

Tooting Crime Briefing

17 September, 2003

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police during the period 6/9/03 to 17/09/03

STREET CRIME

| Offence | Place | Date | Time | Method |
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| Street Robbery | TOOTING BEC COMMON, | 05/09/2003 | 0830 | Suspect threatened victim with a knife and took property |
| Street Robbery | THURLEIGH ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1850 | Suspect grabbed victim causing her to drop her bags |
| Street Robbery | TOOTING BEC COMMON | 05/09/2003 | 2200 | Suspects demanded property and then forcibly searched victim. |
| Commercial Robbery | BELLEVUE ROAD, | 07/09/2003 | 0650 | Suspect threatened staff with black handgun and demanded money. |
| Street Robbery | GLENBURNIE ROAD, | 06/09/2003 | 2020 | Two suspects pushed victim and snatched property. |
| Theft Snatch | UPPER TOOTING ROAD, | 07/09/2003 | 0030 | Suspect snatched phone out of victims hand, pushed victim then ran off |
| Theft Snatch | WELHAM ROAD, | 14/08/2003 | 0000 | |
| Commercial Robbery | UPPER TOOTING ROAD, | 08/09/2003 | 2338 | Suspects hit victim over the head with a glass and stole money |
| Street Robbery | NIGHTINGALE LANE, | 08/09/2003 | 2310 | Suspects assaulted male victim and stole property. |
| Commercial Robbery | BELLEVUE ROAD, | 08/09/2003 | 1500 | Suspect held knife to victim and forced her to open the till |

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| Street Robbery | TOOTING BEC ROAD, | 09/09/2003 | 1845 | Suspects attacked victim and stole property. |
| Street Robbery | ELDERFIELD PLACE, | 12/09/2003 | 1530 | Two suspects asked to look inside the victims bag and attempted to take it. |
| Street Robbery | ESWYN ROAD, | 14/09/2003 | 1410 | |

BURGLARY

| Offence | Place | Date from | Time from | Date to | Time to | Method |
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| Residential Burglary | BROOMWOOD ROAD, | 09/09/2003 | 1530 | 09/09/2003 | 1630 | |
| Residential Burglary | WESTCOTE ROAD, | 14/09/2003 | 0450 | 14/09/2003 | 0515 | Suspect found in rear garden of private premises, with intent to steal |
| Non-Residential Burglary | BLACKSHAW ROAD, | 04/09/2003 | 1700 | 05/09/2003 | 0800 | Intruder gained access to the 1st floor of the building, forced the door of an office and broke into a cabinet containing drugs. A further office was entered and a computer stolen |
| Residential Burglary | CLOUDESDALE ROAD, | 04/09/2003 | 2330 | 05/09/2003 | 0630 | Suspects slipped latch on front door and then stole property |
| Residential Burglary | BROADWATER ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1300 | | | Suspect entered premises but was chased off by witness. |
| Residential Burglary | ST. JAMES'S DRIVE, | 05/09/2003 | 1200 | 05/09/2003 | 1205 | Suspect knocked on door and then attempted to slip the door latch. |
| Residential Burglary | MANDRAKE ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 0901 | 05/09/2003 | 1224 | Front door was smashed and entry gained. |
| Residential Burglary | DINSMORE ROAD, | 03/09/2003 | 1930 | 05/09/2003 | 1730 | Intruder gained entry through a sash window on the ground floor and stole property. |
| Residential Burglary | BEDFORD HILL, | 05/09/2003 | 1000 | 05/09/2003 | 1945 | Intruder slipped the front door latch of the victims flat and stole items. |

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| Residential Burglary | BRIGHTWELL CRESCENT, | 05/09/2003 | 2025 | 05/09/2003 | 2035 | Suspects entered premises and removed items. |
| Residential Burglary | BLACKSHAW ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1500 | 05/09/2003 | 1905 | Suspect smashed front door panel and stole items property |
| Residential Burglary | TREVELYAN ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 0315 | 05/09/2003 | 0330 | Suspects opened living room window slightly to get hands through before being disturbed by occupier. |
| Residential Burglary | GRAVENEY ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1505 | 05/09/2003 | 1600 | |
| Residential Burglary | KYRLE ROAD, | 06/09/2003 | 1600 | | | Four suspects entered property through open window and took property |
| Residential Burglary | ENDLESHAM ROAD, | 06/09/2003 | 0300 | 06/09/2003 | 0700 | Suspect(s) entered insecure flat while occupiers asleep and stole mobile 'phone and cash. |
| Residential Burglary | HEBDON ROAD, | 04/09/2003 | 1200 | 04/09/2003 | 1930 | Suspects entered through the front door then stole property. |
| Non-Residential Burglary | BLACKSHAW ROAD, | 06/09/2003 | 2100 | 07/09/2003 | 0800 | Suspect forced cabinet and stole drugs. |
| Residential Burglary | ENDLESHAM ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1615 | 07/09/2003 | 1000 | Suspect entered property causing damage to window. |
| Residential Burglary | MANDRAKE ROAD, | 23/08/2003 | 0800 | 07/09/2003 | 1700 | Suspect(s) entered the location and removed property. |
| Residential Burglary | SUDBROOKE ROAD, | 07/09/2003 | 2359 | 08/09/2003 | 0600 | Suspect used an implement through letterbox to take the keys from the table near the door and then stole cars. |
| Non-Residential Burglary | BALHAM HIGH ROAD, | 05/09/2003 | 1410 | 05/09/2003 | 1430 | Suspect made enquiries about a payment and whilst the victim was away enquiring about it he went behind desk and removed phone from bag |
| Residential Burglary | MELLISON ROAD, | 08/09/2003 | 1000 | 08/09/2003 | 1845 | Suspect forced entry through front door, entered and stole |

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| Non-Residential Burglary | AMEN CORNER, | 09/09/2003 | 2050 | 09/09/2003 | 2100 | Suspect entered store with two other males and attempted to steal a bottle of wine. When the victim threatened to call police suspect leant over the counter and snatched the victims mobile phone. |
| Aggravated Burglary - Residential | BLACKSHAW ROAD, | 12/09/2003 | 0900 | | | Suspects said that they were from the gas board and when door was opened they forced their way in. Both the victims were restrained then one suspect searched flat and stole items. |
| Residential Burglary | HIMLEY ROAD, | 11/09/2003 | 1500 | 11/09/2003 | 1600 | Suspect jemmied and levered at the security lock of a communal door causing substantial damage but failed to gain access |
| Burglary Artifice - Residential | LARCH CLOSE, | 12/09/2003 | 1030 | 12/09/2003 | 1100 | Two suspects posed as water board officials and gained entry. |
| Residential Burglary | TRINITY CRESCENT, | 12/09/2003 | 0900 | 12/09/2003 | 1800 | Suspect(s) smashed window and reaching through to unlock and open window to gain access |
| Non-Residential Burglary | MITCHAM ROAD, | 15/09/2003 | 0300 | 15/09/2003 | 0315 | Suspect broke into the upstairs flat by forcing open a 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 Sector Office on 020 8247

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.

CRIME PREVENTION ADVICE

Advice on all aspects of crime prevention can be obtained from:

1) Wandsworth Crime Prevention Centre, 17 Arndale Walk, Wandsworth Shopping Centre (formerly the Arndale Centre), London SW18, (telephone 020

8871 0803), open to callers between 9am and 5pm Mondays to Saturdays.

2) 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.

3) 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.

Information on crime in other parts of Wandsworth can be found under 'crime bulletins' on www.wandsworth.gov.uk