So, finally I’ve got some pics organised for you. Our first stop of the trip was actually in Hamburg, the Miniatur Wunderland. Of course, both me and Gabs have been before but there’s always something new to see. We enjoyed seeing the new Italian area complete with erupting Vesuvius, some Roman remains, Venice and of course Rome itself!

Then of course there is always the unexpected – this time it was a visit by the Millenium Falcon which made a flying visit to Knuffingen Airport! After an exhausting morning we finished up our visit with some very traditional German cuisine, schnitzel mit pommes! Not sure it was up to Gab’s exacting standards but it filled a hole!

After that we spent the afternoon exploring Hamburg city – again! Next morning it was an early start as we headed for the train that would wisk us to the ferry port of Rostock over 200km away to start the adventure properly.

Next time – we make landfall in Sweden.