**36th Chinna Shodha Yatra**

**Tummana valasa – Gummakota – Andra - Mentada – Gajapatinagaram**

**Dist Visakhapatnam-Vizianagaram, Andhra Pradesh**

**26-28 February, 2021**

**Thirty Sixth Chinna Shodha Yatra (36th CSY)**

**Date:** 26-28 February, 2021

**Location:** Tummana valasa – Gummakota – Andra - Mentada – Gajapatinagaram

**Meeting Point:** Tummana valasa ( Visakhapatnam – Araku Road)

**Starts:** Yatra commences at 8 AM on Friday, 26 February, 2021 from Tummanavalasa.

**Ends:** At Gajapatinagaram @5 PM on Sunday, 28 February, 2021.

**Total Distance:** Approximately 50 km.

**Route map:**  <https://goo.gl/maps/5hDinrWwy4yL2DuM8>

**To reach the Meeting Point:**

Tummana valasa by road or rail. Nearest railway station is Visakahapatnam. Nearest airport is Visakhapatnam. Wash up at Visakhapatnam rail station or bus stand. Tummana Valasa is 55 Kms from Visakhapatnam by Bus. Buses going to Araku will stop at Tummanavalasa or Visakhapatnam to S.Kota (Srungavarapu Kota) buses are available every 15 min. From S.Kota autos are available to Tummana valasa. Exact location of meeting point in the village will be intimated later.

**Return Journey:**

On 28 February, 2021, yatries will be able to leave for Hyderabad from Vizianagaram any time after 5 PM. Gajapatinagaram is 25 Kms away from Vizianagaram and will take 45 min. Return journey may be planned accordingly.

**Route we walk…..**

26 February– Tummana valasa – Mandapeta – Gondrangipadu – Bhimpolu – Billakota – Bhimvaram - Gummakota

27 February– Gummakota – Gurugubilli – Kondaparti – Basalapadu – Lothugedda – Pittada - Mentada

28 February– Mentada – Chittaivalasa – Kothabaggam - Gajapatinagaram

**The yatra area offers:**

Extensive Farming, Mango and Cashew gardens, Tribal life, walks through forest and hill area,

many more interactions with Tribals, farmers and their women and children…

The objectives and other details of the Yatra are described in the brochure placed on the home page of website.

You may also read the impressions of yatris who participated in earlier Chinna Shodha Yatras.

***Please read carefully the Brochure of the yatra placed on the Homepage of our website for finer details of Yatra. Tips given therein will help you plan the yatra logistics.***

**Administration**

Registration fee of Rs 500 per participant is to be paid at the beginning of the yatra which will be used against the pre-yatra expenses of planning and reconnaissance by Volunteers of Palle Srujana.

Logistics and food expenses during the yatra will be equally borne by the participants. Estimated expense is Rs 600-800 per Yatri depending on the strength. This amount will be collected at the commencement of yatra and one of the Yatries on voluntary basis will maintain the accounts and present the same to the group just before the conclusion of the yatra.

**Registration and Cancellation**

Please visit www.pallesrujana.org and register online. You can also register by opening the link below.

<https://forms.gle/jCc7DAQqvqV9zyVWA>

Last date of registration Noon 25 February, 2021.

A confirmation of your participation will be sent to you on online registration. In case you wish to cancel the participation after being confirmed. It is incumbent on you to intimate us asap.

Book your to and fro journey and share your travel details with Palle Srujana team and other yatries.

An exclusive whatsapp group for 36th CSY will be opened from 22 February, 2021 and all participants whose confirmation is sent will be included in this group.

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