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Celebrate Fourth of July with these 12 patriotic drinks

To celebrate Independence Day this year, local bars, restaurants and lounges are serving red, white (or clear) and blue concoctions in honor of America.

For Thursday's fireworks, barbecue feasting and fun festivities, we've compiled creative, thirst-quenching and color-themed cocktails available to order on the Fourth — and they're specially mixed for amNewYork readers. (You can't find these on the regular menu!)

Here are 12 drinks (with recipes!) to which we salute our forefathers.



Red, White & Bleu

\$15. Bagatelle New York, 1 Little W. 12th St.

Ingredients:

- 1 ounce cranberry juice
- 0.5 ounce grenadine (red)
- 1 ounce Malibu rum
- 0.5 ounce pineapple juice
- 1 egg white (white)
- 0.5 ounce Curacao
- 1 ounce pineapple (blue)

Preparation: Fill a highball glass with ice. Separately, shake each of the "colors" vigorously over ice and strain into glass, thus

building a layered cocktail. Garnish with berries and pineapple.

At the restaurant, this cocktail involves a lit sparkler, adding to the festive holiday vibe!