

Tooting Crime Briefing

12 April, 2007

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 5 April and 12 April, 2007

STREET CRIME

| Crime | Venue | Date | Time | Method | Ward |
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| Robbery business property | BEDFORD HILL | 07/04/2007 | 2050 | 35 year old black male threatened to shoot victim and demanded money from till. He wore dark trousers and a grey hooded top. | BALHAM |
| Robbery personal property | FRANCISCAN ROAD | 05/04/2007 | 1740 | Victim was followed, grabbed from behind and thrown to the ground, where he was punched and his phone was taken by two thieves. Both were aged 17, in black hooded tops, black tracksuit trousers, black trainers and black balaclavas. | GRAVENEY |
| Robbery personal property | TOOTING BROADWAY MARKET | 05/04/2007 | 1745 | 20 year old black male threatened victim with a knife and stole cash. He also tried to take the victim's mobile phone, without success. He was wearing a blue or black and white hooded top and jeans with a brown skirt or similar garment over them. | GRAVENEY |
| Robbery personal property | TOOTING BROADWAY | 04/04/2007 | 1400 | Three thieves threatened victim and searched his pockets. 1) Male, aged 16, black, in a dark red blazer and carrying a bag 2) aged 15, male, black, in an orange and brown striped hood 3) black, wearing a cap. | GRAVENEY |
| Robbery personal property | FOUNTAIN ROAD | 05/04/2007 | 0505 | As victim was walking to work a male ran up behind her, pushed her against a wall and stole her bag. | TOOTING |

BURGLARY

| Crime | Venue | Date from | Time from | Date to | Time to | Method | Ward |
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| Burglary dwelling | 05/04/2007 | 0615 | 05/04/2007 | 0641 | BALHAM GROVE | Intruder entered and stole games console, Ipod, cash and games, leaving when disturbed by occupiers. He was a white male, aged about 21, in a brown top and brown trousers. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 05/04/2007 | 0440 | 05/04/2007 | 0444 | BALHAM GROVE | Burglar entered and stole property from ground and first floor, making off when disturbed by occupier. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 05/04/2007 | 0615 | | | BALHAM GROVE | 21 year old white male forced front door, then searched premises, disturbing victim in her bedroom. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1835 | | | CLAPHAM COMMON WEST SIDE | 20 year old black male kicked out panel in front door and broke window in attempt to enter. He was wearing a black t-shirt and black jeans. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1950 | 04/04/2007 | 2330 | GASKARTH ROAD | Burglar forced entry and stole. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 0001 | 04/04/2007 | 0830 | THURLEIGH ROAD | Burglar broke in through wooden front door and stole items. | BALHAM |
| Burglary dwelling | 05/04/2007 | 0800 | 05/04/2007 | 1900 | BALHAM HIGH ROAD | Thief entered and stole. | BEDFORD |
| Burglary dwelling | 09/04/2007 | 2045 | 09/04/2007 | 2055 | LOUISVILLE ROAD | Intruder broke glass in front door, entered and searched premises, then stole car keys and drove off in victim's car. | BEDFORD |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1610 | 04/04/2007 | 1925 | RITHERDON ROAD | Burglar forced open rear patio doors and stole property. | BEDFORD |

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| Burglary dwelling | 09/04/2007 | 1930 | 09/04/2007 | 1945 | OPENVIEW | Three black males broke glass in front door, entered and searched house. 1) Aged 18, in jeans and a baseball cap 2) aged 18, in jeans and casual clothing 3) aged 20, no further description. | EARLSFIELD |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 2350 | 05/04/2007 | 0600 | ST. ANN'S PARK ROAD | Intruder entered through front door and stole property. | EARLSFIELD |
| Burglary dwelling | 03/04/2007 | 0930 | 04/04/2007 | 1430 | THURLEIGH ROAD | Intruder forced entry and stole. | EARLSFIELD |
| Burglary dwelling | 07/04/2007 | 1900 | 10/04/2007 | 0800 | TRANMERE ROAD | Burglar forced front door and stole property. | EARLSFIELD |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1730 | 04/04/2007 | 1800 | PENDLE ROAD | Thief entered and stole. | FURZEDOWN |
| Burglary dwelling | 09/04/2007 | 1950 | 09/04/2007 | 1954 | BICKERSTETH ROAD | Three 18 year old males kicked open door and entered. 1) Black, in dark clothing and carrying a Kwik Save carrier bag 2) white, no further description 3) black, in a beanie ha and kicking a football. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | 03/04/2007 | 0600 | 04/04/2007 | 1200 | LONGLEY ROAD | Two 22 year old black males entered hostel through front door, then forced locked room door and stole property. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | 09/04/2007 | 1530 | 09/04/2007 | 1900 | SOUTHVIEW CLOSE | Intruder forced door and stole TV & DVD player. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1545 | 04/04/2007 | 1700 | TREVELYAN ROAD | Whilst victim and her child were asleep intruder entered through open back door and stole property. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | 06/04/2007 | 1230 | 07/04/2007 | 0830 | TREVELYAN ROAD | 24 year old Asian male stole property from victim's address. | GRAVENEY |
| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 0830 | 04/04/2007 | 2000 | ENDLESHAM ROAD | Burglar broke in and searched premises. | NIGHTINGALE |

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| Burglary dwelling | 04/04/2007 | 1100 | 04/04/2007 | 2330 | NIGHTINGALE SQUARE | Intruder broke in and stole. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary dwelling | 06/04/2007 | 0030 | 06/04/2007 | 0730 | TANTALLON ROAD | Intruder entered, possibly through front door left open, and stole property. | NIGHTINGALE |
| Burglary dwelling | 03/04/2007 | 2100 | 04/04/2007 | 0750 | HEBDON ROAD | Thief broke pane of glass in rear door, searched premises and stole cash. | TOOTING |
| Burglary dwelling | 03/04/2007 | 1300 | 03/04/2007 | 1700 | TOOTING HIGH STREET | Intruder broke glass and forced lock off door in attempt to enter. | 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 www.online.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.