



CASE STUDY

**THE SYDNEY
ARMS**

PUB & KITCHEN

WALK IN COLD ROOM

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THE CLIENT

The Sydney Arms is a modern and thriving restaurant, situated near the entrance of Scadbury park. Due to the location, it is a firm favourite with walkers, families and other park users who frequent the area for the various walks and talks around the 2 mile walk nearby.

The menu is traditional British pub-grub with specials available and is, therefore, the perfect place to bring a large gathering of friends. You can chill out after a bracing walk around Scadbury park, or pop in for a few relaxing pints after a hard day at work.

THE CHALLENGE

The Sydney Arms wanted to install several stand-alone kitchen fridges to keep produce fresh. After assessing the premises, we advised having one large fridge as this solution was more economical than opting for several smaller fridges. We surveyed the premises and decided the best place for the walk-in cold room was to install it outside, behind the kitchen so that it was close to work stations for preparation, but did not take up too much space internally.

THE SOLUTION

When deciding to design and build the cold room next to the kitchen to save space and aid productivity, we realised the only suitable location would be where an old garage was constructed. Therefore we needed to dismantle and dispose of the garage before levelling and repairing the concrete foundation base to hold the weight of the walk in cold room. In this scenario, we would usually fit a cold room box internally, but due to space

restrictions, the decision was made to relocate outside while weatherproofing the unit and adding an extra cover on the motor unit for further protection.

THE OUTCOME

Our engineers installed the cold room and now provides a much larger volume of chilled storage, making it incredibly cost-effective for the restaurant. The chef can now efficiently prepare the food and stockpile produce better within the cold room due to its larger size.

The project was completed within three working days to avoid disruption to regular working hours, and the client was thrilled due to the installation being completed in a short time frame so as not to interfere with customers or income.

TESTIMONIAL

"I would have no hesitation in recommending FLR Cooling for installing Cold rooms. We have a place to store all our food, making it easier for the chef and his team to prepare and to do the stocktake. FLR Cooling is very professional in refrigeration & we would have no hesitation in recommending them to other companies."

Simon Grover,
General Manager
The Sydney Arms