



Tooting Crime Briefing

18 August, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 12 August and 18 August, 2004

STREET CRIME

Offence Place	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery CHURCH LANE	13/08/2004	0005	Three male black suspects, aged 25, threatened victim with knife and stole property. 1) Wearing white top and dark jeans 2) Wearing grey and black tracksuit and dark baseball cap 3) Wearing black and red Nike hooded top, silver Reebok trainers and jeans.
Street Robbery GARRATT LANE	16/08/2004	1820	Property taken from victim by force by suspect who racially abused him.
Street Robbery ROOKSTONE ROAD	13/08/2004	0220	Two suspects pushed victim from behind and stole her bag when she fell to the ground. 1) Male, black, 22 yrs, in grey jacket with "Athletic" on back and black trousers 2) No useful description.
Street Robbery BEDFORD HILL JUNCTION	14/08/2004	1800	37 year old black male threatened victim and stole money.
Street Robbery CLAIRVIEW ROAD	15/08/2004	2030	Suspect stole phone from one victim and ripped chain from second victim's neck. He was 16, black, in a grey t-shirt, black jogging bottoms, white trainers and a black baseball cap. He had a diamond stud in his left ear.
Street Robbery BALHAM HILL	16/08/2004	1315	Suspect pushed victim from behind and stole folder containing cash. He was black, with a moustache, aged 20, wearing a grey hooded top and grey tracksuit bottoms, and had a diamond stud in his left ear.



Street Robbery	BRUDENELL ROAD	16/08/2004 1325	Victim was stopped in the street and threatened with violence if he did not hand over his mobile phone. The suspect was 18, male, black, wearing a black Nike jumper and dark jeans.
Theft Snatch	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	17/08/2004 2350	Suspect ran past victim and snatched her handbag out of her hand and then made off. He dumped her bag in a nearby road, having stolen a mobile phone from it. He was black, wearing a grey tracksuit top, dark trousers and a navy baseball cap.

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Residential Burglary	KHARTHOU ROAD	16/08/2004	1350			Suspect attempted to gain entry using a tool to force entry to the front door
Non-Residential Burglary	HILDRETH STREET	15/08/2004	1800	16/08/2004	0900	15 year old white male, in yellow jumper and beige trousers, broke in and stole cash.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	FAIRLIGHT ROAD	16/08/2004	1319			Suspect gained entry but was discovered by occupier and made off. He was a black male, 20 yrs, dressed in a blue tracksuit top.
Non-Residential Burglary	KILN MEWS	08/08/2004	1900	14/08/2004	1450	Thief stole two pedal cycles from insecure shed in garden.
Non-Residential Burglary	GREAVES PLACE	12/08/2004	2300	13/08/2004	0605	Burglar forced open fire exit doors, broke into vending machines and stole cash.



Non-Residential Burglary	PENWORTHAM ROAD	12/08/2004 2000	13/08/2004 1500	Suspect attempted to force entry to outhouse, damaging door.
Non-Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	12/08/2004 0300		Suspects entered and took a forklift truck.
Non-Residential Burglary	BOUNDARIES ROAD	13/08/2004 1330	13/08/2004 1400	35 year old black male entered, stole property and left on a pedal cycle.
Non-Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	14/08/2004 0030	14/08/2004 1030	Burglar damaged glass in door and attempted to prise open lock.
Non-Residential Burglary	MITCHAM LANE	15/08/2004 0001	16/08/2004 0000	Suspects forced entry to lock up garage and stole
Residential Burglary	KHARTOUM ROAD	11/08/2004 2305	12/08/2004 0745	Suspect climbed onto a roof and then entered first floor flat through the bathroom window, which had been left open, and stole.
Residential Burglary	BRODRICK ROAD	11/08/2004 0800	11/08/2004 1900	Thief entered garden and broke window to gain entry.
Residential Burglary	TRINITY ROAD	11/08/2004 0001	11/08/2004 0930	Suspect climbed fence and wall then entered through kitchen window. Stole handbag and cycle, then left through front door.
Residential Burglary	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	12/08/2004 1400		Suspect kicked door of flat above shop, but made off when disturbed by occupier.
Residential Burglary	BROADWATER ROAD	12/08/2004 0700	12/08/2004 1930	Burglar forced the main communal door and then tried to force the door of flat.
Residential Burglary	CHARLMONT ROAD	12/08/2004 0730	12/08/2004 1830	Intruder broke lock on front door and entered with intent to steal



Residential Burglary	TOOTING GROVE	12/08/2004 1300	12/08/2004 1500	Burglar entered through the front door and stole property.
Residential Burglary	HEBDON ROAD	12/08/2004 1415	12/08/2004 1445	No further details available.
Residential Burglary	GATTON ROAD	12/08/2004 1030	12/08/2004 1630	Suspect entered premises through burglary and stole items
Residential Burglary	BEDFORD HILL	13/08/2004 1300	13/08/2004 1530	Suspect entered flat through the unlocked front door and took clothing and other items.
Residential Burglary	MORELLA ROAD	13/08/2004 1910		Suspect disturbed whilst attempting to kick open boarded-up window. He was 30, white, in blue or black leather jacket and blue shirt.
Residential Burglary	GRAVENEY ROAD	13/08/2004 1200	13/08/2004 1600	Intruder entered, possibly after slipping front door latch, searched several rooms and stole property.
Residential Burglary	BEDFORD HILL	13/08/2004 1400	13/08/2004 1430	Suspect forced entry into flat and stole items.
Residential Burglary	PICKETS STREET	14/08/2004 0002	14/08/2004 0800	Suspect used keys, which had been left in door, to enter and steal property.
Residential Burglary	BADMINTON ROAD	14/08/2004 0130	14/08/2004 0700	Burglar entered through front door after the keys had been left in the lock.
Residential Burglary	BALHAM PARK ROAD	14/08/2004 2130	14/08/2004 2315	Suspect forced front door, entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	GRACEDALE ROAD	15/08/2004 0900	15/08/2004 1900	Thief forced open window at front of premises and stole property from bedrooms.
Residential Burglary	NIMROD ROAD	15/08/2004 0100	15/08/2004 0100	Rear garden entered and property taken from the rear of the house
Residential Burglary	MARTINDALE ROAD	15/08/2004 0100	15/08/2004 0430	Suspect entered premises and took property belonging to the occupier
Residential Burglary	GARRATT TERRACE	16/08/2004 0830	16/08/2004 1730	Suspect entered building and took laptops and a camera



Residential Burglary	CROWBOROUGH ROAD	16/08/2004 1200	16/08/2004 1645	Suspect forced entry through front door and stole.
Residential Burglary	BEECHCROFT ROAD	16/08/2004 1700	16/08/2004 1900	Suspect forced entry through front door and stole a pedal cycle from the hallway.
Residential Burglary	LEVERSON STREET	16/08/2004 2315	17/08/2004 0015	Suspect entered premises.

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 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.

Victim Support Wandsworth, tel. 0207 223 1234

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.



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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