

## Word of the Day – Shebeen

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- **Noun:** Shebeen
  1. an unlicensed or illegally operated drinking establishment
- **Synonyms:**
  1. bar
  2. saloon
  3. speakeasy
- **Usage:**
  1. *“In 2016, I decided to make it a custom here at the **shebeen** to reveal the candidate for whom I voted in the Democratic primary election because a) I think it’s right to be transparent about such things, especially in a format dedicated primarily to opinion, and b) because why the hell not?” ~ Charles P. Pierce*
- **Encountered:**
  1. *Esquire* opinion piece by Charles P. Pierce – [I Went Over to City Hall This Afternoon and Voted for Elizabeth Warren for President](#)

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