

ANDERTON MARINA

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DIRECTIONS

BY ROAD: Anderton is situated in Cheshire, just north of Northwich and close to the famous Anderton Boat Lift.

- From the M6 junction with the M56, take the M56 (West).
- Exit the M56 at junction 10.
- Take the A559 (signed Northwich) for 3 miles.
- Turn right (signed Comberbach and Anderton Boat Lift).
- Continue through Comberbach and past Marbury Country Park towards Anderton.
- The marina is on the left, 1/4 mile after the Anderton village sign.

BY RAIL: From Manchester: Take the train to Northwich station. From London and the south: Take the train to Crewe and then change for the service to Hartford station. From Northwich or Hartford stations: Take a taxi to the marina. If there are no taxis waiting, information on taxi firms can be found at the payphone at the station. Taxi information is detailed below.

For information about train timetables and ticket costs for all mainline rail transport please go to www.thetrainline.com.

FROM AIRPORTS: From Manchester Airport: Take a taxi to the boatyard. Please contact the taxi companies directly for an estimated fare.

LOCAL ACCOMMODATION

Please check www.hotelshopuk.com or www.laterooms.com for special rates.

LOCAL TAXI

Anderton Travel,

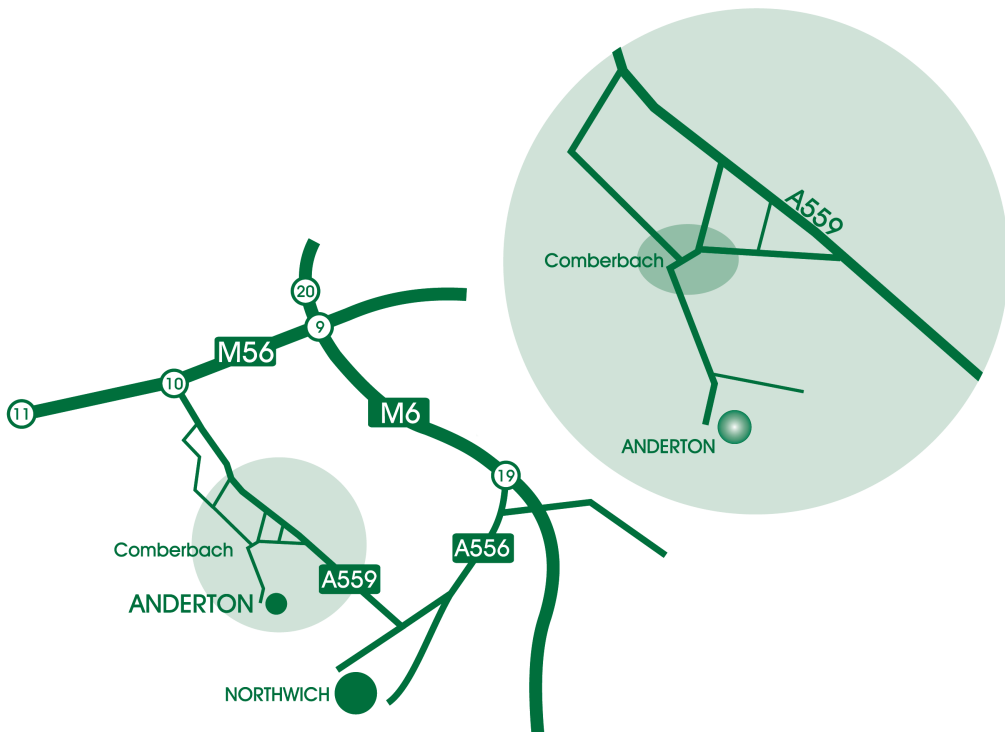
Tel: 01606 77701 / 07769674058
Fax: 01606 8885

Barnton Travel

Tel: 01606 872000

G R Travel

Tel: 01606 41555



NEAREST GROCERIES

A selection of essential provisions is stocked at the marina shop. The nearest supermarket is a couple of miles away in the town of Northwich. A selection of essential provisions is stocked at the marina shop.

THE MOORINGS - LICENCED RESTAURANT

The Moorings Restaurant is situated in the reception building, over-looking the marina. Delicious lunches include freshly cut sandwiches with tea or coffee and a range of home-cooked food. To reserve a table for lunch or your evening meal, please telephone 01606 79789 or fax 01606 784540.

You can also arrange for a meal to be prepared and put on board your boat for your first evening afloat – www.mooringsrestaurant.co.uk.

OPENING TIMES

Monday	11 – 4 pm	Closed
Tuesday	Closed	Closed
Wednesday	11 – 9 pm	
Thursday	11 – 9 pm	
Friday	11 – 9 pm	
Saturday	11 – 9 pm	
Sunday	11 – 5.30pm	7 – 9 pm

Opening times subject to change

CRUISING ROUTES FROM ANDERTON

3-night short break to Nantwich and return:

From Anderton you will cruise 3 hours through some beautiful countryside and reach Middlewich and your first locks. There is 1 double lock (Big Lock), the only double lock on your trip, and then 3 narrow locks in a row. After turning right on the Middlewich branch the next 4 locks are spaced out with lovely scenery between them. Next go left at Barbridge and this takes you past the bottom of the Llangollen Canal and onto the historic town of Nantwich, also famous for its cheese. From Nantwich retrace your journey back to Anderton. The total cruising time for this route is 18 hours and you will have gone through 16 locks.

A midweek 4-night break to Worsley and return:

After passing the entrance to the famous Anderton Boat Lift the canal carries you on the side of a hill and then through Barnton and Saltersford tunnels. The canal then follows the line of the River Weaver, looking down onto the picturesque Weaver Valley. You then come to a lock with just a 6 inch drop before the Preston Brook tunnel. Continue along the Bridgewater Canal that takes you to the village of Lymm. From Lymm turn left at Waters Meeting which takes you over the Barton Swing Aqueduct and onto historic Worsley. This boasts the birth of the canal system in the North West. From Worsley retrace your journey back to Anderton. The total cruising time for this route is 20 hours and you will have gone through 2 locks.

One week trip to Chester and return:

From Anderton the first 3 hours on this route are lock free through countryside that brings you to the small canal town of Middlewich with various amenities. Here you will encounter your first locks. The rest of the trip is all rural and very scenic with the locks well spaced out. You can then moor at the Cheshire Cat Inn at Christleton where there is a convenient turning point. From here you can catch a bus into the City of Chester, which takes 7 minutes, saving 6 hours of cruising time and 10 locks down into the City and back. Up to the turning point at Christleton you will have cruised for 26 hours and navigated 34 locks. If you continue to Chester and then return you will have completed 44 locks and cruised for about 32 hours.

ANDERTON BOAT LIFT - www.andertonboatlift.co.uk

The recently restored Boat Lift, with its excellent visitor centre, is just a few minutes walk from the marina. If you would like to travel down on the lift to cruise on the River Weaver you will need to book your trip in advance by phoning 01606 786777. You will need to quote the licence number of your boat, available from the booking office or Anderton marina on request.



Chester & return