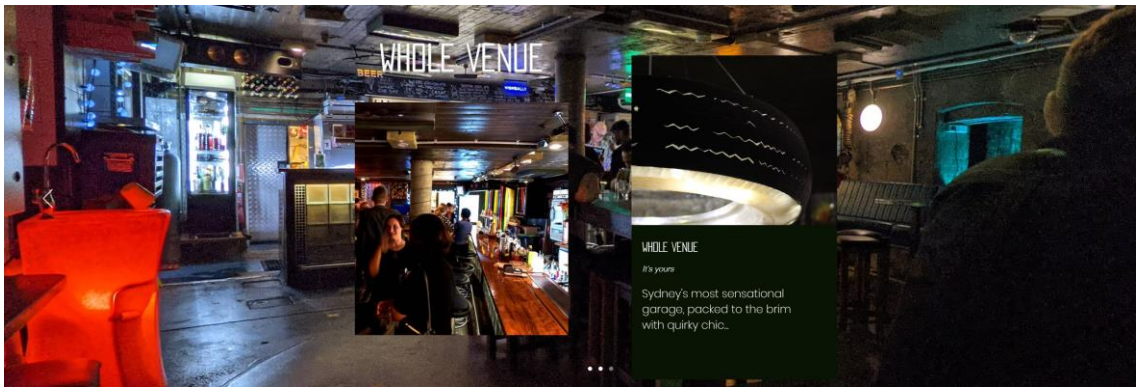
Knox Street Bar is an underground neighbourhood venue hidden behind an unassuming street-level garage door in the backstreets of Chippendale. Featuring a raw industrial aesthetic with a low concrete ceiling, the venue is divided into three distinct spaces available for private parties, performances, events, and social gatherings.

1. The Whole Venue

The Immersive Underground Playground

Hiring the Whole Venue offers exclusive access to the entire space, combining the Main Bar area, the Drum Room, and all private nooks under one roof. The heart of the venue is the Main Bar, which features a long serving counter, booth seating, a large metal workbench, and free-standing tables. Often described as having an eclectic, cinematic energy, it provides an immersive, inclusive atmosphere for larger events and parties.

- **Capacity:** Accommodates functions up to **110 guests**.
- **Best Suited For:** Milestone parties, networking functions, private label product launches and multi-room creative takeovers.
- **Accessibility:** Direct, street-level wheelchair-accessible entrance from Knox Street down a shallow slope ramp into the main bar footprint.

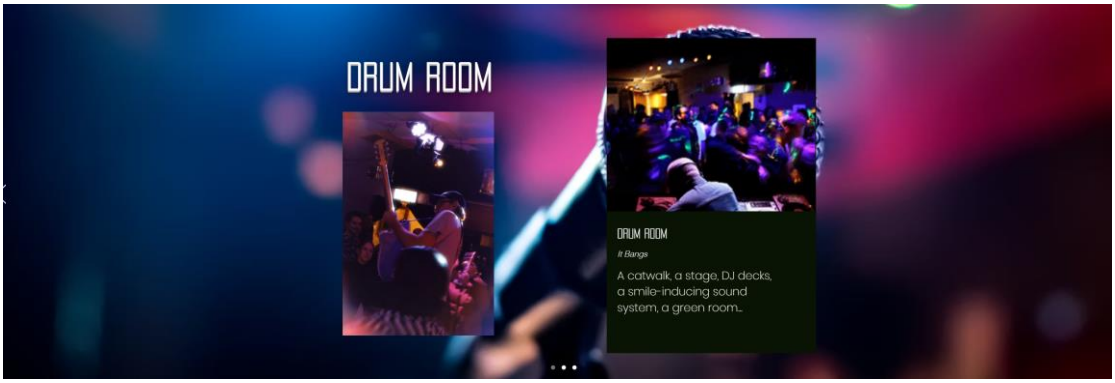


2. The Drum Room

Parties, Live Music & Performance Studio

The Drum Room is the venue's dedicated, performance room and live-streaming studio. Featuring a raised stage with clear room sightlines, it operates as a versatile hub for independent artists and private event hosts alike. The room serves dual purposes: it's an event space for mid-sized parties and a fully wired digital production studio capable of livestreaming via *knox.live*.

- **Capacity:** Ideal for gatherings between **40 to 80 guests**.
- **Best Suited For:** Live music showcases, stand-up comedy, theatre/fringe showcases, burlesque, private film screenings, poetry nights, and lively birthday parties.
- **Technical Provisions:** Equipped with a 16-track audio mixer, a professional sound system, stage production lighting. Includes access to an attached Green Room/storage area for performers.
- **Accessibility:** Level access directly into the performance room from the main bar area. Includes a private bathroom with level access (not fully accessible).



3. The Grotto

Sydney's Smallest Nightclub

Affectionately designated as Sydney's smallest nightclub, The Grotto is a completely unique, tucked-away VIP micro-space within the venue. Built as a sunken, cave-like enclave, it features cushion seating. It offers a quirky, off-kilter hideaway for small groups who want a private section while remaining steps away from the main bar's energy.

- **Capacity:** Intimate layout strictly built for **6 to 12 guests**.
- **Best Suited For:** Micro-birthday gatherings and exclusive small-group hangouts.

