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KARIMNAGAR

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Tourist map of Karimnagar

KARIMNAGAR

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KONARAOPETA
VEMULAWADA
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KARIMNAGAR

MANER RIVER

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GAMBHIRAOPETA

MANAKONDUR (SC)

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THIMMAPUR

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MOHIDUMMEDA RIVER

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KARIMNAGAR DISTRICT

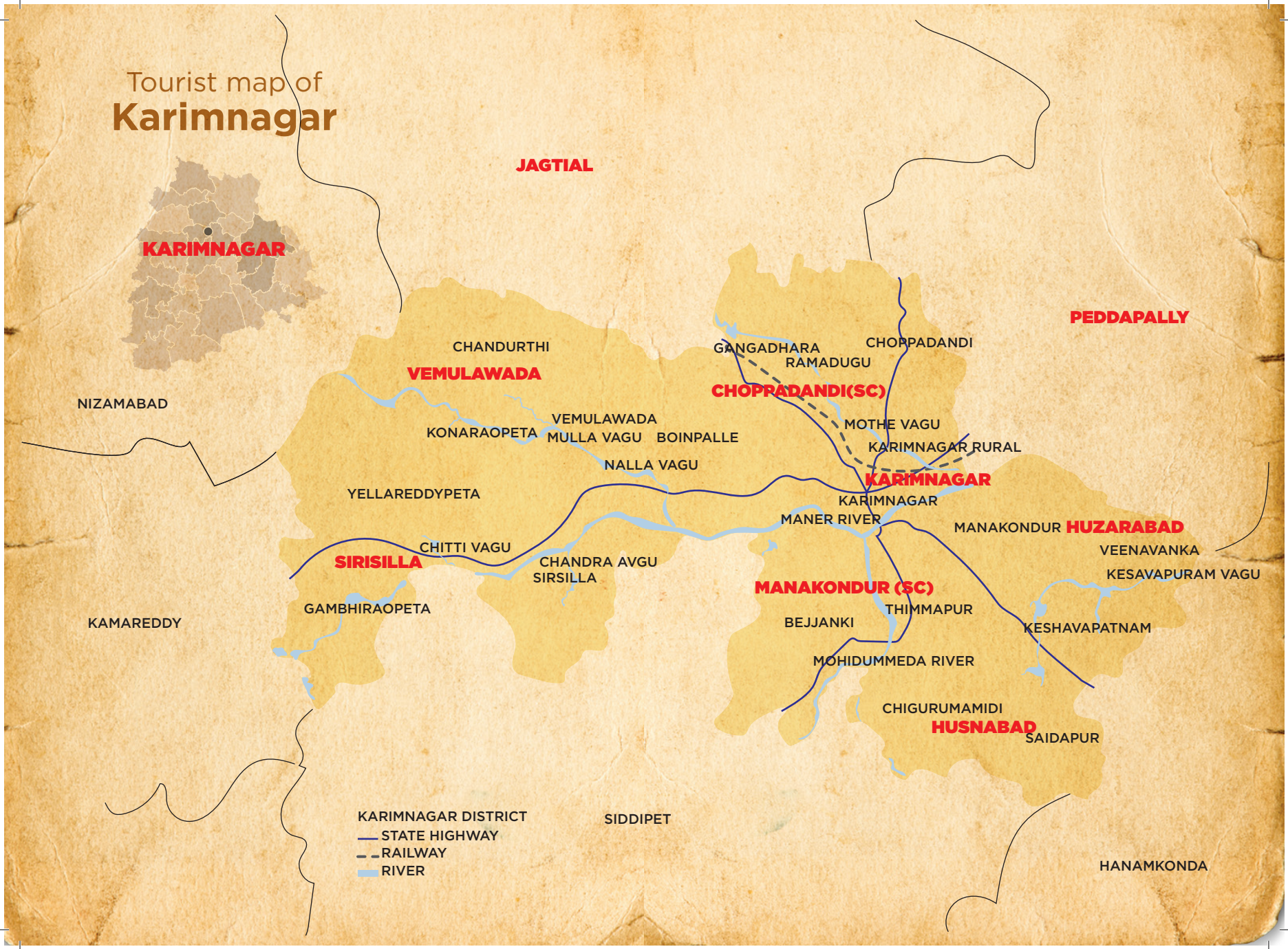
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HANAMKONDA

— STATE HIGHWAY

- - RAILWAY

— RIVER



KARIMNAGAR

Karimnagar, named after Syed Karimuddin, the ertwhile Quilardaar, epitomises the true spirit of secularism. Here, one can find many centres for Vedic learning that have existed since the ancient times. Several shrines of Hindu gods, Jain temples and vestiges of Gautama Buddha were also discovered here. The place is particularly popular for the sculpted wonders in its temple galleries dedicated to various deities: some of which were sculpted over 1000 years ago. The temples are picturesquely nestled in dense forests on the confluence of rivers Godavari and Pranahita. The Buddhist stupas belonging to Satavahana

period, the forts, the wildlife sanctuaries, and tribal arts of Gonds, Koyas, and Chenchus bring a distinct colour to the beauty of Karimnagar. Karimnagar is presently divided into Jagtial, Siricilla and Peddapally!

FAST FACTS



District : Rajanna Siricilla



150 km from Hyderabad



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (207 km)



Timings : 4 am - 8:30 pm

VEMULAWADA

The place, Vemulawada, is quite popular for the Raja Rajeshwara Swamy temple. The temple attracts devotees from far-flung regions. Built by the Chalukya Kings between 750 AD and 973 AD, the temple complex houses several temple units dedicated to deities like Lord Sri Rama, Goddess Lakshmi, Lord Ganapathy, and Lord Sri Padmanabha Swamy. There are stunning galleries in the complex. The star attractions of the construction are the mirror gallery, Addala Mandapam and a corridor with several Shiva Idols. The temple tank is a main tourist attraction as it is believed that the water here has curative properties. Interestingly, there exists a Muslim Dargah inside the temple complex where devotees, irrespective of caste or creed, offer prayers.





KONDAGATTU

One among the most popular temples in Karimnagar is Kondagattu Temple. Kondagattu is scenically located amidst valleys, rivers and waterfalls. The legend has it that a cattle grazer had a vision and found a shining statue of Lord Anjaneya here. The temple is specifically popular among childless couples as it is believed that if a woman offers prayers at this temple for 40 days she would be blessed with a child.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Jagtial
-  177 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad(209 km)
-  Haritha Hotel Kondagattu
-  Timings : 4 am - 8:30 pm

LOWER MANAIR DAM

The dam, which is built on River Manair, a tributary of Godavari, is the lifeline of Karimnagar. During the monsoon season, the water in the river rises to great heights due to copious inflows. The place is often frequented for an awesome boating experience.

FAST FACTS



District : Karimnagar



177 km from Hyderabad



Boating is available in this location



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (206.8 km)



RAJEEV DEER PARK

On the outskirts of Karimnagar, close to Manair Dam, one can visit the sprawling Rajeev Deer Park spread over 30-acres of lush greenery. Since it is a wildlife park, mostly deer and other flora and fauna are preserved. The park is a fine example of conservation and is a must-visit for all nature lovers.

FAST FACTS



District : Karimnagar



150 km from Hyderabad



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (205.3 km)



BOMMALAMMA GUTTA

The place gains precedence as a centre for archaeological prominence and stands as witness to hundreds of years of beautiful Telugu culture and literature. The chiseled carvings on the hillsides of Vrishabhadri hill date back to the Chalukyan period. The significant attractions of this historic place include: Chakresvari (Jain Sasanadevi in seated posture with eight hands) Yakshini statue, statues of Jain Teerthakaras and other inscriptions on stone. Right beneath the idol of Chakresvari also known as Seethamma, exists an inscription of 11 lines written in three languages - Kannada, Telugu and Sanskrit. This inscription remains priceless in essence to Kannada and Telugu language deducing their antiquity. It also gives significant information regarding the genealogy and the origin of Pampa, the great Kannada poet and author.

FAST FACTS



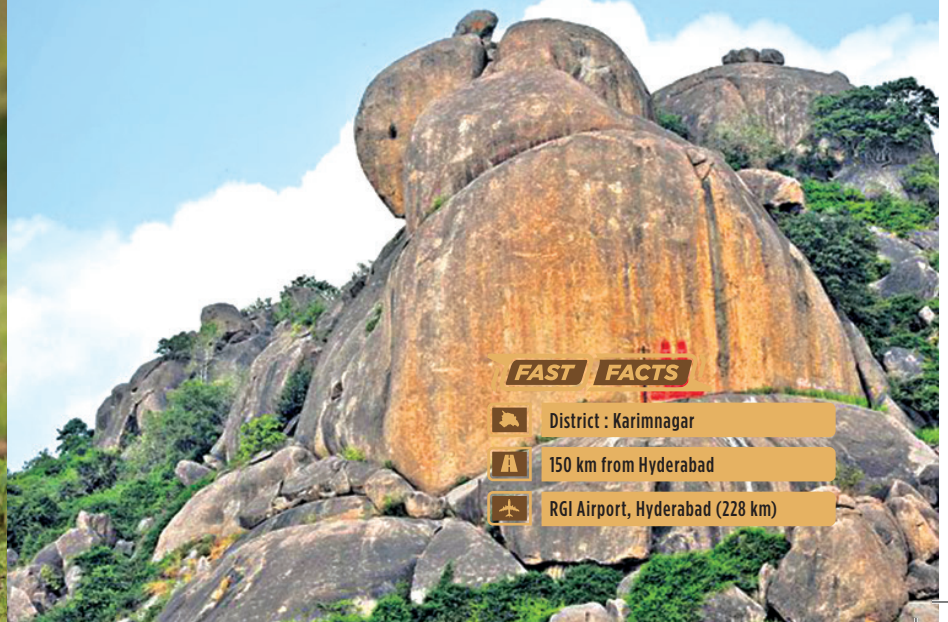
District : Karimnagar



150 km from Hyderabad




RGI Airport, Hyderabad (228 km)







DHARMAPURI

The temple town of Dharmapuri came into existence during the 10th century on the banks of River Godavari. According to legend, Bali Varma performed a Dharma Devta Yagna with the desire to have all his subjects follow the path of Dharma. The people also agreed for this noble cause. Hence, the town got its name Dharmapuri. In ancient times, it was the seat of learning languages, literature, dance and music. Other renowned shrines in the town include: the 13th century Sri Lakshmi Narasimha Swamy temple, Sri Venkateswara Swamy temple and Sri Ramalingeshwara Swamy temple.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Jagtial
-  229 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (200 km)
-  Timings : 4 am - 8:30 pm

FAST FACTS

-  District : Jagtial
-  222 km from Hyderabad
-  Jagtial Railway Station (43 km)
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (322 km)




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SRI LAXMINARASIMHA SWAMY DEVASTHANAM
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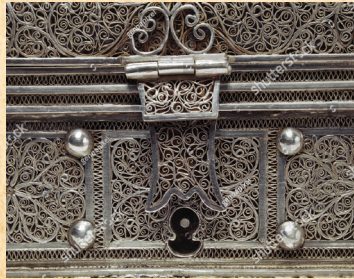


This was once the stronghold of Kakatiya Empire. The Chalukyas of Kalyani and the Kakatiyas built several interesting temples during their reign. The most important temple complex is the one with the three shrines i.e. Trikuta. While the main entrance faces East, the three shrines face North, West and South. The temple has interesting carvings of musicians playing mridangam and other instruments. Panels with visuals of dancers in graceful poses are another unique attraction.

FAST FACTS




-  District : Karimnagar
-  160 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (247V km)

SILVER FILIGREE



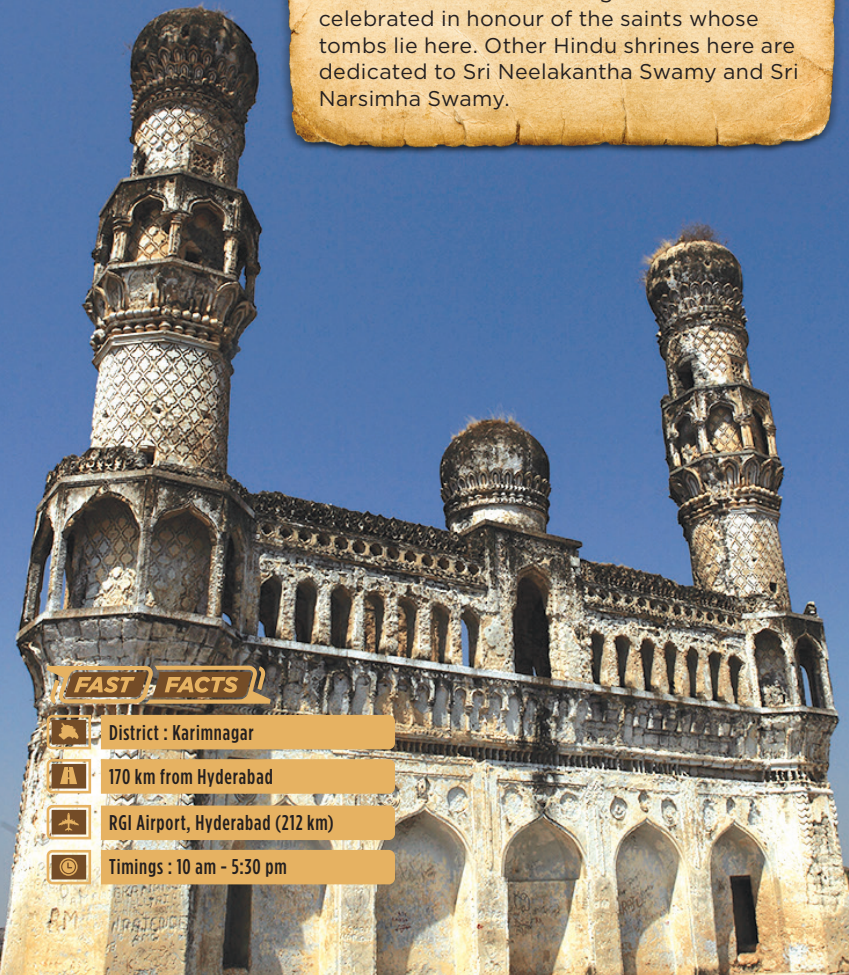
This is an interesting form of craft practised on Silverware in Karimnagar. It has very delicate and intricate carvings on silver sheets which has many admirers and is famous across the world. The carvings include motifs of birds and flowers. The popular Silver Filigree items include: Traditional pandans, jewellery boxes, vases and replicas of Charminar.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Karimnagar
-  150 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (200 km)

ELGANDAL FORT

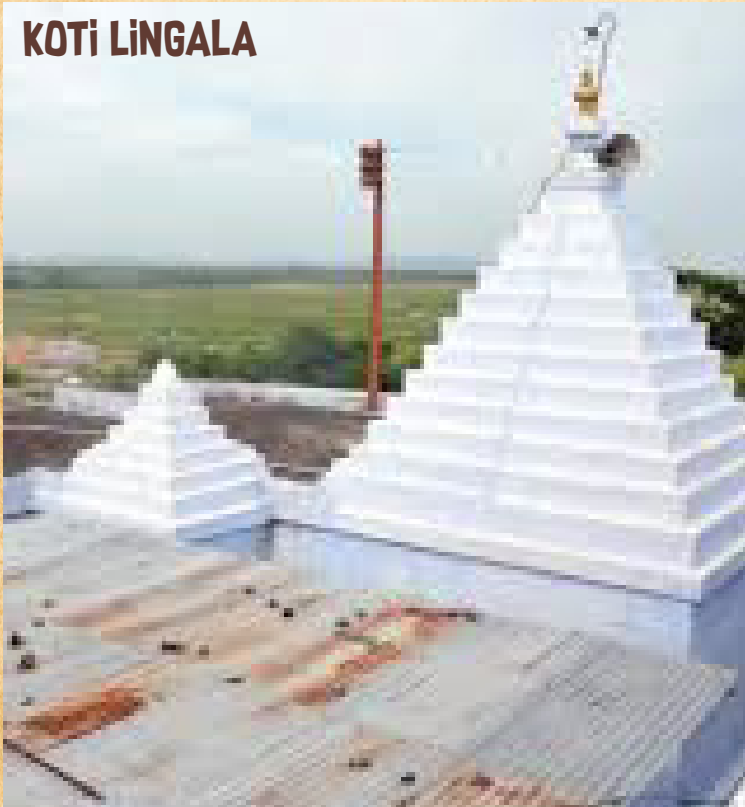
This fort is unique for the reason that this place was once the capital city of Telangana. Located on a hillock, the fort has been home to several dynasties including the Kakatiyas, Bahamanis, Qutub Shahis, Mughals and Asaf Jahis. A mosque, inside the fort, built by Zafar-Ud-Dowla in 1754 AD, takes pride in its three minarets which oscillate when shaken. The annual event of the Elgandal fort 'Urs' is celebrated in honour of the saints whose tombs lie here. Other Hindu shrines here are dedicated to Sri Neelakantha Swamy and Sri Narsimha Swamy.



FAST FACTS

-  District : Karimnagar
-  170 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (212 km)
-  Timings : 10 am - 5:30 pm

KOTI LINGALA



Koti Lingala was the first capital of the Satavahana dynasty. The traditional Sri Koteswara Siddeshwara Swamy Devasthanam temple with picturesque background is about 60 km from the district headquarters town of Karimnagar.

MANTHANI



Manthani is a centre for learning of Vedas and Shastras. Located on the banks of River Godavari, this ancient Vedic centre is the alma mater of several scholars who are well-versed in Vedas and Shastras even today. Several temples of repute adorn this land. Among these, Lord Saileswara, Gauthameshwara, Laxminarayana Swamy, Omkalisvaragudi and Mahalaxmi are a few. It is also an important centre for Jainism and Buddhism.

FAST FACTS



District : Peddapally



235 km from Hyderabad



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (200 km)



DHULIKATTA

It stands as an important destination since Buddhist Stupas and Viharas of Satavahana period were found during an excavation. The 3-day Satavahana festival is conducted in the month of January every year.

FAST FACTS



District : Peddapally



198 km from Hyderabad



Peddapally Railway Station (25 km)



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (322 km)

A Marsh Crocodile is the central focus of the image, resting on a dark, jagged rock that protrudes from a calm river. The crocodile's head is turned to the left, showing its sharp teeth and textured scales. The water is still, creating a clear reflection of the crocodile and the rock. The background is a soft, golden glow from the setting or rising sun, with some reeds visible on the right side. The overall mood is peaceful and natural.

SIVARAM WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

50 kms from Mancherla, this sanctuary is picturesque as it fringes on a beautiful river. Extending over 37 sq km, the Sanctuary is a lively habitat for Marsh Crocodile, Tiger, Panther, Langur, Rhesus Monkey, Sloth Bear, Wild Boar, Cheetal, Sambar, Nilagi and Python.

FAST FACTS



District : Karimnagar



150 km from Hyderabad



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (200 km)



BANYAN TREE

Spread across five acres of land in Paidimadugu Village on the banks of the Godavari, is a one-of-its-kind Banyan Tree. History says that it is 500 years old. The deities of Ganesha and Nagini placed in the temple under this tree dates back to 10th Century AD. A rivulet of the Godavari flows in an unconventional direction from East to West.

FAST FACTS



District : Karimnagar



244 km from Hyderabad



Mancherla Railway Station (50 km)



RGI Airport, Hyderabad (322 km)