



## Tooting Crime Briefing

23 December, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 16 December and 23 December, 2004

### STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery	<b>ALDERBROOK ROAD</b>	21/12/2004	1335	Suspect pushed victim and attempted to pull handbag from her.
Street Robbery	<b>HILDRETH STREET</b>	16/12/2004	1725	Suspect pushed the victim into a shop, then took his mobile phone and money from his pocket and stole his bike.
Commercial Robbery	<b>TRINITY ROAD</b>	21/12/2004	1700	Six male suspects entered office, climbed on desks and pushed victims to the floor. They then stole cash box and money and left. They were aged about 18; five were black and one white.
Street Robbery	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	15/12/2004	1134	Three black males, aged 16, surrounded victim and stole money from him. One wore a grey hooded top.
Street Robbery	<b>BEEHCROFT ROAD</b>	16/12/2004	1055	Victim was threatened and punched by suspect, who stole £500 from him. He was aged 16, Asian, in a sky blue hooded jacket, blue jeans, black shoes and a grey woollen hat with black lines on.
Street Robbery	<b>DERINTON ROAD</b>	15/12/2004	2334	Victim left his keys in his vehicle as he made a delivery. When he returned he was threatened with a knife by a white male, aged 25, who stole the vehicle.
Street Robbery	<b>TOOTING BEC ROAD</b>	16/12/2004	1850	Suspect demanded property, then punched victim.



Street Robbery	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	20/12/2004 1600	Three suspects stole property from victim's bag. 1) Female, black, in a black coat and hat 2) male, white, aged 17 yrs, in a grey woollen hat 3) male, black, aged 17.
Street Robbery	<b>TRINITY ROAD</b>	20/12/2004 0100	17 year old black male, wearing a dark hooded sweatshirt, threatened victim with a knife and demanded money. He then searched victim, stealing cash and her phone.
Theft Snatch	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	11/12/2004 0130	15 year old male, Mediterranean appearance, ran past victim and snatched his phone.
Theft Snatch	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	17/12/2004 1915	15 year old black male suspect snatched victim's mobile phone as he used it. He was wearing a dark blue jacket and jeans.
Theft Snatch	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	21/12/2004 1410	Suspect grabbed victim's mobile phone as he was using it, and ran across road, where he was hit by a car and dropped the phone, which was recovered by the victim. Suspect was aged 15, male, black, wearing a dark blue Chelsea FC anorak, dark blue tracksuit bottoms and black Nike trainers. He now also has a limp and is revising his Highway Code.
Theft Snatch	<b>BICKLEY STREET</b>	15/12/2004 0030	30 year old black male snatched victim's phone as he was using it.
Theft Snatch	<b>BOUNDARIES ROAD</b>	15/12/2004 1400	Victim's mobile phone was snatched by a 19 year old black man who was wearing a blue top and blue and white woollen hat.
Theft Snatch	<b>GAMBOLE ROAD</b>	20/12/2004 1800	Suspect snatched victim's handbag.
Theft Snatch	<b>TOOTING BEC ROAD</b>	20/12/2004 0030	Suspect threatened victim with a knife and stole her handbag and contents. He was aged 19, black, wearing a black hooded top and a scarf.

## BURGLARY



Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Residential Burglary	<b>BLAKENHAM ROAD</b>	13/12/2004	0750	13/12/2004	1330	16 year old black male forced rear window, entered and stole electronic game.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	<b>COTEFORD STREET</b>	18/12/2004	2330	18/12/2004	2350	Two suspects posed as police officers and gained entry. Once inside they threatened the victim with violence and stole property. 1) Female, white, aged 20 2) male, black, aged 20, in dark clothing.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	<b>GLENBURNIE ROAD</b>	16/12/2004	2000	17/12/2004	1630	Suspect borrowed money from victim under false pretences, then returned and borrowed more. She then stole wallet and a purse containing money and cards. She was aged 25, white, wearing a dark blue zip-topped tracksuit, with a white motif on the front.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	<b>GLENBURNIE ROAD</b>	21/12/2004	1955	21/12/2004	2000	Suspect posed as police officer and then pushed his way into house before taking a bag containing 2 cameras. He was aged 30, white, wearing a red top and grey hat.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HIGH RD</b>	20/12/2004	1530	20/12/2004	1600	29 year old black male suspect entered and stole safe.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>BLACKSHAW ROAD</b>	16/12/2004	1245	16/12/2004	1300	23 year old white male stole computer from office, but was detained by security staff.
Residential Burglary	<b>ALDRINGTON ROAD</b>	20/12/2004	2000			Two suspects, one white, one black, kicked door in attempt to enter.
Residential Burglary	<b>ALSTON ROAD</b>	22/12/2004	0815	22/12/2004	2000	Thief broke open patio door and stole electrical goods and jewellery.
Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	16/12/2004	1800	17/12/2004	1720	Suspect kicked door open and stole playstation and games.



Residential Burglary	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	14/12/2004 2345	15/12/2004 0700	Burglar broke down communal door and stole two bicycles from hallway.
Residential Burglary	<b>BEIRA STREET</b>	29/11/2004 0730	13/12/2004 1745	By 25 year old white suspect, wearing jeans.
Residential Burglary	<b>BRACKEN AVENUE</b>	18/12/2004 2330	19/12/2004 0830	Suspect entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>COLSON WAY</b>	15/12/2004 0730	15/12/2004 1820	Suspect used scaffolding to climb to second floor flat and entered.
Residential Burglary	<b>COTEFORD STREET</b>	16/12/2004 1928		White female entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>ELMFIELD ROAD</b>	14/12/2004 2100	15/12/2004 1800	Suspect entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>FRANCISCAN ROAD</b>	17/12/2004 2300	18/12/2004 0130	Suspect entered through open window and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>LITTLE DIMOCKS</b>	16/12/2004 0005	16/12/2004 0010	Suspect climbed drainpipe and opened a window which had been left partially opened, but was then disturbed.
Residential Burglary	<b>MANVILLE ROAD</b>	17/12/2004 1200	18/12/2004 0300	Suspect forced front door and stole documents.
Residential Burglary	<b>MELLISON ROAD</b>	16/12/2004 1400		Intruder entered hallway of house whilst the front door was left open. Suspect was disturbed by victim who was sitting in his car directly outside the house. Suspect was female, black, very dark skinned, aged 30, in scruffy casual clothing.
Residential Burglary	<b>RENMUIR STREET</b>	15/12/2004 1600	15/12/2004 2130	Suspect forced open rear ground floor window, entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>ROGERS ROAD</b>	19/12/2004 0001		Suspect entered through unlocked back door and stole video camera & laptop computer.



Residential Burglary	<b>SMALLWOOD ROAD</b>	17/12/2004 1220	17/12/2004 1240	White female suspect, aged 32, wearing a denim skirt and black top, entered and stole cash.
Residential Burglary	<b>STAPLETON ROAD</b>	19/12/2004 0530	19/12/2004 0540	Black suspect, wearing a pale blue top, broke in, intending to steal.
Residential Burglary	<b>THRALE ROAD</b>	10/12/2004 1600	17/12/2004 1030	Victim's property taken from flat whilst victim was away for a week.
Residential Burglary	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	15/12/2004 1530	15/12/2004 1630	Suspect entered through first floor window and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>UPPER TOOTING ROAD</b>	21/12/2004 0845	21/12/2004 1730	Suspect kicked open door and removed property.
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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 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/](http://www.online.police.uk/) This is only for non-urgent crimes, where an immediate police response is not required.

## ASSISTANCE

**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.



**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. 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.

## 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.

Please note that the ability to view bulletins for other parts of the borough via the Wandsworth Council web site has been temporarily suspended.

