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SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAMS

<http://www.met.police.uk/saferneighbourhoods>

Emergency & Non Emergency Calls

Please use "999" for emergency calls and "101" for non-emergency calls.

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A message from the Met.Police about Burglary Prevention

Most burglaries tend to be opportunistic rather than planned. So if your home does not look secure, seems unlivd in, or provides unobserved access, it could be at risk.

10 Top Tips:

1. Mark or etch your property with your postcode, house or flat number or the first three letters of your house name.
2. Register items with a serial number at: www.immobilise.com
3. Do not leave your car keys or ID documents near doors, letterbox or windows.
4. Always check who's at the door and don't open it if you feel anxious.
5. Close and lock all your doors and windows, even if you are only going out for a few minutes.
6. Keep your valuables out of sight.
7. Leave some lights on if it will be dark before you get home.
8. Install a visible burglar alarm.
9. Always keep sheds and outbuildings locked.
10. Cancel milk or other deliveries if you will be away for days or weeks at a time.

A building that presents itself as unoccupied and insecure is far more likely to be targeted than one which is properly secured:

Side gates open
Accessible windows open
Ladders left out, allowing access to otherwise inaccessible windows
Garden tools available to force entry
Untrimmed hedges or high fences preventing natural surveillance

Residents of multi occupancy dwellings or flats should be mindful not to grant entry to people via an entry phone system, if they do not know them, and to be cautious of people seeking to 'tailgate' them into buildings.

The question is, are the occupants in?

Milk bottles or parcels on the doorstep
Newspapers and mail in the letter box
Unlit houses after dark
All windows shut in very hot weather

These are signs telling the burglar that he is unlikely to be disturbed in the course of his work. To a burglar, a stuffed letter box is a dead giveaway when you're not at home. Ask a neighbour to remove your post while you are away.

Are you leaving a thief the key to your house?

Never leave a spare key concealed anywhere near the front door - burglars know all the hiding places
Prevent letterbox burglaries by storing keys away from the front door
Do not label your house keys in case you lose them and they fall into the wrong hands.

Remove temptation

Where possible, try to keep valuables out of sight from windows.

Make it look as though your house is occupied

Install timers which switch lights or radios on and off automatically.
Have a neighbour or friend pop round to clear your letter box or doorstep.
Encourage a neighbour to park on your drive.
If going out after dark, draw the curtains, leave some lights on and a radio playing.

To a burglar, a dark doorway is an opportunity to hide. Fit a security light over your front door to deter burglars.

If you are away for extended periods

Cancel the delivery of milk and newspapers
Disconnect the telephone answering machine, or re-word your greeting message to give the impression that you are only temporarily unable to answer.
Enlist the help of a neighbour, friend or relative to keep a regular eye on your property and keep the front door clear of deliveries.
If you are prepared to leave a key with a willing neighbour/relative, ask for curtains to be drawn and lights to be put on at night. If snow is on the ground a few footprints will make the house appear inhabited.
Check your insurance policy. Some insurance policies for contents don't cover you if you are away for more than 30 days.
Set your burglar alarm.
If you do not have an alarm, consider investing a few pounds in a dummy alarm box. It may well deter the opportunist thief.
Attaching a timer to a lamp will make your home appear occupied even when it isn't.



Garden Fete

*Bottle Tombola • Barbeque • Fancy Goods •
Bouncy Castle • International Food • Bar • Plants*

Saturday 14th July

St. Vincent de Paul
2, Witham Road, Osterley

12.00pm to 4pm

*Admission £1.00
Children Free*

WARNING

A resident has reported that they had a knock on the door by a young man.

The man said that he needed to get to his wife in hospital but that he has no money.

He asked for some money for the bus. Unfortunately the resident has given him £10. Later on, the victim realised that they have been conned. The resident reported the incident to the police.

Please do not give money to strangers knocking on your door.

PLANNING MATTERS AS AT 18th JUNE

Hounslow Central

Applications

None

Decisions

25 The Drive

Certificate of lawfulness for the erection of a rear roof extension incorporating two front roof lights to the house.

Certificate of Lawful Use Granted 25/05/2012

Erection of a single storey rear extension to the house.

Full Planning Permission Approved 30/05/2012

Osterley & Spring Grove

Applications

40 Burlington Road

Demolition of existing veranda and erection of a single storey conservatory to the rear of the house.

Decisions

8 Eversley Crescent

Erection of a single storey rear extension and the erection of a detached outbuilding for use as a store to the house.

Full Planning Permission Approved 30/05/2012

Crime Mapping text view **Total notifiable offences** **May 2012**

The information presented has been derived from the website [Metropolitan Police Service - Crime mapping](#).

The purpose of this site is to help show where crime is occurring at a local neighbourhood level.

The Metropolitan Police Service, in conjunction with, the Metropolitan Police Authority and the Mayor of London, has developed it.

Please note, that while every effort is made to record the details of crime and its location as accurately as possible, there are occasions when victims are unable to provide the actual location of a crime. In these instances, the site will not be able to display all the crime reported to the police.

The Metropolitan Police Service accepts no responsibility for any use made of this site or the data it displays outside the intended use stated above.

Crimes in Hounslow Central

Crime type	Crime count	Crime rate
Total notifiable offences	233	21.59
Residential burglary	11	1.02
Burglary other	3	0.28
Theft of motor vehicle	2	0.19
Theft from motor vehicle	9	0.83
Robbery business	1	0.09
Robbery personal	2	0.19
Violence against the person	63	5.84
Most serious violence	1	0.09
Anti-social behaviour	109	10.10

Last three months trend

Area	March	April	May
Hounslow Central	248	241	233
Hounslow	2224	1983	2038
MPS	72085	62894	69098

Annual crime count

Area	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12
Hounslow Central	2890	2592	2213
Hounslow	23748	23140	19777
MPS	845036	829319	682674

Crimes in Osterley and Spring Grove

Crime type	Crime count	Crime rate
Total notifiable offences	104	9.95
Residential burglary	12	1.15
Burglary other	1	0.10
Theft of motor vehicle	7	0.67
Theft from motor vehicle	12	1.15
Robbery business	1	0.10
Robbery personal	1	0.10
Violence against the person	27	2.58
Most serious violence	0	0.00
Anti-social behaviour	24	2.30

Last three months trend

Area	March	April	May
Osterley and Spring Grove	105	84	104
Hounslow	2224	1983	2038
MPS	72085	62894	69098

Annual crime count

Area	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12
Osterley and Spring Grove	1066	1047	930
Hounslow	23748	23140	19777
MPS	845036	829319	682674