

# Tooting Crime Briefing

17 April, 2009



Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 8 April and 16 April, 2009

## STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery business property	<b>GARRATT LANE,</b>	13/04/2009	2100	Thief intimidated he had a handgun, threatened victim and stole cash, cigarettes and CCTV tape. He was a 35 year old black male, wearing a black nylon ski cap, black jacket, black trousers and black shoes.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	<b>TRANMERE ROAD,</b>	08/04/2009	2305	As victim was returning home three black males demanded her car keys, then snatched them from her hand and stole her car. One wore a white hooded top with blue flecks and another also had a hooded top.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	<b>COWICK ROAD,</b>	10/04/2009	1950	Three black males, two aged 13 and one 15, attempted to steal victim's car from him.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	01/04/2009	1800	14 year old black male pushed, slapped and searched victim.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	<b>KENLOR ROAD,</b>	12/04/2009	0001	Victim let three men into his flat, believing they were friends. They then threatened him with a knife and a firearm and stole property. 1) White, aged 28 2) black, aged 28 3) black, aged 21.	TOOTING

Robbery personal property	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	12/04/2008	2330	White male in a dark hooded top barged into victim and stole his mobile phone from his pocket.	TOOTING
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## BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	<b>STREATHBOURNE ROAD</b>	22/03/2009	0900	11/04/2009	0900	Intruder unbolted side gate, then kicked open back door.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	<b>BESLEY STREET</b>	12/04/2009	1615	12/04/2009	1915	Intruder forced open a ground floor window with a spade, entered and stole.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>CREDENHILL STREET</b>	10/04/2009	1300	14/04/2009	1945	Burglar forced entry and removed property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>FALLSBROOK ROAD</b>	11/04/2009	0815	12/04/2009	0815	Burglar broke window, entered and searched bedroom.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>RIBBLESDALE ROAD</b>	08/04/2009	0800	08/04/2009	1730	Burglar used tool to force sash window, entered and stole laptop.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>WELHAM ROAD</b>	14/04/2009	0710	14/04/2009	1500	Burglar broke glass in back door, entered and stole property, including keys, then stole car.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	<b>GASSIOT ROAD</b>	13/04/2009	0630	13/04/2009	2340	Thief entered, possibly through an unlocked window, and stole items.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling		10/04/2009	1500	14/04/2009	0715	Burglar entered and stole property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary non-residential	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	08/04/2009	1930			Burglar entered and stole equipment.	NIGHTINGALE
Aggravated burglary dwelling	<b>BOUNDARIES ROAD</b>	05/04/2009	2350	06/04/2009	2315	Three black males kicked open door, entered and threatened victim. 1) Aged 25, in a blue t-shirt, dark blue Nike jogging trousers tucked into socks and slippers 2) aged 25, in a white t-shirt and with a large gold bracelet on his right wrist 3) aged 40,	NIGHTINGALE

Attempted burglary non-residential	<b>BASSINGHAM ROAD</b>	14/04/2009	0430			Intruder entered garden and interfered with shed lock in attempt to enter.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
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## WHO TO CONTACT IF YOU CAN HELP?

If you can help solve any of the crimes mentioned above, or can assist in identifying those responsible, please contact your local police station on **0300 123 1212**, or your local Safer Neighbourhood Team, details of which can be found at :- <http://bit.ly/127C1D>  
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.

## ASSISTANCE

### Contacting the police.

The new non-emergency number for contacting the police is: - **0300 123 1212**. This can be used for contacting any police unit in London.

Crimes can now be reported online, through <https://online.met.police.uk/> . This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

### Reporting anti-social behaviour

If you know about or can identify anyone who is harassing you or others, causing real alarm or distress, then please report it to your local police.  
If you are a council or housing association tenant report it to your estate manager or your local housing office. Further information about anti-social behaviour and what can be done about it can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/cretzm>

**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**, at 549 Old York Road, London, SW18, tel. **020 8877 8940** can offer advice and assistance to the over-50s, whether or not you have been a victim of crime.

**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 their 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 call Victim Support on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail [flash@vswandsworth.org.uk](mailto:flash@vswandsworth.org.uk) .

**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.

**Wandsworth Council** has a great deal of useful information on crime prevention on the Community Safety web pages at :-  
<http://tinyurl.com/dblkbe>