

Wednesday 26 July 2023

RAILWAY 84

Hexham	0744
Carlisle	0834 0910
Preston	1015 1047
Manchester Oxford Road	1122



Harry, understandably, does not want to do a return to Manchester in one day, so he drove down on Tuesday and went to a work meal. I caught a taxi at 0730 and got to the station in time for the 0744. A through ticket on the 0801 via Carlisle was £37.25, but I got a single to Carlisle for £1.95, and the 0744 guard was happy for me to use it. It is a lovely line. South from Carlisle on a Pendolino for £7.30, then a five minute change at Preston onto the 1020 Northern service for £3.40. I dashed through the subway, and it was cancelled. Next service was a TP one, so I had to spend £7.40 for a new ticket. Bus from Oxford Road to the Christie.

I should have been there for bloods at 1155, I was five minutes late. Dr B is away, so chemo at 1400. At 1430 they phoned to ask if I'd had my bloods, at 1500 they took some more. Chemo started at 1700 and finished about 1900. We then had a wet drive home, with a break at Tebay - home at 2258.

