



Tooting Crime Briefing

15 December, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 9 December and 15 December, 2004

STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Commercial Robbery	TOOTING HIGH STREET	12/12/2004	1620	Two white male suspects asked shopkeeper for a product, then pushed him against till and stole cashbox.
Street Robbery	BEEHCROFT ROAD	07/12/2004	1250	Two 15 year old boys, of Mediterranean appearance, dressed in school uniform, held suspect, searched him and stole his mobile phone.
Street Robbery	BLACKSHAW ROAD	09/12/2004	1130	Female victim was attacked from behind, punched in the face and pushed her to the ground by suspect who stole her handbag. He was black, wearing a red and black hooded top, black trousers and black shoes.
Street Robbery	BROADWATER ROAD	10/12/2004	0030	Victim was threatened with a knife by 25 year old black male who demanded her mobile phone. He was wearing a black moleskin jacket and baggy black tracksuit trousers.
Street Robbery	CALBOURNE ROAD	13/12/2004	1530	Suspect grabbed victim's clothing, pushed him against a wall and threatened to assault him if he did not hand over money. He was aged 13, white, wearing a navy blue Nike jacket, navy tracksuit trousers and black Nike trainers.
Street Robbery	CHURCH LANE	08/12/2004	2230	Two 17 year old male suspects pushed victim to the ground and stole her bag.
Street Robbery	GARRATT TERRACE	09/12/2004	0420	Thief pushed victim and stole his mobile phone. He was black, aged 20, in a black hooded top with an eagle on the back, and black trousers.



Street Robbery	LONGLEY ROAD	09/12/2004 1600	As victim was using his mobile phone he was punched in the face twice by suspect who stole the phone. He was aged 25, white, in a brown jumper and blue jeans.
Street Robbery	TOOTING HIGH STREET	08/12/2004 1040	Victim went to bank with large amount of cash, which he placed on the floor. He was then sprayed in the face with an unknown substance by three suspects who stole the money. They were all white, wearing dark hooded tops. Two were male, the other female.
Theft Snatch	FERNLEA ROAD	02/12/2004 2040	Two 15 year old white males, both dressed in jeans, tracksuits and trainers snatched mobile phone from victim.
Theft Snatch	LYSIAS ROAD	13/12/2004 2055	28 year old black male snatched victim's property.
Theft Snatch	TOOTING HIGH STREET	29/11/2004 2100	Two Asian male suspects, one aged 25, the other 28, took property from victim's pocket.

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Burglary Artifice - Residential	BICKERSTETH ROAD	11/12/2004	1410	11/12/2004	1414	Two suspects tricked their way in and stole victim's purse. Both were male, white, wearing working clothes, but not scruffy. One was aged 50; the other was 25.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	TREVELYAN ROAD	09/12/2004	1830	09/12/2004	1900	Suspect told victim he needed to borrow money from her for new locks, and confused elderly woman let him in. He was aged 35, Asian, smartly dressed in a grey suit.
Non-Residential Burglary	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	12/12/2004	0930	13/12/2004	0900	Burglar entered and stole.



Non-Residential Burglary	BEDFORD HILL	02/12/2004 1200	09/12/2004 1200	Thief used key to open padlock on garage door and stole electric disability scooter.
Non-Residential Burglary	BELLEVUE ROAD	13/12/2004 0200	13/12/2004 0500	Burglar smashed shop window and stole property.
Non-Residential Burglary	BICKERSTETH ROAD	09/12/2004 1800	10/12/2004 1000	Suspect broke in to small commercial suite within a multi occupancy business centre and stole.
Non-Residential Burglary	GARRATT LANE	10/12/2004 0805		Suspect entered locked yard and damaged vehicles.
Non-Residential Burglary	SISTOVA ROAD	13/12/2004 0255		
Non-Residential Burglary	SISTOVA ROAD	13/12/2004 0255		White male, aged 23, broke in using tools, but was arrested when police were called.
Residential Burglary	BALHAM GROVE	09/12/2004 2130	09/12/2004 2300	Suspect entered through front door, possibly left open, stole keys and left, taking occupier's vehicle.
Residential Burglary	BYRNE ROAD	10/12/2004 0815	11/12/2004 0030	Suspect forced entry, causing damage, and took property.
Residential Burglary	CAISTOR ROAD	09/12/2004 0900	09/12/2004 1345	Suspect entered and took property.
Residential Burglary	CATHLES ROAD	12/12/2004 0245		Suspect used a crowbar to attempt entry through the front door.



Residential **DAFFORNE** 14/12/20040330 14/12/20040349 Two suspects entered through open back door, forced office
 Burglary **ROAD** door and took property. 1) Male, white, 30 yrs, in brown jacket, brown trousers and brown baseball cap 2) male, white, aged 30, in red, blue and green lumberjack shirt, blue jeans and black baseball cap.

Residential **ELMBOURNE** 10/12/20040845 10/12/20041900 Suspect forced open front door to flat, causing damage to
 Burglary **ROAD** lock, and stole property

Residential **GRACEDALE** 08/12/20040805 08/12/20041915 Thief broke back window, entered and stole.
 Burglary **ROAD**

Residential **HESLOP ROAD** 10/12/20041530 10/12/20041600 Thief entered and stole.
 Burglary

Residential **SMALLWOOD** 13/12/20041730 13/12/20041800 White male, aged 46, entered, assaulted victim and stole
 Burglary **ROAD** money from purse.

Residential **STATION** 07/12/20040800 07/12/20041815 Suspect entered and stole.
 Burglary **PARADE**

Residential **STATION** 07/12/20040845 07/12/20041915 Suspect entered through communal door then forced door
 Burglary **PARADE** to flat and stole.

Residential **STATION** 07/12/20040700 07/12/20041630 Suspect kicked open door of flat and stole.
 Burglary **PARADE**

Residential **UPPER** 09/12/20040850 09/12/20042330 Burglar entered flat through bathroom window and stole
 Burglary **TOOTING** property.
ROAD

Residential **VERONICA** 12/12/20040500 12/12/20040513 Suspect used implement to force front window. He then
 Burglary **ROAD** entered and searched, leaving by front door.

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, 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.

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.

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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