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This week's drinking events

THU 9–TUE 14 RUNNING OF THE BULLS AT LAS RAMBLAS Visit this tapas bar to celebrate the annual Running of the Bulls festival in Pamplona, Spain. Navarrese wine flights and Iberian tipples (like the \$8 *zurracapote*, a spice-infused rosé) will be available all week. Guests wearing white and red—the festival's traditional colors—will score a free kalimotxo, a wine-and-cola cocktail. **FREE** *Las Ramblas, 170 W 4th St between Sixth and Seventh Aves (646-415-7924, lasramblasnyc.com)*. *Mon, Tue, Thu 5pm–midnight; Fri 5pm–1am; Sat 1pm–1am; Sun 1pm–11pm.*

SUN 12 CAPTAIN LAWRENCE BREWERY TOUR You were born to drink—now see how the drink is born at this brewery tour and tasting. The expedition starts at Pony Bar with free coffee and bagels; at 12:30pm the bus leaves for Pleasantville, New York, where Captain Lawrence brewmaster Scott Vaccaro will guide the group through the brewery and pour samples. The field trip finishes at the Pony Bar, where an open bar will offer rare CL beers. *The Pony Bar, 637 Tenth Ave at 45th St (212-586-2707, theponybar.com)*. *Noon, \$40.*

MON 13 CHOCOLATE AND BEER TASTING Beer and chocolate are the focus of this intimate tasting, which will pair five rare brews (including Sinebrychoff Porter and Mikkeller Beer Geek Breakfast) with five chocolates from Brooklyn's own artisanal outfit, Mast Brothers. The Mast duo will be on hand to chat about their goods. Reservations are a must. *Beer Table, 427B Seventh Ave between 14th and 15th Sts, Park Slope, Brooklyn (718-965-1196)*. *7–8:30pm; \$35.*



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THU 16 MOJITOS AND CIGARS Too many stingy happy hours come close to satisfying us—but no cigar. Luckily that’s not the case at Havana Central, where every 10 Cane mojito (\$12) comes with a free hand-rolled Dominican smoke. The deal lasts only until 8:30pm, but a live salsa band (8–11pm) will round out your Latin experience. **FREE** [Havana Central Times Square](#), 151 W 46th St between Sixth and Seventh Aves (212-398-7440). 5:30–8:30pm.

SAT 18, SUN 19 BREWED IN BROOKLYN WALKING TOUR You’ve done plenty of pub crawling— isn’t it time to get up and walk? This weekly tour follows Brooklyn’s beer biz from the 19th century through the present, with stops at defunct and modern breweries and a beverage distributor. If history’s not your thing, come for the hooch (and the grub): The afternoon includes extensive samples from Brooklyn Brewery, pizza and beer from Danny’s Café, and a tasting of local and German brews at Huckleberry Bar. *Tour begins at Brooklyn Brewery, 79 North 11th St at Wythe Ave, Williamsburg, Brooklyn (347- 599-1842, [urbanoyster.com](#)). 11:45am, \$45.*

MON 20 BROOKLYN PREMIERE OF BEER WARS Who doesn’t love a good underdog story? Root for the little guy at this screening of *Beer Wars*, which documents the clash between local breweries and big beer. A flight of four craft ales (from indie producers like Stone Brewing Co.) paired with Murray’s cheeses will follow the flick. [The Bell House](#), 149 7th St between Second and Third Aves, Gowanus, Brooklyn (718-643-6510, [thebellhouseny.com](#)). 8pm, \$20.

MON 20 WHITE BURGUNDY TASTING News flash: Burgundy doesn’t always have to be red. The proprietors of the Jakewalk and Smith & Vine wine shop prove the whites are just as worthy at this fifteen-bottle tasting. The vino—featuring rare white ’04 burgs from domains like Coche Dury and Roulot—starts flowing at 7pm, but fifty bones buys entry to a pre-event seminar at 6pm as well. [The Jakewalk](#), 282 Smith St at Sackett St, Cobble Hill, Brooklyn (718-243-2864, [smithandvine.com](#)). 7–9pm, \$35.

