



Tooting Crime Briefing

23 March, 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 17 March and 23 March, 2006

STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	WELHAM ROAD	15/03/2006	1530	Two 17 year old males demanded mobile phones, and then assaulted two victims. 1) White, in a black track suit and a beanie hat 2) black, in a black hooded jacket and black jogging trousers.	FURZEDOWN
Robbery personal property		17/03/2006	2345	Two 18 year old black males held victim at knifepoint and stole property. 1) Dressed in blue denim jacket, dark jeans and gloves 2) in dark thigh length hooded jacket, dark jeans, dark cap and gloves.	GRAVENEY
Robbery personal property	DALEBURY ROAD	17/03/2006	1537	16 year old Asian male pushed victim against a car and searched his pockets.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	ELMFIELD ROAD	18/03/2006	2105	Victim was approached by a group of males who demanded his phone. He refused and had a struggle with one. 1) Aged 16, black, in a green top 2) aged 16, black, with a white bandana around his face.	BEDFORD



Robbery personal property	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	20/03/2006	1107	Thief grabbed victim by the jacket, stole a phone from his pocket and then kicked him to the ground and kicked him again once he was down. He was black, aged 19, in a green jacket, blue jeans, black t-shirt, black woolly hat and trainers.	BEDFORD
Robbery personal property	GARRATT LANE	22/03/2006	1835	30 year old white male jumped over counter to takeaway shop, threatened staff with a knife, and demanded that they open the till.	EARLSFIELD

BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary non-residential	WESTOVER ROAD	20/09/2005	1800	08/03/2006	1100	Thief stole cycles from garden shed.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	COWICK ROAD	22/02/2006	1200			Thief stole property from back garden shed.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	ELMBOURNE ROAD	08/03/2006	0001	20/03/2006	1200	No details available.	BEDFORD
Burglary non-residential	BURNTWOOD LANE	11/03/2006	1020	11/03/2006	1420	Four white boys aged 11-14, entered and stole sweets and confectionery.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary non-residential	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	11/03/2006	2030			Burglar cut alarm and telephone cables at rear of building.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	BRODRICK ROAD	14/03/2006	2300	15/03/2006	0700	Burglar released latch on door by reaching through letterbox, entered and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE



Burglary non-residential	MONTFORT PLACE	14/03/2006 1800	15/03/2006 0900	Intruder removed beading from around window then broke two other windows in attempt to enter.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	CULVERDEN ROAD	15/03/2006 0900		Thief entered the garden via a gate at the rear and removed items from summer house.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	MITCHAM LANE	15/03/2006 1930	16/03/2006 0130	Burglar broke fence and attempted to force entry through back door.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary non-residential	STATION PARADE	15/03/2006 1600	16/03/2006 1030	Thief broke window and stole quantity of jeans, hats and bags.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	DEWEY STREET	16/03/2006 0839		Thief entered and stole.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	EFFORT STREET	16/03/2006 1000	16/03/2006 2130	Burglar attacked door with a hammer, causing damage.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	FALLSBROOK ROAD	16/03/2006 1030	16/03/2006 1930	Intruder entered through rear window and took property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	BECLANDS ROAD	17/03/2006 0900	17/03/2006 1715	Intruder forced entry through rear kitchen door.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary non-residential	BALHAM HILL	18/03/2006 0045	18/03/2006 0225	White male forced two rear doors then removed drawer of till and stole cash. He was wearing a white jacket and a dark baseball cap.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	ANVIL CLOSE	18/03/2006 2330	18/03/2006 2345	Burglar broke latch on first floor window in attempt to enter, after cutting cable on outside of building.	FURZEDOWN



Deception burglary	LONGLEY ROAD	19/03/2006 1525	19/03/2006 1535	30 year old white male attempted to gain access after claiming to be from water board, but was refused entry. He was wearing trousers and a jacket.	GRAVENEY
Burglary non-residential	CAVENDISH ROAD	19/03/2006 0100	19/03/2006 0920	Burglar smashed the side ground floor window and gained entry.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	FERNTHORPE ROAD	19/03/2006 0800	19/03/2006 1620	Intruder forced front door and took items.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	SWAFFIELD ROAD	19/03/2006 2000	20/03/2006 0700	Thief forced entry and stole items.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	CULVERDEN ROAD	20/03/2006 1930	21/03/2006 1000	Burglar forced side gate, then entered through unlocked back door and stole property.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	BALHAM HIGH ROAD	21/03/2006 0715	21/03/2006 0830	Intruder entered through communal front door, then went to first floor flat, broke door in half and stole television set.	BALHAM
Burglary dwelling	HOLMSIDE ROAD	21/03/2006 1400	21/03/2006 2100	Thief forced living room window then stole jewellery and camera from bedroom.	BALHAM

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**

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.

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.