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***Cordially invite you to the Mahabalipuram tour of the
ACCMS-TM 2016***



Mahabalipuram is an ancient historical town in Kancheepuram district in the Indian state of Tamil Nadu. It is around 46 km from SRM University, Potheri. It is one of the true traveller's enclaves, a mix of sun, seafood and sand. But it's much more than that. Famous for its ancient rock carvings, especially the Shore Temple was once the second capital and seaport of the Pallava kings of Kancheepuram. The village is listed as a World Heritage site and remains a renowned centre for stone carving; you'll see and hear the constant tapping of hammer and chisel as artisans chip away at exquisite sculptures. The religious centre of Mamallapuram (formerly Mahabalipuram) was founded by 7th century (AD) Pallava king and Narasimharman. The Pallavas supported Buddhism, Jainism, and Brahmanism, and were patrons of music, painting, and literature. The best surviving Pallava monuments in Mamallapuram are the Shore temple, the sculptured rock relief known as Arjuna's Penance, temples carved from granite monoliths (Pancha Rathas), and numerous cave temples.

Famous places in Mahabalipuram:

Arjuna's Penance, Shore Temple, Krishna's Butter Ball, Asia largest Sea shell Museum, Light house and Pancha Rathas

Date : 24th September, 2016
Time : 13.30 hrs
Pick up point : Near Dr. T. P. Ganesan Auditorium
Return Time : 18.30 hrs

Note: Owing to weather conditions, we request you to bring umbrella, Hat and water bottles etc.

Interested participant can register their names in the registration desk of ACCMS -TM 2016 on or before 23rd September, 2016

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