

The 15 Hottest Bars in NYC

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Eli's Night Shift

By day, this addition to the Eli Zabar empire offers the market's signature sandwiches, pastries and other cafe items, but in the evening it becomes a bar dispensing local beers, shandies and accompanying bites. Vintage lighting and hexagonal tiles set a retro mood, while 60 feet of windows provide a prime view onto 79th Street.

Must-drink: Rotating craft beers plus Eli's Death Punch (rum, black tea, pineapple, lemon and milk); Gin and Bare It, with Botanist gin, housemade Concord grape shrub, bitters, twists, botanicals and tonic.

Insider tip: Pair your drink with their gourmet pigs in a blanket.

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