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MAHBUBNAGAR

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Tourist map of Mahabubnagar



MAHABUBNAGAR

Mahbubnagar is also known as the city of the beloved. It is said that the city is named after the sixth Nizam Mahboob Ali Pasha. There's a rich tapestry of history to Mahbubnagar on how diamonds were mined here. Mahbubnagar is the perfect

package with rich history, culture and nature. Recently Mahbubnagar was divided into three districts, which include: Gadwal also known as Jogulamba, Wanaparthy and Nagarkurnool.

SOMASIŁA

(SRI SOMESWARA SWAMY TEMPLE)

The place is a conglomeration of 15 temples, all housing Sivalingas. Sivarathri and Karthika Pournami are celebrated with great fervor. The place is famous for Pushkara Snanam during the Krishna Pushkaram, which occurs once in 12 years. This is considered highly auspicious. The temple has been shifted from old Somasila Village to higher grounds to safeguard it from getting submerged in the Krishna waters. The panoramic view of the Krishna River from the temple is simply awesome!

FAST FACTS

	District : Nagarkurnool
	185 km from Hyderabad
	Mahabubnagar Railway Station (6 km)
	RGI Airport, Hyderabad (150 km)
	Haritha Hotel, Mahabubnagar
	Timings : 6 am - 7 pm



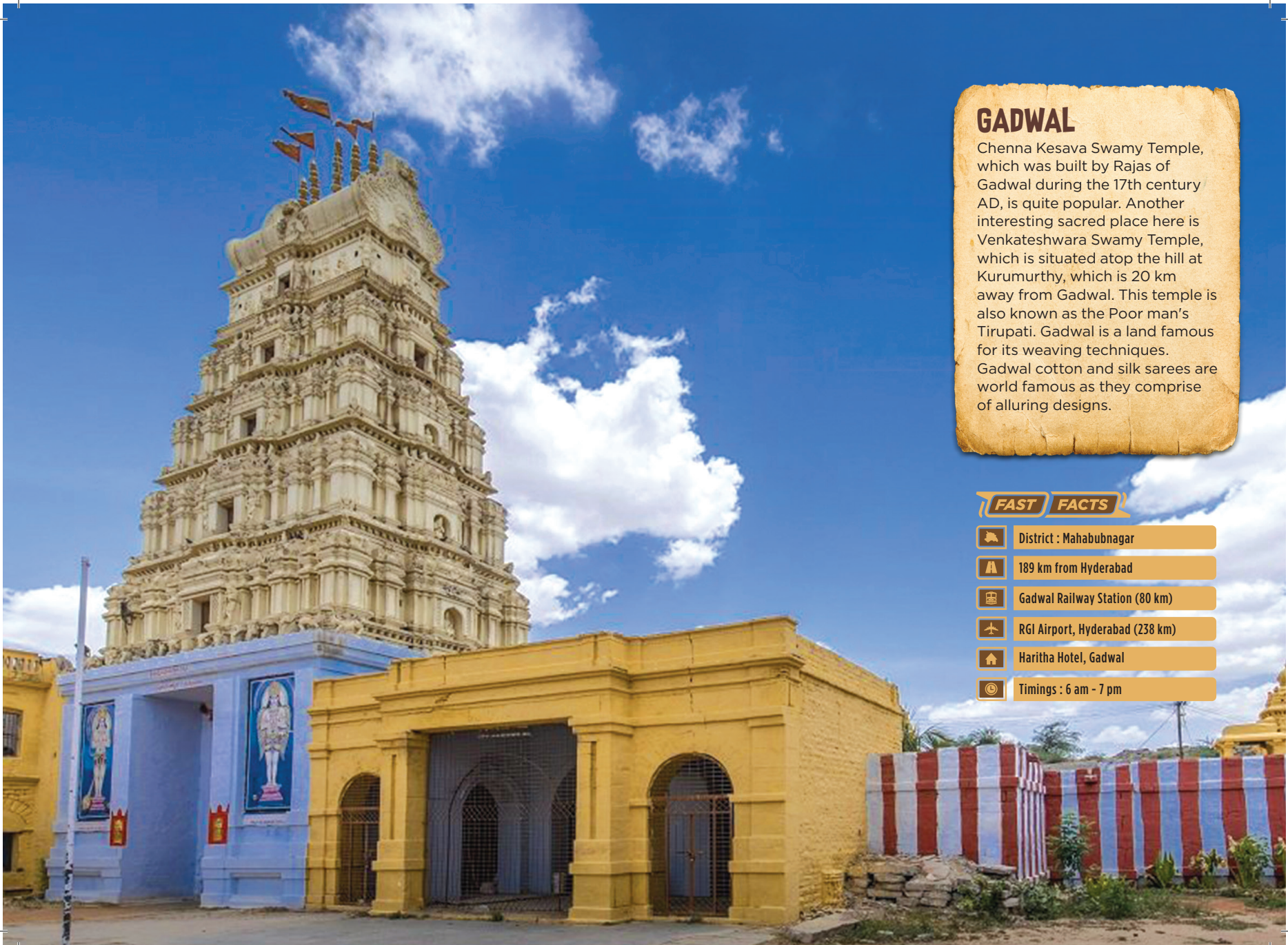
KOLLAPUR

The Rajas of Jetprole built Sri Madhava Swamy Temple during the 16th Century AD on the left bank of Krishna River at Manchalakatta. The temple architecture is one-of-its-kind. Exquisite architecture can be found on temple walls, fascinating sculptures of 24 different aspects and the Dasa-avatar of Vishnu. The pillars supporting the Mandapa and the Garudalaya lend a distinct touch of their own to the temple complex. During the construction of Srisailem Dam, to avoid submergence, the temple was relocated to Kollapur.

FAST FACTS

	District : Mahabubnagar
	185 km from Hyderabad
	Gadwal Railway Station (80 km)
	RGI Airport, Hyderabad (238 km)
	Haritha Hotel, Gadwal
	Timings : 6 am - 7 pm





GADWAL

Chenna Kesava Swamy Temple, which was built by Rajas of Gadwal during the 17th century AD, is quite popular. Another interesting sacred place here is Venkateshwara Swamy Temple, which is situated atop the hill at Kurumurthy, which is 20 km away from Gadwal. This temple is also known as the Poor man's Tirupati. Gadwal is a land famous for its weaving techniques. Gadwal cotton and silk sarees are world famous as they comprise of alluring designs.

FAST FACTS



District : Mahabubnagar



189 km from Hyderabad



Gadwal Railway Station (80 km)



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (238 km)



Haritha Hotel, Gadwal



Timings : 6 am - 7 pm



ALAMPUR TEMPLE

Alampur is considered to be one of the most sacred temples in Telangana. It is also considered to be the doorway to Srisailem. The most famous among these temples are the Nava Brahma temples- a group of nine temples, built during the reign of Chalukyas on the banks of Tungabhadra. There are many interesting carvings of gods and goddesses in different manifestations. Around one km away is Papanasam, where there exists a group of 20 temples.


FAST FACTS


-  District : Jogulamba Gadwal
-  221 km from Hyderabad
-  Alampur Road Railway Station (9 km)
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (213 km)
-  Haritha Hotel, Gadwal
-  Timings : 4 am - 8:30 pm

JETPROLE


The place is renowned for the Agasthyesvara temple, which was built between the 10th and 16th centuries. Jetprole is only 9 km away from Kollapur. Festivals like Sivarathri, Karthika Pournami, Maha Sivarathri and Toli Ekadasi are celebrated with much enthusiasm and fervour. The temple was purposefully shifted to Jetprole when it was realised that certain villages would be submerged as the result of construction of the Srisailem Dam. Another major attraction here is the Madana Gopala Swamy temple which was built by the Rajas of Jetprole during the 16th century AD. The pillars, beams and walls of the temple are copiously decorated with fascinating sculptures.


FAST FACTS


 District : Mahabubnagar

 221 km from Hyderabad

 Gadwal Railway Station (50 km)

 RGI Airport, Hyderabad (213 km)


 Haritha Hotel, Gadwal

 Timings : 4 am - 8:30 pm


PILLALAMARRI


Pillalamarri is the famous banayan tree (*Ficus Bengalensis*) which is believed to be 800 years old. This place is located only 4 km away from the town. Even from far away, the tree gives an image of a small green hillock. But on approaching it closer, one could relate it to a colossal green umbrella under which a group of 1000 people can easily take shelter from the blazing sun. The tree is spread over 3 acres. "Pillalu" in Telugu language means 'Children' and 'Marri' means tree. Pillalamarri means Banyan tree with children.

FAST FACTS


 District : Mahabubnagar

 104 km from Hyderabad

 Mahabubnagar Railway Station (6 km)

 RGI Airport, Hyderabad (85 km)

 Haritha Hotel, Mahabubnagar

 Timings : 8 am - 6 pm

SRIRANGAPUR

According to the legend Lord Ranganayaka Swamy Temple bestowed a vision to Emperor Krishnadeva Raya to construct the temple. In a dream the god told the king that an eagle would lead him to a spot in the Kingdom of Jayanagar where the king could find the lord's presence. Soon, led by the eagle, the king discovered Ranganayaka Swamy Idol between Kothakota & Karapakala hills. This 18th century temple is built on the shores of Ratna Pushpakarni Lake.

FAST FACTS



District : Mahabubnagar



108 km from Hyderabad



Gadwal Railway Station (40 km)

