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## **Brooklyn Drinking Guide: Where to Drink Wherever You Are**

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### **Julia's Beer and Wine Bar**

Denise Plowman and Crystal River Williams opened Ridgewood's beloved Norma's Cafe in 2012, and the coffee shop quickly grew to become an essential haven for residents new and old. Two years later, they crowdfunded another neighborhood spot: a much-needed casual hangout spot called Julia's Beer and Wine Bar. Beers are around \$5, local wines by the glass all under \$10, and there are several delicious beer and wine cocktails as well, like a stunning stout and sparkling wine concoction called the Black Velvet. You can also grab a beef turnover or a cheese plate to balance out the booze. Julia's is great because it has all the charm and appeal of being at home without the cleanup.