

Tooting Crime Briefing

13 September, 2006

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 7 September and 13 September, 2006

STREET CRIME

Offence Street	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery BALHAM HILL personal property	06/09/2006	1330	Two white males on a moped snatched victim's mobile from his hand. One was aged about 18, in blue helmet and grey jumper ; the other also wore a helmet and casual clothing.	BALHAM
Robbery CHARLMONT ROAD personal property	04/09/2006	2145	Two Asian boys, aged about 8 and 12, snatched victim's property. The older one was wearing a grey t-shirt and jeans.	BALHAM
Robbery DORNTON ROAD personal property	05/09/2006	2032	Four males aged about 20, two armed with knives, pushed victim from behind and searched him. 1) White, thin face, pointed nose, in a t-shirt, jacket and baseball cap 2) white, in a light hooded top and trousers 3) black, in a dark sweatshirt and dark trousers 4) black, in a black hooded top and black jeans.	BEDFORD
Robbery FLOWERSMEAD personal property	05/09/2006	2005	White male, late teens, snatched victim's mobile phone, causing injury.	BEDFORD
Robbery LARCH CLOSE personal property	05/09/2006	1700	Several youth surrounded victim and searched him.	BEDFORD

Robbery personal property	RITHERDON ROAD	04/09/2006 2130	By black male, aged about 20, broad athletic build, in a dark top and dark baggy jeans.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	GARRATT LANE	05/09/2006 2230	Four black males, aged 20-24, threatened victim and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	GARRATT LANE	10/09/2006 1945	Five males, aged 16-17, threatened victims with knives in order to steal two bikes. 1) mixed race, wearing headphones 2) black, in a black hat and wearing white headphones 3) black, in dark grey hooded top, dark baseball cap and dark jeans 4) wearing a dark blue hooded top and large sunglasses 5) black, no further description.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	BALHAM PARK ROAD	07/09/2006 2050	Two black males asked victim if he wanted to buy drugs; when he refused they threatened to rob him and set their dog (no description) on him. They were both aged about 18, one in a white top and the other in a black hooded top, jeans and a black baseball cap.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	JAGGARD WAY	05/09/2006 1750	Three black males, aged about 15, all on BMX bikes, robbed victim as he left station. 1) Wearing a blue hooded top 2) in a red t-shirt and dark trousers 3) in a grey hooded top, white t-shirt and jeans.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	HILLBROOK ROAD	06/09/2006 2102	Four black males, aged about 16, held victim from behind and demanded his bags.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	TOOTING GROVE	04/09/2006 2109	Four black males, aged about 18, followed victim into entrance to block of flats, punched her in the face and stole shoulder bag. One wore a grey hooded top, another a black hooded top ,and the others had dark clothing.	TOOTING

Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	06/09/2006	1940	Black male, mid-teens, grabbed victim's handbag. He was wearing a t-shirt, dark trousers, white trainers and white socks.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	TOOTING MARKET	04/09/2006	1650	Two white male teenagers in white t-shirts snatched victim's phone from her hand.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	08/09/2006	1540	Black female, aged about 17, grabbed victim from behind, threatened her and snatched her mobile phone. She was wearing a black vest, blue jeans and black, white and pink trainers.	TOOTING

BURGLARY

Burglary dwelling	ALDERBROOK ROAD	10/09/2006	1600	10/09/2006	1615	White male in white t-shirt broke rear ground floor window and took property. He was disturbed by the victim and left.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	BALHAM GROVE	04/09/2006	0830	04/09/2006	1830	Burglar used tool to force rear window, entered and stole items, then left through back door.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	BOLINGBROKE GROVE	07/09/2006	1900	10/09/2006	1900	Intruder forced entry to flat by breaking the door and stole property.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	BYRNE ROAD	08/09/2006	2300	09/09/2006	0730	Thief entered and stole.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	CARGILL ROAD	09/09/2006	1400	09/09/2006	1645	Thief reached through open window and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	GALESBURY ROAD	03/09/2006	2045	03/09/2006	2100	Thief entered when occupier left front door open for a short period and stole laptop computer from hallway.	EARLSFIELD

Burglary dwelling	INMAN ROAD	05/09/2006	1000	05/09/2006	1453	Burglar forced front door and stole items.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	LYFORD ROAD	05/09/2006	0100			Black male in black sweatshirt reached through open window, but was disturbed by victim.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	SUMMERLEY STREET	02/09/2006	1300	08/09/2006	0800	Burglar forced rear conservatory window and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	BARMOUTH ROAD	05/09/2006	1745			Four black boys, aged 8-16, forced lock off shed door and stole cycle.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	BATTERSEA PARK ROAD	10/09/2006	0300			Burglar broke roof light and entered, then moved alcohol to back door, preparatory to stealing it.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	FITZHUGH GROVE	04/09/2006	1600	05/09/2006	0930	Thief broke into lockup garage and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	GODLEY ROAD	07/09/2006	2300	10/09/2006	0800	Burglar climbed side wall into garden, then forced lock off shed door and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	HEATHFIELD ROAD	04/09/2006	1200	04/09/2006	1620	Thief forced garage door and stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	SANDGATE LANE	03/09/2006	2200	04/09/2006	0900	Thief climbed garden wall, then forced entry to garden shed and stole cycle.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	DAHOMEY ROAD	05/09/2006	0830	05/09/2006	1530	Intruder entered and stole.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	MITCHAM LANE	08/09/2006	1520	08/09/2006	1530	Intruder entered and searched rooms.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	ENDLESHAM ROAD	20/07/2006	2300	21/07/2006	1000	Burglar broke in to room.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ENDLESHAM ROAD	03/09/2006	0030	03/09/2006	0330	Intruder entered and searched rooms.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	SARSELD ROAD	04/09/2006	2030	04/09/2006	2049	Intruder broke in and stole.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	GAMBOLE ROAD	09/09/2006	1500	09/09/2006	1700	Burglar entered, apparently using a key, and stole items.	TOOTING

Burglary dwelling	SELKIRK ROAD	05/09/2006	1800	06/09/2006	1200	Intruder broke glass in back door, and entered, then left through front window.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	BLACKSHAW ROAD	01/09/2006	0900	03/09/2006	0900	Several rooms broken into and property stolen.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	BLACKSHAW ROAD	03/09/2006	0001	04/09/2006	0645	Burglar forced entry and stole.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	BLACKSHAW ROAD	04/09/2006	2200	05/09/2006	0700	Thief forced entry to office and stole property.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	BLACKSHAW ROAD	06/09/2006	1550	07/09/2006	0940	Intruder forced office window, entered and stole.	TOOTING
Burglary non-residential	FOUNTAIN ROAD	07/09/2006	2350	07/09/2006	2353	Burglar broke through roof into shop and stole cash.	TOOTING

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 **Tooting Police Sector Office on 020 8247 8383** or **Wandsworth Control Room on 020 7350 1122** (24 hrs).

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 . This service is managed by Victim Support Wandsworth.

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.