



## Tooting Crime Briefing

28 April, 2004

Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Tooting police between 22 April and 28 April, 2004

### STREET CRIME

Offence	Place	Date	Time	Method
Street Robbery	<b>SALTERFORD ROAD</b>	20/04/2004	1900	14 year old black male suspect wearing Nike trousers threatened victim and demanded property.
Street Robbery	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	23/04/2004	2118	Suspect demanded phone and punched victim in face.
Street Robbery	<b>BALHAM HILL</b>	24/04/2004	1800	Three suspects threatened victim then held him while they searched him and stole property. 1) 15 yrs, black, in navy blue long sleeved top and blue jeans 2) 16 yrs, black, in dark clothing 3) 18 yrs, black, in light coloured short sleeved top and blue jeans.
Street Robbery	<b>MITCHAM ROAD</b>	24/04/2004	1600	Asian suspect approached the victim from behind, hit her on the back of her neck and grabbed her handbag.
Theft Snatch	<b>TOOTING HIGH STREET</b>	24/04/2004	1830	Five suspects stole victim's phone. All were black, male, aged 17-18 yrs. 1) Dressed in black tracksuit 2) Mole on left side of chin, puffy eyes, wearing a black woollen hat and a baseball cap 3) Fat face, afro hair with two plaits, baseball cap 4) Black hat, black t-shirt, black string vest, wearing a black and white Nike tracksuit 5) light skinned, with plaited hair.
Theft Snatch	<b>UPPER TOOTING ROAD</b>	24/04/2004	1600	Suspect, no description, stole victim's purse at check-out.



Theft Snatch	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	27/04/2004	0930	Suspect in dark hooded top and dark jeans snatched handbag from victim's shoulder.
Street Robbery	<b>OAKMEAD ROAD</b>	27/04/2004	0130	Two black males pulled victim's bag, knocking her over.
Street Robbery	<b>AMNER ROAD</b>	27/04/2004	0915	By two black males, 23 yrs, one in a blue baseball cap, the other in a white hooded top.

## BURGLARY

Offence	Place	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method
Residential Burglary	<b>HENDHAM ROAD</b>	23/04/2004	2000	24/04/2004	0900	White female removed property from the victim's bedside cabinet.
Burglary Artifice - Residential	<b>FRANCHE COURT ROAD</b>	26/04/2004	1050			Victims found male in dark clothing in hallway of her house. When asked what he was doing, he said he was from the Gas Board. They then saw a second suspect, 40 yrs, male, white, with a blue t-shirt and a large beer belly coming down the stairs. Both suspects then left.
Residential Burglary	<b>LONGLEY ROAD</b>	08/04/2004	1400	23/04/2004	1500	Mobile phone stolen from victim's room.



Residential Burglary	<b>SMALLWOOD ROAD</b>	22/04/2004	2215	24/04/2004	1200	Suspects jemmed open double glazed French windows and stole property.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	23/04/2004	1235	23/04/2004	1305	Suspect, male, black, 18 yrs, in grey hooded top and dark trousers held shopkeeper and tried to take cash from till, damaging till in process.
Residential Burglary	<b>BEDFORD HILL</b>	24/04/2004	2215	24/04/2004	2240	Suspect asked for money to make phone call and was taken to victim's flat where he stole property. He was white, 25 yrs, in light track suit top.
Residential Burglary	<b>BUSHEY DOWN</b>	24/04/2004	0045	24/04/2004	0150	Suspects entered and stole.
Aggravated Burglary - Residential	<b>MULBERRY CLOSE, NORTH DRIVE</b>	24/04/2004	0001	24/04/2004	0010	Suspect forced entry through a rear window and punched victim in the face and ribs before stealing £60 in cash. He was 35 yrs, male, white, in dark tracksuit.
Residential Burglary	<b>FRANCISCAN ROAD</b>	25/04/2004	2330	25/04/2004	2335	Burglar removed a leaded light from the front door in an attempt to enter the premises, but was disturbed and made off. He was male, black, 25 yrs, dressed in a navy rugby shirt with green and orange stripes and a navy baseball cap. He carried a black rucksack and a large carrier bag.



Residential Burglary	<b>UPPER TOOTING PARK</b>	25/04/2004 0418	25/04/2004 0422	Suspect climbed to an open first floor window and leant in to steal.
Non-Residential Burglary	<b>BALHAM HIGH ROAD</b>	25/04/2004 0230		Suspect broke into shop and stole property.
Residential Burglary	<b>ELMBOURNE ROAD</b>	25/04/2004 1400	25/04/2004 1500	Burglar entered through an open front window.
Residential Burglary	<b>BEECHCROFT RD</b>	26/04/2004 2300	26/04/2004 2330	Suspect barging into room and took items

## 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 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.

## 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.