

Tooting Crime Briefing

19 October, 2006

If you are able to provide any information on terrorist offences, call the Anti-Terrorist Hotline, on **0800 789 321**.

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 12 October and 19 October, 2006

STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	BALHAM GROVE	12/10/2006	1335	Black male, Aged about 18, in a dark puffa jacket and jeans, ran up behind victim, attempted to take bag, and knocked victim to ground.	BALHAM
Theft snatch	DAGNAN ROAD	15/10/2006	0130	18 year old thief on a bicycle snatched victim's handbag. He was wearing a blue hooded top and jeans, and was accompanied by another male on a bicycle.	BALHAM
Theft snatch	FRANSICAN ROAD	11/10/2006	1840	Victim's mobile phone snatched by black male, aged about 15, in a black top and blue jeans.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	GARRADS ROAD	16/10/2006	1710	Victim grabbed and shaken by thief who demanded mobile phone. He was black, aged about 15, in a grey hooded top and grey jogging trousers.	BALHAM
Robbery personal property	EMMANUEL ROAD	15/10/2006	1945	Several youths surrounded victim, then black male, aged about 16, in a black hooded top, threatened victim with a knife and demanded property.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	TOOTING BEC COMMON	12/10/2006	1935	Two thieves attacked victim from behind and stole his laptop computer. 1) Black, male, aged about 20, in a grey hooded top and dark trousers 2) no description available.	BEDFORD

Theft snatch	EARLSFIELD ROAD	13/10/2006	2350	Victim's phone was snatched by a black male in dark clothing.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	WANDSWORTH COMMON	15/10/2006	1545	White male, aged about 20, threatened victim with a knife and forced him to hand over property.	EARLSFIELD
Theft snatch	CHILLERTON ROAD	13/10/2006	1605	Victim's phone was snatched from him by a black male, aged about 20, stocky build, in a black hooded tracksuit.	FURZEDOWN
Theft snatch	MITCHAM LANE	14/10/2006	1600	Two thieves ran up behind the victim and then snatched his phone. One was a black boy aged about 12.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	TOOTING BEC	16/10/2006	1630	Victim was threatened and hit on the hand, causing injury, by thief who stole his mobile phone. He was aged about 16, Asian, in a blue denim jacket and blue jeans.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property	MITCHAM ROAD	12/10/2006	1635	Female, aged about 15, black, took phone from victim and punched her in the neck. She was wearing a white shirt, blue jeans and white jacket.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	MITCHAM ROAD	15/10/2006	0010	30 year old black male hit victim on the shoulder, knocking her to the ground, and stole her handbag. He was wearing a dark grey hooded top and dark trousers.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	BALHAM PARK ROAD	16/10/2006	2230	Thief threatened victim and demanded money. He was black, aged about 16, in a dark hooded top and dark trousers.	NIGHTINGALE
Theft snatch	BELLEVUE ROAD	14/10/2006	2025	Two white males, aged about 25, snatched victim's handbag as she was walking her dog.	NIGHTINGALE
Theft snatch	FISHPONDS ROAD	11/10/2006	1415	Black male, aged about 17, wearing a grey hooded top, snatched victim's phone.	TOOTING

Robbery personal property	MANDRAKE ROAD	11/10/2006	2000	Three females, no description, asked victim for her bag then hit her on the head and back.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	MOFFAT ROAD	14/10/2006	1400	Black male, aged about 15, demanded victims' phones then hit them in the face when they refused. He wore a beige jacket with a sheepskin lining, dark blue jeans and black trainers.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	TOOTING HIGH STREET	14/10/2006	0215	Male thief punched victim in the face and stole cash whilst he was withdrawing it from ATM.	TOOTING
Theft snatch	TOOTING HIGH STREET	17/10/2006	1220	Thief snatched handbag from victim's lap and was chased by victim. He dropped the bag, which was recovered by victim, and was detained by member of the public but broke free. He was in his mid-twenties, black, in a grey hooded top and dark trousers.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	UPPER TOOTING ROAD	12/10/2006	1630	Three thieves threatened victim with a knife and stole his mobile phone. One was Asian, aged about 15, male, in a navy hooded top and with braces on his teeth.	TOOTING

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	CHILDEBERT ROAD	10/10/2006	0900			Flat broken into and property taken.	BEDFORD

Burglary dwelling	RITHERDON ROAD	11/10/2006	0730	12/10/2006 1730	Thief broke glass in back door to enter and steal DVD player.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	TOOTING BEC ROAD	11/10/2006	0800	11/10/2006 1930	Burglar entered and stole.	BEDFORD
Deception burglary	TOPSHAM ROAD	11/10/2006	1500	11/10/2006 1530	20 year old white male posed as gas board official and barged past the victim after showing some form of ID card and stating there was a gas leak. He then stole property from side table. He was dressed in a black jumper and black trousers.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	BRAMSTON ROAD	13/10/2006	0730	13/10/2006 2359	Burglar entered and stole.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	BUCHAREST ROAD	14/10/2006	1745	14/10/2006 1745	Burglar broke in through front bay window and stole Nintendo system. He was black, aged about 17, dressed in a blue sweatshirt.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	BURCOTE ROAD	11/10/2006	0420	11/10/2006 0425	Intruder broke open ground floor window, entered and searched then stole property.	EARLSFIELD
Theft snatch	DUNTS HILL ROAD	18/10/2006	0645		Burglar climbed scaffolding to first floor, but left when disturbed.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	LYTTON GROVE	17/10/2006	1320	17/10/2006 1610	Burglar forced front door, breaking lock.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	SWABY ROAD	12/10/2006	1600	12/10/2006 1730	Intruder entered through unlocked back door whilst victim was asleep, and stole laptop computer.	EARLSFIELD

Burglary dwelling	WAYNFLETE STREET	16/10/2006	1736	16/10/2006 1738	Burglar used bodily force to break open front door, then entered and stole.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	ABBOTSLEIGH ROAD	14/10/2006	1800		14 year old white boy stole bicycle from open garage.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	ALDRINGTON ROAD	13/10/2006	0050	13/10/2006 0102	Burglar attempted to enter flat.	FURZEDOWN
Aggravated burglary dwelling	ALDRINGTON ROAD	14/10/2006	0700	14/10/2006 0720	White male, aged about 25, broke into flat and attacked occupier in bed. He was wearing a beige top and blue jeans.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	EARDLEY ROAD	10/10/2006	0820	10/10/2006 1800	Intruder entered, searched premises and stole property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	EARDLEY ROAD	13/10/2006	0030		Burglar entered through small side window, and stole large quantity of property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	EASTWOOD STREET	16/10/2006	0830	16/10/2006 2000	Burglar climbed fences into back garden, then forced entry through ground floor window, entered and stole.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	FAYLAND AVENUE	10/10/2006	1000	10/10/2006 2000	Black female, late fifties, climbed into flat through open window and stole cash.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	LEVERSON STREET	18/10/2006	0755	18/10/2006 1840	Intruder smashed rear window and entered, then searched and stole property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	NIMROD ROAD	17/10/2006	1800	17/10/2006 2130	Thief forced entry and stole.	FURZEDOWN

Burglary dwelling	SPALDING ROAD	17/10/2006	1930	17/10/2006 2230	Intruder forced front door, searched premises and stole property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	HIMLEY ROAD	18/10/2006	0745	18/10/2006 1915	Intruder entered and stole.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	TREVELYAN ROAD	15/10/2006	0400	15/10/2006 0405	Black male, early forties, entered through open window, then left through front door. He was wearing a blue tracksuit trousers, a striped t-shirt, black jacket and white trainers.	GRAVENEY
Theft snatch	BOUNDARIES ROAD	02/10/2006	0001	02/10/2006 2359	Burglar broke door handle and damaged latch in attempt to enter.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	BRENDA ROAD	11/10/2006	2030	11/10/2006 2030	As victim was unloading her car a thief entered and stole her handbag from the hallway.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	BRENDA ROAD	15/10/2006	0300	15/10/2006 0330	White male, late twenties, stole bicycle from hallway.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ST JAMES DRIVE	10/10/2006	1800	11/10/2006 1300	Thief entered unlocked communal hallway and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ANSELL ROAD	12/10/2006	1230	12/10/2006 1730	Burglar used tools to break open door and window, then entered, searched premises and stole property.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	HEREWARD ROAD	17/10/2006	0845	17/10/2006 2000	Intruder smashed rear window in order to enter.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	KHAMA ROAD	12/10/2006	0920	12/10/2006 2020	Intruder entered and removed property.	TOOTING

Theft snatch	MANDRAKE ROAD	18/10/2006	1135		20 year old black male entered, leaving when disturbed by victim. He was wearing a black jacket, white shirt and black trousers.	TOOTING
Deception burglary	ROGERS ROAD	13/10/2006	1010	13/10/2006 1030	Two white males tricked their way into victim's home and distracted her, then stole cash and bank books.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	ALLFARTHING LANE	13/10/2006	1400	13/10/2006 1500	Black male, aged about 25, entered and took property from top floor. He was wearing a blue jacket and blue jeans.	FAIRFIELD

WHO TO CONTACT IF YOU CAN HELP?

If you can help solve any of the crimes mentioned above, or can assist in identifying the person(s) responsible, please contact **Tooting Police Sector Office on 020 8247 8383** or **Wandsworth Control Room on 020 7350 1122** (24 hrs).

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

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, tel. 0208 870 2020 can 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.

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.

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 contact Zainab on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail flash@vswandsworth.org.uk . This service is managed by Victim Support Wandsworth.

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.