

SRI VEERA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA SWAMY TEMPLE

Annavaram, Andhra Pradesh, India

God

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Interesting Facts

The Shrine resembles to Ratham or Chariot with four wheels at the four corners and the Chariot shaped temple portrays the seven lokas.

The lord in the centre depicts that he pervades the entire universe and the wheels represents the Sun and the Moon.

The complex houses a Sun Dial which was constructed in 1943 and displays the Indian Standard Time. This is very similar to the Jantar Mantar in Delhi.

The hillock it self is about 300ft above sea level, about 460 well laid stone steps leads to the temple.

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 (40°C during day and 35°C during night) Average - May (37°C during the day and 25°C during night) Lowest - December to February (26°C during day and 21°C during night) Monsoon season – July to September

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

Annavaram Bus Stop

2 KM

0866-2570005

Annavaram Railway Station

5 KM

139

Rajahmundry Airport

81.4 KM

0866-2846729

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