

Your Sheduction Begins Here

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Okay, the era of manufactured austerity in which we are living has caused some people to do desperate things, like shoplifting, but is anybody really going to break into your shed and steal your garden tools? Apparently so. If you visited Sutton Library recently, you might have seen a free booklet on offer called *GET SHEDUCATED*, similar to **this one**.

Sadly, this is nothing new. Such warnings have been issued for some time including in Sunderland, where the local press carried **a report** in March 2013, and in the capital, where the police have been warning specifically against such break-ins since at least 2011.

If you are still inclined to laugh at the thought of someone breaking into a garden shed to steal a few flower pots, here is some food for thought; some people keep higher value articles in their sheds. Last week **it was reported** that shortly before Christmas, three bicycles were stolen from a shed in Salisbury. One of them was a Boardman Pro MTB limited edition #044 Hardtail mountain bike, which retails for well over £600. Let's hope no one pays Crispin Sinclair an unwanted visit at dead of night, although rumour has it, **his bike** might be a little harder to steal!

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