

SRI ANANDAVALLI SAMETHA AGASTHEESWARAR TEMPLE

Panjetty, Thatchoor, Tamilnadu, India

God

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Goddess

Anandhavalli (Goddess Parvathi) is other deity here consort of Lord Shiva. The goddess here is Ambal Sri Anandhavalli, who is seen in standing posture facing South. Goddess Anandavalli with 3 eyes and keeping her left foot forward beneath her feet is the most famous "Durga Saptashati" yantra. Here the goddess has taken a fierce form to destroy the evil. Sage Agasthiyar had installed a maha yantra in front of the goddess to pacify her anger.

Best Season To Visit

The best season to visit this temple is Winter season. The best months to visit are September to March.

Weather

Highest - April to June (38°C during day and 26°C during night)Average - May (37 °C during the day and 21 °C during night)Lowest - October to February (27 °C during day and 19 °C during night)Monsoon season - August to September

Dress Code

For men the dress code is 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.

These rules are applicable for foreigners also. Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

Pilgrims/visitors will not be allowed inside the temple if dress code is not followed.

Do's & Dont's

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

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

Smoking is strictly prohibited inside the temple premises.

transport connections

Name

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Contact Number

Periapalayam Bus Stand

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1800-4194287

Ponneri Railway Station

8.1 KM
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Chennai International Airport

40.4 KM
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