Remember this rhyme for the festive time!

On the twelfth day of Christmas a burglar stole from me...

TWELVE sets of tools,

ELEVEN lots of cash,

TEN vehicle sat navs,

NINE funky cameras,

EIGHT mobile phones,

SEVEN store and credit cards,

SIX brand new handbags,

FIVE MP3s...

FOUR stereos,

THREE laptops,

TWO bicycles,

that were presents under my tree

Supporting you...
this Christmas

OPERATION LOCKOUT

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SAFER NEIGHBOURHOODS
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Don't get on the wrong Christmas list!

Richmond upon Thames is one of the safest boroughs in London.

Help us keep it that way. We want everyone to enjoy themselves over the festive period without their fun being spoilt by crime.

At home

❄ Don't leave packaging from new purchases outside our home

❄ If your Christmas tree is in a window - don't put any presents around it before Christmas morning

❄ If you are going to be away for Christmas take precautions such as leaving lights on a timer. Make your house look lived in

❄ Security mark your new items at least with a UV pen (your postcode followed by your house number)

❄ Register your new electronic gifts or cycles on immobilise.com

Whilst shopping

❄ Only buy from reputable dealers. If it looks too good to be true it probably is!

❄ Don't return to your car and put items in the boot then walk away. Someone may well be watching the car parks

❄ Take special care at cash points. Criminals often target the unwary here. Keep your pin number safe and mask the keypad

Out celebrating

❄ Enjoy yourself but drink responsibly and nominate a driver or use a registered cab

❄ Keep your drink with you at all times

❄ It's no fun waking up after the party with doubts! You may spoil Christmas for yourself, your friends and family

❄ Be considerate towards others who may not appreciate your version of 'fun'

❄ Think of others. Behave and keep noise down while waiting for transport after leaving pubs and clubs

Supporting you...

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