

# NOWAVE



2025



# WELCOME TO NOWAVE

## BOOKINGS + HIRE

Nowave Studio features three main studio rooms – the **Control Room**, **Studio A** and **Studio B** – located inside an old 1000 sqm banana ripening factory in Mullumbimby, designed and built by owner (Engineer/Producer & Musician) Julian Abbott.

With a clear aim on making musicians feel at ease, the recording studio decor and vibe allows artists to focus on achieving their creative processes. A unique vintage meets modern full-service recording and production facility.

***Nowave Studio is fully equipped – air conditioned, soundproof, and acoustically tuned. A comfortable creative space, seating arrangements and facilities, with adjustable lighting and WIFI.***

**Book the Full Studio, Control Room, Studio A, Studio B or Rehearsal Room.**

**OPEN 7 DAYS • 9AM – 5PM / AFTER HOURS 9PM**

From studio bookings for writing, recording and tracking, to online mixing or dry hire production space and equipment rental – we look forward to accomodating you. Enquire for packages, events and after hours bookings - [bookings@nowavestudio.com](mailto:bookings@nowavestudio.com)

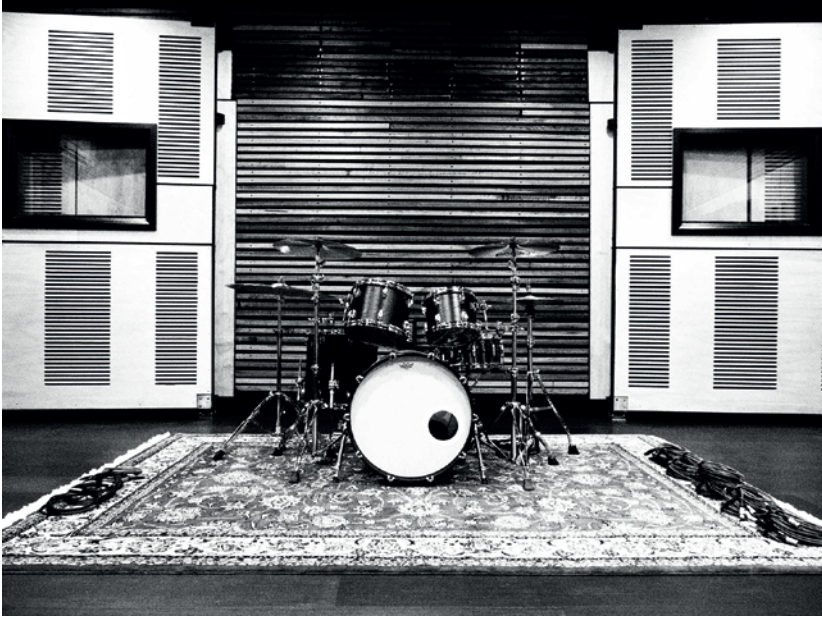
## CONTROL ROOM

The **Control Room** is 5 x 6 meters with ceiling height of 2.7 meters, designed with unparalleled angled walls and acoustically built to achieve perfect sounding mixes and recordings. Houses the ex 1979 David Bowie Console and features custom hand-built Harris Audio speakers and Amplifier made for Nowave.



# STUDIOS

## STUDIO A



**Studio A** is the largest room at 8 x 6.6 meters with ceiling height of 4 meters. Angled walls clad with a combination of tone timbers including various recycled hardwoods from the property, custom slotted hoop pine plywood panels. Also featuring 2 large 3 x 3 meter hinged walls creating an infinite number of different angled spaces within the room. 24 xlr microphone lines direct to console with 8 returns for headphone sends. Additional 8 xlr microphone lines + 4 instrument sends piggy backing to and from Studio B.

## STUDIO B



**Studio B** is 6.6 x 6.6 meters with ceiling height of 4 meters. It's a room within a room design with extensive acoustic treatment, created one piece at a time and tested to ensure the acoustic performance was complementary. Addition 8 xlr microphone lines + 4 instrument sends piggy backing to and from Studio A. Studio B makes the perfect DIY workshop recording room or rehearsal space for bands on a budget.

# SERVICES

## RECORDING & MIXING ENGINEERS

### IN HOUSE ENGINEERS

Nowave offers Recording and Mixing Engineer production services to add to your booking. Engineers are valuable assets to any project, carrying with them knowledge, passion and expertise. Enquire for **Online Mixing Services**.

#### **JULIAN ABBOTT • OWNER + STUDIO ENGINEER**

Nowave Studio was founded in 2009 by owner, engineer and musician Julian Abbott. With over 15 years' experience in studios – playing, recording and mixing music, he has been fortunate to work with countless musicians, bands and producers from all styles, including platinum selling award winning artists.

Julian opened his first studio in Byron Bay in 2014, before settling in Mullumbimby Creek in the Byron Shire Hinterland in 2019 and spending 3 years designing and building a brand new private studio facility that officially reopened to the public in late 2022. Utilising multiple skills from mechanical and electrical engineering to acoustic design and advanced joinery, Julian has gained an all encompassing knowledge in the art of perfecting sound.

#### **JAMES BOUNDY • STUDIO ENGINEER**

Boundy is a freelance Sound Engineer based in Byron Bay Australia, with over 15 years' experience as a studio and live sound engineer, tertiary educator and audio industry consultant, Boundy enhances any sonic project.

#### **MICHAEL STAVROU • STUDIO ENGINEER**

Stavrou is a freelance Audio Engineer, ex Studio Manager of AIR Studios London, and author of 'Mixing with your Mind'. Stav brings decades of experience to artists and has been fortunate enough to work with some of the greats, including Stevie Wonder and Elton John at AIR Studios Montserrat.





# EQUIPMENT

## IN HOUSE, HIRE or BY REQUEST



### **INCLUSIVE WITH FULL STUDIO HIRE**

*Take your pick.* When hiring the Full Studio you can take your pick from an extensive selection of audio and music equipment used to record at the studio.

### **GEAR HIRE**

*Need recording equipment hire?* If you need any recording equipment hire, Nowave Studio offers those services as well. We offer individual item rental on new and vintage music and recording equipment. Rates per day inc gst.

### **BY REQUEST**

*Can't see something you want to hire?* If you can't see an item on our current Equipment List that you may want to hire for your recording session at Nowave Studio, send us a message, we can see what we can do to help you find what you are looking for.

# ABOUT

## LOCATION, AMENITIES + FACILITIES

Nowave Studio is a boutique, fully-equipped recording and rehearsal studio, located just 45 mins from Gold Coast and Ballina airports, and 10 mins from the heart of Mullumbimby, in the Byron Shire Hinterland NSW. Built inside an old 1000sqm banana ripening factory on 60 acres in Mullumbimby Creek, the location is private and surrounded by a natural backdrop of Mount Jerusalem National Park and Boogarem waterfalls.

## ESSENTIAL FEATURES

- Comfortable Meeting Areas
- Kitchen – Fridge for Drinks / Catering
- Bathroom – Shower / WC
- Complimentary Coffee / Tea
- Water
- Disability Access
- On-site Parking / Loading Areas
- WIFI

## ACCOMODATION FOR STUDIO PACKAGES

- Access to Private Office Studio
- Access to Kitchen / Bathroom
- Comfortable Sleeping Area for 2 - 4 persons
- Fully Air Conditioned
- Linen / Blankets provided or BYO



# STUDIO POLICY

## HIRE, EQUIPMENT + CANCELLATION POLICY

Minimum session time is three (3) hours for Studio Rehearsal Rental. All other Studio Hire + Services are provided as Full Day Rates.

Please enquire for after hours and special event rates or long term booking package deals of 14 days+ PRIOR to your booking.

To secure a studio booking a 30% deposit must be received before dates can be fully confirmed. Please use our online booking form to select dates (start to end) and make payment for confirmation.

The Client agrees to pay for studio time at the rate in effect at the time of booking, and the Client must pay the total for all hire and services by the completion of the project. We accept Cash, Visa/Debit Card and Bank Transfers.

The client assumes full responsibility for the condition of all Equipment hired through Nowave Studio, and if damages occur during the rental hire period, the client agrees to pay necessary fees and maintenance required to return the item to pre-rental condition.

In the event of cancellation or rescheduling of a booked recording session or other scheduled services by the Client with less than a 48-hour notice BEFORE the scheduled session, the Client agrees to forfeit the deposit placed to hold the booked session time. For sessions scheduled less than 48-hours before the session, the deposit is refundable or transferable to a new booking.

If the Studio is required to cancel a session due to unavoidable circumstances not within the Studio's control (ie; engineer illness, natural disaster), the Studio will reschedule the session for the earliest available time consistent with the needs of the Client. In the event that neither the Client nor the Studio can reach an agreement on a date and time for re-schedule, the Studio shall refund the full deposit amount to the Client.

If the Client chooses a Studio Rental WITHOUT an engineer, the Client assumes full responsibility for the condition of the premises upon departure. The Client also agrees to pay to the Studio all fees necessary to return the Studio to the pre-rental condition should the Studio be left unclean or in any type of disrepair.

No glass, alcohol, smoking or vaping permitted INSIDE the Studio Rooms. We share amenities / facilities. Respect your fellow creatives.



**TIMING IS EVERYTHING**

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