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Sanfords – And the Giant Mad Elf

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Yesterday, my partner-in-booze and I were on the hunt for the Mad Elf once again. Here is our [original review](#). Being that this particular beer is seasonal, and Spring is NOT the season, we found ourselves [S.O.L.](#) However, dreams sometimes do come true. Luckily, down the road from my house in Astoria, there lies a fantastic establishment called [Sanfords](#). I had known of Sanfords for some time now, but what I did not know was their outstanding collection of bottled beers. We called to ask if they had Mad Elf, to which owner Chris Karalekas responded... “We have a Jeroboam of Mad Elf”, we were shocked! A Jeroboam (or Double Magnum) is a large 3.0 Liter bottle, yes Ladies and Gents, 3 fantabulous liters of Mad Elf was waiting for us just down the block!! We asked Chris to put the behemoth on ice for us and we headed over.....



Afterwards we began to chat up our generous hosts about passion and knowledge for beers, to which they exchanged the same passion and knowledge. Then we broke out a few other bottles of amazing beers that Owner Gus, the beer guy, was very fond of. I will be doing a review on the two other beers that we consumed there shortly.... so you will have to wait and see what they were. All in all it was one of the best endings to a Sunday beer hunt we have ever had. Thank you Sanfords.