

Putney Crime Briefing

2 August, 2007



Attached are details of the street crimes and burglaries reported to Putney police between 26 July and 2 August, 2007

STREET CRIME

Crime	Venue	Date	Time	Method	Ward
Robbery personal property	STRATHAN CLOSE	30/07/2007	0115	Two 21 year old black males intimidated that they had a gun, tried to push victim into a car and stole laptop computer. One was baby-faced, with a grey hooded top and the other wore a red hooded top and black jeans.	EAST PUTNEY
Robbery business property	UPPER RICHMOND ROAD	30/07/2007	2215	Five thieves entered store and picked up items, then threatened shopkeeper when he confronted them. One then punched the victim in the face and they left. 1) Female, white, aged 16 2) female, white, aged 15, in a hooded top with stars on 3) male, black, aged 15, in a hooded top 4) male, black, aged 16 5) male, black, aged 16, in a hooded top and sunglasses.	EAST PUTNEY
Theft snatch	DANEBURY AVENUE	30/07/2007	1605	Black male, wearing a light grey hooded top and light blue jeans, snatched victim's shoulder bag from behind.	ROEHAMPTON
Robbery personal property	ROEHAMPTON LANE	30/07/2007	2145	By four black males, aged about 23. No further details available.	ROEHAMPTON
Theft snatch	PENWITH ROAD	28/07/2007	1945	Four thieves demanded victim's phone. 1) Male, black, aged 17, in a red t-shirt 2) male, white, aged 17, in a white t-shirt 3) male, black, aged 14 4) aged 12, in white t-shirt with writing on, riding a pedal cycle.	SOUTHFIELDS
Theft snatch	LOWER RICHMOND ROAD	28/07/2007	1830	Male on pedal cycle rode up behind victim and snatched her mobile phone.	THAMESFIELD
Theft snatch	PUTNEY HIGH STREET	26/07/2007	1310	Victim was distracted whilst in bank and his wallet was stolen by two women. 1) White, aged 30, in dark clothing 2) white, aged 30, in dark clothing and a blue patterned headscarf.	THAMESFIELD

Theft snatch **PUTNEY HIGH STREET** 28/07/2007 1240 Thief stole purse from victim's shoulder bag. THAMESFIELD

BURGLARY

Crime	Venue	Date from	Time from	Date to	Time to	Method	Ward
Burglary dwelling	ALTON ROAD	27/07/2007	1100	27/07/2007	1425	Intruder entered front garden and smashed the front window and also tried to gain entry through a side door.	ROEHAMPTON
Burglary dwelling	FRENSHAM DRIVE	30/07/2007	0505			Burglar tried to enter but was disturbed. He was a white male, aged 20, dressed in a dark cream bomber jacket over a dark hooded top.	ROEHAMPTON
Burglary dwelling	TANGLEY GROVE	28/07/2007	1000	28/07/2007	1500	White male, aged 21, wearing a polo shirt, posed as a water board worker to gain entry. Once inside he stole cash.	ROEHAMPTON

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 **Putney Police Sector Office on 020 8785 8874**

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, 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.

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.