



# Tooting Crime Briefing

24 February, 2005

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 18 February and 24 February, 2005

## STREET CRIME

Offence	Street	Date	Time	Method
Robbery	<b>BEECHCROFT ROAD</b>	17/02/2005	0030	By five Asian males, aged 20. No further description.
Robbery	<b>GASKARTH ROAD</b>	18/02/2005	0100	Suspect threatened victim then snatched her bag. He was white, aged 20, in a black or grey hooded top.
Theft	<b>HILLIER ROAD</b>	23/2/2005	1932	20 year old suspect wearing a black jacket and black jeans cycled towards victim and snatched her handbag.
Snatch				

## BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Residential Burglary	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	23/2/2005	0730	23/2/2005	1400	Suspect entered and stole.
Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HILL</b>	22/2/2005	0900	22/2/2005	1745	Burglar climbed on to wall then smashed window of flat, entered and stole.



## 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

**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.

**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.

## 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.