

## TEAM LONDON BRIDGE SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM PATROL REPORT

<b>Period (Month)</b>	<b>May 2010</b>
<b>Total Patrol Hours</b>	123 (Funded by Team London Bridge above and beyond baseline patrol duties)
<b>Total Business Visits</b>	146
<b>PRIORITY 1 INSERT PRIORITY</b>	<p><b>Theft (In licensed premises)</b></p> <p>During this month there have been 14 reported incidents of theft from licensed premises, seven of which have been from the a pub within Hays Galleria. Officers are tasked with visiting this pub at least once per shift whilst in uniform and regularly speak to customers who are careless with their property. We are currently asking the company who manage the pub to consider ways that they can reduce the problem. The Police Licensing &amp; Crime Prevention Officers are aware of the situation. Plain clothes operations as well as high visibility patrols are to be carried out over the forthcoming weeks in partnership with other police teams.</p> <p>We would like to remind people to be vigilant at this time of year to the increased number of thefts that typically occur. The following methods do seem to be common characteristics of bag thieves and may rouse suspicion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Often stood alone with a small drink wearing business type clothes - sometimes a suit with jacket over his / her arm ( half pint glass typically). Sunglasses often worn indoors.</li> <li>• Sat at a table alone appearing to stare at menu for long periods</li> <li>• Sat with umbrella / walking stick (easy to hook bag straps etc)</li> <li>• Wearing a Macintosh in during sunny weather</li> </ul>
<b>PRIORITY 2 INSERT PRIORITY</b>	<p><b>Begging and Rough Sleeping</b></p> <p>Riverside SNT recently attended a meeting held at Southwark Police station where it was announced that two well known rough sleepers have been working closely with the authorities and have been found a place in a hostel. Another known individual has been served an Acceptable Behaviour Contract not to beg in the area but it appears he has already been in breach of this and arrangements are in hand deal with him accordingly.</p> <p><b>Other Incidents of Note</b></p> <p>During this period we have issued a fixed penalty notice to an ice cream seller who frequents Tooley Street outside the London Dungeons for parking on a red route. We have liaised with our colleagues in Westminster who have dealt with this problem and they have been piloting a project where they have been arresting persons for selling foodstuffs without a licence from the van itself. To date the month of May has again been quiet regarding peanut sellers and other illegal traders. Illegal Gambling is less prevalent around Potters Fields Park although it is hard to detect as these gangs use a number of spotters to look out for police and wardens.</p>
<b>OPERATION SUMMARY</b>	N/A
<b>Total Patrol Hours</b>	N/A
<b>Total Business Visits</b>	N/A
<b>Details</b>	N/A
<b>AGREED PRIORITIES GOING FORWARD</b>	
<b>PRIORITY 1</b>	<b>Theft (in licensed premises)</b>
<b>PRIORITY 2</b>	<b>Begging &amp; Rough Sleeping</b>
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to report non-emergency crime  
anywhere in the borough of Southwark

**Southwark Police**

**020 7378 1212**

[www.online.police.uk](http://www.online.police.uk)

For non-urgent local policing issues and crime prevention – part funded by Team London Bridge

**Riverside & London Bridge  
Safer Neighbourhood Team**

**PS Robert Evans**

**079 2023 3918**

**0207 721 2435**

[riverside.snt@met.police.uk](mailto:riverside.snt@met.police.uk)



For non-urgent concerns you have about counter terrorism and emergency planning

**Counter Terrorism  
Patrol Team**

**PS Brad Morecombe**

**078 2462 4306**

**0207 232 7691**

[MD-CTSecurityDesk@met.police.uk](mailto:MD-CTSecurityDesk@met.police.uk)

If you have information about possible terrorist activity, contact the confidential

**Anti-Terrorist Hotline**

**0800 789 321**

To report non-emergency incidents on the railways and at Stations, please call

**British Transport Police**

**0800 40 50 40**

For general advice and assistance on community safety issues

**Community Wardens**

**020 7232 1470**

[bermondseywardens@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:bermondseywardens@southwark.gov.uk)

To report graffiti, dumped rubbish or other environmental crimes

**Environment Hotline**

**020 7525 2000**

[environment@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:environment@southwark.gov.uk)



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