

AHOBILAM NARASIMHA SWAMY TEMPLES

Ahobilam, Andhra Pradesh, India

God

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Prahlada Varada Narasimha : At the foot of hills, there is a temple of Prahlada Varada Narasimha i.e, the aspect of Lord Narasimha as blessing Prahlada.

Chatravata Narasimha : The deity is installed under a pipal tree which is surrounded by thorny bushes. From the foot of the hills, one has to ascend up the hill to reach Upper Ahobilam.

Interesting Facts

Ahobilam is one of the 108 Divya Desams.

This is the only place having 9 (nava)temples for lord Narasimha 9 Avataras.

The whole complex is in two parts - one called Eguva Ahobilam (Upper Ahobilam) with 6 Narasimha shrines and the other called Diguva Ahobilam (Lower Ahobilam) with a 3 shrines.

Best Season To Visit

The best season to visit the temple is Winter season. The best months to visit are September to February.

Weather

Highest - April to June (45°C during day and 35°C during night) Average - May (35°C during the day and 25°C during night) Lowest - December to February (26°C during day and 21°C during night) Monsoon season - August to October

Dress Code

For men the dress code is Shirt & Trouser, Dhoti or Pyjamas with upper cloth.

For women the preferred dress code is saree or half-saree with blouse or chudidhar with pyjama and upper cloth.

Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

Do's & Dont's

Do bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the temple.

Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at temple.

Smoking and drinking is prohibited in this temple.

Chewing betel leaves, tobacco, gutka and spitting inside temple is strictly prohibited.

transport connections

Name

Distance

Contact Number

Diguva Ahobilam Bus Stop

7.9 KM

0866-2570005

Nandyal Railway Station

71.3 KM

7702772080

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