



Balham & Tooting Crime Briefing

19 May, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 13 May and 19 May, 2004

STREET CRIME

| Offence | Place | Date | Time | Method |
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| Theft Snatch | CLAPHAM COMMON WEST SIDE | 18/05/20 04 | 2150 | Two suspects snatched victim's bag. 1) Male, 18yrs, black, wearing dark clothing and a black baseball cap 2) Male, 18 yrs, black, in a white hooded top. |
| Street Robbery | FRANCISCAN ROAD | 18/05/20 04 | 1145 | By two black male suspects, aged 20. |
| Street Robbery | MITCHAM ROAD | 18/05/20 04 | 1430 | 15-year-old white male in dark hooded top and black trousers pushed victim and stole her wallet and credit cards. |
| Street Robbery | WELHAM ROAD | 18/05/20 04 | 1515 | As victim left school he was punched in the face and pushed to the ground by three youths who searched him and stole property. One was aged 15, two were black, the other dark skinned, and all wore hooded tops with baseball caps. |
| Street Robbery | TOOTING BROADWAY | 06/05/20 04 | 2100 | Two suspects forcibly stole property. 1) Male, white, 23 yrs, in jeans and trainers 2) male, white, 25 yrs, in blue jeans and dark baseball cap. |
| Theft Snatch | UPPER TOOTING ROAD | 11/05/20 04 | 2330 | Suspect in black hooded top snatched victim's phone. |
| Street Robbery | BALHAM HIGH ROAD | 12/05/20 04 | 2200 | Two suspects punched and kicked bus driver then stole cash. 1) Female, 20 yrs, black, in pink baseball cap and pink jacket 2) Male, 20 yrs, black in green and black army jacket with grey stripes and baseball cap. |
| Theft Snatch | BEDFORD HILL | 13/05/20 04 | 2105 | Male suspect, 25, rode up behind victim and snatched her bag. |



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| Street Robbery | MOYSER ROAD | 14/05/20 04 | 1100 | White male suspect, 14 yrs, held victim in headlock and stole his phone. He then handed back the SIM card and threatened victim again. |
| Street Robbery | BELLEVUE ROAD | 15/05/20 04 | 2350 | Victim was punched to the floor, punched again and his phone was taken. Suspect was white, 16 yrs, in grey tracksuit with scarf over face. |
| Theft Snatch | BROADWAY MARKET, TOOTING HIGH STREET | 15/05/20 04 | 1450 | Suspect took phone from victim's jacket and ran off. He was black, aged 15, with a white hooded top. |
| Theft Snatch | TOOTING BROADWAY | 16/05/20 04 | 0100 | Suspect snatched phone from victim's hand. |
| Street Robbery | PRINGLE GARDENS | 17/05/20 04 | 1900 | Suspect demanded money from victim. When this was refused he hit the victim on head with a statue and stole money. Suspect was 28. Male, white, in grey baseball cap, red and white t-shirt, jeans and blue trainers. |
| Theft Snatch | TOOTING HIGH STREET | 17/05/20 04 | 1100 | Black male suspect, in blue jeans, dark shirt and blue cap, stole property from victim in street. |

BURGLARY

| Offence | Place | Date from | Time from | Date to | Time to | Method |
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| Non-Residential Burglary | WINDMILL DRIVE | 16/05/2004 | 1900 | 17/05/2004 | 0900 | Suspect forced entry through outside door then forced entry into office and took property. |
| Residential Burglary | HILDRETH STREET | 15/05/2004 | 1300 | | | Suspect kicked the front door breaking the doorframe and gained entry. |
| Residential Burglary | THRALE ROAD | 16/05/2004 | 1800 | 17/05/2004 | 2300 | Suspect gained entry and stole cash. |



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| Residential Burglary | BRIGHTWELL CRESCENT | 06/05/2004 0000 | 15/05/2004 | 1110 | Envelopes containing money taken from victim's bedroom. |
| Residential Burglary | BLACKSHAW ROAD | 08/05/2004 1800 | 15/05/2004 | 1600 | Intruder entered flat and stole property. No sign of forcible entry. |
| Residential Burglary | ELMBOURNE ROAD | 11/05/2004 1800 | 11/05/2004 | 2100 | Intruder broke door of flat and took property. |
| Residential Burglary | BEDFORD HILL | 12/05/2004 1910 | 12/05/2004 | 2010 | Suspect walked in to victims flat and stole property |
| Residential Burglary | ELMBOURNE ROAD | 12/05/2004 1030 | 12/05/2004 | 2300 | Thief entered and stole whilst victim was away. |
| Non-Residential Burglary | BEDFORD HILL | 13/05/2004 2330 | 14/05/2004 | 0930 | Burglar entered through front shutters. |
| Residential Burglary | COLSON WAY | 13/05/2004 2200 | 14/05/2004 | 0800 | Suspect climbed over side fence into rear garden and removed outer casing of fan, pushing rest of fan through of kitchen window and attempting to gain entry. |
| Residential Burglary | HURON ROAD | 13/05/2004 0300 | 13/05/2004 | 0700 | Burglar caused damage to front door in attempt to enter. |
| Residential Burglary | TOOTING HIGH STREET | 14/05/2004 1350 | 14/05/2004 | 1410 | Suspect forced entry, but left when disturbed. |
| Residential Burglary | BADMINTON ROAD | 16/05/2004 1340 | | | Suspect attempted to break the front window with his belt buckle before being disturbed by the occupant. He was black, aged 30, in a khaki top. |
| Residential Burglary | BEDFORD HILL | 16/05/2004 1800 | 17/05/2004 | 1430 | Intruder entered through the insecure front door and stole property. |
| Residential Burglary | FAYLAND ESTATE | 16/05/2004 1045 | 16/05/2004 | 1230 | Burglar entered by kicking open front door and stole. |
| Residential Burglary | NOTTINGHAM ROAD | 16/05/2004 1345 | 16/05/2004 | 1800 | Suspects entered through rear door and stole property |



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| Residential Burglary | STAPLETON ROAD | 16/05/2004 | 0010 | | Two suspects forced entry through front window then took property. 1) Male, black, 29 yrs, in black jacket, black trousers and carrying a black and white woollen hat. 2) Male, black, 45 yrs, in black baseball cap, black jacket, dark trousers and black shoes. |
| Residential Burglary | FAYLAND AVENUE | 17/05/2004 | 1315 | 17/05/2004 1325 | Two suspects smashed window, entered and removed property. One was 16 years, female, white; the other was a white male, aged 17. |
| Residential Burglary | MARIUS ROAD | 17/05/2004 | 1640 | | Several suspects knocked on door, then kicked it open when they did not get an answer and stole property. Victim left through back of premises. One suspect was 45, male, black. |
| Residential Burglary | OLD HOSPITAL CLOSE | 17/05/2004 | 1245 | 17/05/2004 1540 | 24-year-old black male in orange shirt and jeans climbed drainpipe and entered front bedroom through window, then stole property. |

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 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.

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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