EAST ROAD</b>	09/11/2005	1830	09/11/2005	2046	Intruder entered through rear window and damaged property.



Burglary dwelling	<b>RITHERDON ROAD</b>	09/11/2005	1830	09/11/2005	2046	Burglar entered through rear window and damaged property.
Burglary dwelling	<b>VERONICA ROAD</b>	09/11/2005	1100	09/11/2005	1830	Burglar forced sash window, entered flat and searched several rooms, then stole property.

## 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 [www.online.police.uk/](http://www.online.police.uk/) This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

## ASSISTANCE

**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. 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.

## 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.