

Tooting Crime Briefing

27 February, 2009

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 19 February and 27 February, 2009

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	BURNTWOOD LANE	23/02/2009	1600	As victim was leaving school four males grabbed her from behind, pushed her to the ground and stole her bag. Two of them, aged 14 and 15, wore black clothing with hooded tops.	EARLSFIELD
Robbery personal property	BOUNDARIES ROAD	22/02/2009	1900	Two 18 year old white males pushed victim from behind and stole her bag. One had an English accent and the other had a white semi-transparent face covering.	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	HEARNVILLE ROAD	17/02/2009	2300	Victim was pushed to the ground and kicked, causing injury to face, by two thieves who then stole property. 1) 20 year old black male in a dark hooded top with horizontal stripes 2) 20 year old black male in a grey hooded top and a black and white scarf	NIGHTINGALE
Robbery personal property	GARRATT TERRACE	24/02/2009	1740	16 year old male forced victim to take off clothing, then punched her in the face, arm and back and stole a silver necklace.	TOOTING
Robbery personal property	EAST HILL	18/02/2009	0015	2 black males in dark clothing asked victim for a light then pushed her away and snatched her handbag.	WANDSWORTH COMMON

BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	CULVERDEN ROAD	19/02/2009	1815	19/02/2009	1830	Burglar used stone from back garden to break ground floor patio door then entered and stole.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	ELMFIELD ROAD	22/02/2009	1600	22/02/2009	1800	Burglar forced window, searched flat and stole property.	BEDFORD

Burglary dwelling	STREATHBOURNE ROAD	17/02/2009	2230	18/02/2009	0530	Burglar forced front ground floor window and removed property.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	TERRAPIN ROAD	22/02/2009	2035			Intruder damaged front window in attempt to enter.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	TOPSHAM ROAD	20/02/2009	2300			Intruder broke several panes of glass in front door with large stone.	BEDFORD
Burglary dwelling	ALGARVE ROAD	19/02/2009	0001	19/02/2009	0800	Intruder slipped latch on front door, entered and stole items, then stole victim's car from outside.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	MASKELL ROAD	16/02/2009	1420	19/02/2009	2100	Intruder attempted to force door.	EARLSFIELD
Burglary dwelling	COLSON WAY	20/02/2009	1600	22/02/2009	1640	Intruder kicked door, causing damage and breaking door frame, then entered and stole property.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary non-residential	MITCHAM LANE	20/02/2009	1930	21/02/2009	0800	Burglar broke rear ground floor window of shop in attempt to enter.	FURZEDOWN
Burglary dwelling	FRANCISCAN ROAD	18/02/2009	0100	18/02/2009	0800	Intruder entered through open ground floor window and removed property.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	MORING ROAD	24/02/2009	1730	24/02/2009	1740	Burglar forced front door and entered.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	TOTTERDOWN STREET	20/02/2009	0845	20/02/2009	1930	Burglar entered and stole property, leaving through ground floor front window.	GRAVENEY
Burglary dwelling	ALBOURNE ROAD	16/02/2009	0830	20/02/2009	0900	Burglar broke glass in front door and damaged area around lock in attempt to enter.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	NIGHTINGALE LANE	23/02/2009	0810	23/02/2009	1700	Burglar forced open garden gate, then climbed through ground floor bedroom window and stole property.	NIGHTINGALE
Burglary dwelling	ANSELL ROAD	18/02/2009	0730	18/02/2009	1502	Two 18 year old white males entered and attempted to steal property before being disturbed. One carried a dark blue duffle bag and the other had a black hooded top with gold detailing on front.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	FOUNTAIN ROAD	03/02/2009	0830	03/02/2009	1600	Burglar damaged letterbox and broke two panes of glass in front door in attempt to enter.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	GILBEY ROAD	20/02/2009	0212			Burglar forced entry.	TOOTING
Burglary dwelling	BASSINGHAM ROAD	20/02/2009	2230	21/02/2009	0640	Intruder forced entry and stole.	WANDSWORTH COMMON

Burglary dwelling	EARLSFIELD ROAD	21/02/2009	0030	21/02/2009	0440	Intruders entered and stole car keys then attempted to steal car from drive. 1) Male, white, aged 18, in a dark hooded top, dark trousers and white socks 2) male, white, aged 18, in a dark hooded top and denim trousers 3) male, white, aged 18, in a light coloured hooded top and dark trousers.	WANDSWORTH COMMON
Burglary dwelling	KILLARNEY ROAD	16/02/2009	2230	17/02/2009	0630	Thief entered through front ground floor window and stole property.	WANDSWORTH COMMON



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 your local police station on **020 7350 1122**, or your local Safer Neighbourhood Team, details of which can be found at <http://preview.tinyurl.com/2guddc>

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 <https://online.met.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, at 549 Old York Road, London, SW18, **tel. 020 8877 8940** can offer advice and assistance to the over-50s, whether or not you have been a victim of crime.

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 Donna on 020 7223 1234 or e-mail flash@vswandsworth.org.uk . Victim Support Wandsworth manages this service.

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.