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OVERVIEW

HABANO TOUR

Date: From February 23 to March 1, 2025

IMPORTANT NOTE: All festival dates are approximate. They can change at last minute and

may vary from year to year. Duration: 7 days I 6 nights

Highlights:

- Explore Havana Historical Centre, a UNESCO Heritage Site.
- Guided tour of Partagas Cigar Factory, founded in 1845.
- Travel to Viñales Valley, declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO.
- Meet with tobacco growing farmers, in Eastern Cuba.
- Visit to Tropicana, spectacular cabarets to open sky.
- · Guided tour of Havana Club Rum museum.

DAY

Sunday, February 23, 2025

HABANA I DINNER

Welcome to Cuba! Your adventure begins as you are met at the airport by our local taxi driver and transferred to your accommodation in the city center. Once you check-in and settle in, take your time to meet other members of the group and/or enjoy the surroundings.

04:00PM. The **Orientation meeting** will be at 4PM in the cafeteria section. Your tour guide will review the updated itinerary and inform you of any possible last minute changes that may have occurred.

06:00PM. Be ready to enjoy a delicious **welcome dinner** at a private Cuban paladar. Take into account that a paladar is a small, family-run restaurant. This means you are contributing to the economic well-being of some Cuban families.

08:00PM. After dinner, attend the **Opening Ceremony of the Habanos Cigar Festival 2025**, where Habanos S.A. will introduce new vitolas and the nominations for the "Premio Habano" awards will be announced.

11:45PM. Bus transfer back to your accommodation will be available. In case you want to continue enjoying your time, please, bear in mind you'll have to take a taxi on your own for the way back.

DAY 2

Monday, February 24, 2025

HAVANA I BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER

10:00AM. This morning, after a delicious **breakfast**, put on your walking shoes and your coolest clothes, and get ready to discover the beauty of Havana City. Enjoy a **panoramic tour of Modern Havana on a Convertible Classic Car**. During this tour, stops at the **Revolution Square** and the **Community Art Project Fusterlandia**, are included.

12:30PM. Enjoy local food and live music at a private paladar in Old Havana. One national drink is included, so, we recommend a refreshing Mojito or Daiquiri.

02:30PM. After **lunch**, discover the history behind the magnificent buildings of **Old Havana**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1982. Visit the 4 main squares of the area: Plaza de Armas, Plazas Vieja, Plaza de San Francisco de Asís and Plaza de la Catedral.

05:00PM. Time to go back to accommodation and get ready for dinner.

08:00PM. Be ready to enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a private Cuban paladar while enjoying the most amazing spectacle from members of the well-known **Buena Vista Social Club**.



11:45PM. Bus transfer back to accommodation will be available. In case you want to continue enjoying your time, please, bear in mind you'll have to take a taxi on your own for the way back.

DAY 3

Tuesday, February 25, 2025

HAVANA I BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER

09:30AM. After **breakfast**, bus pickup to visit one of the Cuban **Cigar Factories**. Tour the facilities and visit a small shop in the factory.

11:00AM. Visit the **Humidores Habana** factory and experience first-hand everything that goes behind the creation of these beautiful wooden pieces of art, designed to store the country's greatest cigars. Humidores Habana works with old furniture and wood from demolitions, preferably from attics, that has dried for years under the Caribbean sun.

12:30PM. Lunch time!

03:00PM. After a delicious lunch at a private paladar, delight your senses with the **tasting of Tobacco, Rum and a good coffee**.

04:30PM. Time to go back to accommodation and get ready for dinner.

06:30PM. Be ready for a delightful **dinner.** After dinner, enjoy the **Ceremony of the Cannon Firing** at 9 o'clock. This is a tradition that dates from the colonial period in the island. After this activity, your driver will be ready to take you back to your accommodation. In case you want to continue enjoying your time, please, bear in mind you'll have to take a taxi on your own for the way back.

DAY

Wednesday, February 26, 2025

VIÑALES I BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER

Wake up! Wake up! This morning put on comfortable shoes and cool cloth. After a delicious **breakfast**, you'll depart to Pinar del Rio province to visit the Cultural Heritage **Valle de Viñales** (2hrs/30mnts approx. from Havana).

11:00AM. Your first stop will be at the **Viewpoint Mirador de Los Jazmines** to have a panoramic view of almost the whole Valley.

11:30AM. Afterwards, you'll continue to the **Cueva del Indio**. Walk inside the cave (250 meters approx.) and take a 10-minute boat ride through the underground river San Vicente to the exit of the cave.

12:30PM. Once out, continue to the **agroecological farm El Paraiso**, where you will enjoy a delicious Cuban **lunch** with an amazing view of the area.

02:00PM. After lunch, visit the **Vega (tobacco farm)** Macondo where you'll be in direct contact with local farmers and enjoy a rolling cigar demonstration at the time that you also learn a little more about the plantation and harvesting process of this product in the region. **Horse riding in this place** is optional and is not included in the package price. If interested on this activity, let us know in advance.

03:30PM. Then, continue to the **Mural de la Prehistoria** to admire a mural that was painted on a mogote named Pita and shows the evolution of human beings. At this place you can taste the delicious Piña Colada (**not included in the package price**).

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04:00PM. Time to go back to Havana. Take a nap during these 2 hours and a half, if tired.

08:00PM. Have a wonderful **dinner** at a local private paladar in Havana. Then, enjoy your evening at leisure.

DAY 5

Thursday, February 27, 2025

HAVANA I BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER

10:00AM. After **breakfast**, visit the **Habano Cigar Festival's Exhibit Fair** and related venues across the city. Exchange with international and local dealers, exhibitors, and Cigar aficionados and participate in programmed activities.

12:30PM. Delight your palate with a tasty lunch at a private paladar.

03:00PM. After lunch, visit the **Havana Club Rum Museum**. Enjoy the facilities and taste this amazing Cuban product. Afterwards, visit the **Almacenes de San Jose Handicraft Market**, the perfect place to buy Cuban souvenirs for your loved ones.

04:30PM. Go back to accommodation and get ready for dinner.

08:00PM. Enjoy **dinner** and the spectacular show of the well-known **Tropicana Cabaret I Parisien Cabaret (depending on your choice)**

11:45PM. Bus transfer back to accommodation will be available. In case you want to continue enjoying your time, please, bear in mind you'll have to take a taxi on your own for the way back.

DAY 6

Friday, February 28, 2025

HAVANA I BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER

10:00AM. After **breakfast**, attend a **private lecture** about the best vitolas of Cuban Cigar and the leaves mixed to achieve an excellent flavor.

12:30PM. Delight your palate with a tasty **lunch** at a private paladar.

02:30PM. After lunch, visit the **Habano Cigar Festival's Exhibit Fair** and related venues across the city.

04:30PM. Go back to accommodation and get ready for dinner.

08:00PM. Enjoy a delicious **dinner** while listening to good music at **FANGIO Habana**, undoubtedly one of the best places in Cuba to listen to the best exponents of Cuban jazz music. Enjoy the rest of your night at leisure.

DAY 7

Saturday, March 1, 2025

HAVANA I BREAKFAST

This morning you can pack your suitcase and all those souvenirs you have already bought. The driver will pick you up 3 hours before your scheduled departure flight time to take you to the airport. Remember to have your passport, airline ticket and all your belongings by hand.

Our SAGUA TEAM wishes you an excellent flight back home!



Price per person

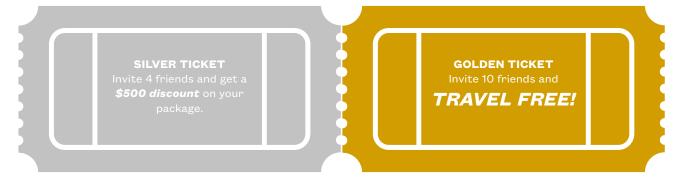
Tropicana		Parisien	
Single Occupancy	Double Occupancy	Single Occupancy	Double Occupancy
3049.00	2839.00	2999.00	2789.00

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

★ Itinerary subject to change based on weather and/or suppliers.

In case there is any activity of the program that for reasons beyond our control is not available on the scheduled date, our company will offer a second alternative to replace it.

- * All festival dates are approximate. They can change at last minute and may vary from year to year.
- ★ Average guided tour group size: 04-43 people
- **★ SPECIAL OFFER!**



What's included:

- * Accommodation & Daily Breakfast I Hotel Grand Aston Habana or similar
- Airport Transfers
- Ground transportation to all scheduled activities
- Entrance fee to all the activities described in the program
- ★ English-speaking tour guide
- ★ Meals as described in the program
- One day trip to Viñales
- 24h Sagua Team support
- 2 bottles (500ml) of water daily for the hot Cuban weather

What's not included:

- Gratuities (at your discretion)
- Flight tickets / Travel Insurance / Travel Visa
- Activities not described in the program



REMARKS:

As specified above, Flight tickets, Travel Insurance and Travel Visas are not included, but SST team may assist you with the booking process if needed. Take into account that an extra fee of \$50.00 USD will be charged for operating expenses.

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