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### SANTIAGO DE CUBA

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# Santiago de Cuba

The second largest city in the country, holds the Title of Hero City of the Republic of Cuba and the Golden Apple, an award granted by the International Tourism Press Association. Since the visitor sets foot in the last of the seven villas founded by Diego Velázquez, he will notice that he has reached a place that has its own rhythm, impregnated with natural and human warmth that distinguishes it from other places in the country. Its cheerful and hospitable people, the result of a 500-year-old racial *ajiaco*, make it a historic, musical and festive city.

But, above all this, it is the most Caribbean of the Cuban cities, qualifying that owes not only to its geographical location but, also, to its human origins, a mixture of Spaniards, Africans and French, with much more primacy of Haitians, Jamaicans, Guadalupe and Martiniqueños than anywhere else on the island.

Here the Caribbean Festival or *Fiesta del Fuego* is celebrated very year, a natural venue for a celebration full of color and joy that aims to articulate the identities of the peoples of the region beyond the geographical and linguistic dispersion.



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# SANTIAGO DE CUBA





## Historical Center

### CÉSPEDES PARK

Declared National Monument in October 1978, the main square of Santiago de Cuba, surrounded by emblematic buildings such as: the Town Hall, the House of Diego Velázquez, the Cathedral, the old Club San Carlos and the HoTel Casa Granda. Constitutes the foundational ring of what was initially the 15th island town in 1515.

### CATHEDRAL OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA

Architectural and heritage pride of the city, declared a National Monument in 1958, the first Cathedral of Cuba. In 1922, was remodeled due to numerous earthquakes, where the image of the Archangel Gabriel placed the towers and redecorate rose rum inside and ceilings.

**Address: Santo Tomás, e /  
San Basilio and Heredia.  
Telephone. (+53 22) 654586**



### MUSEUM OF CUBAN HISTORICAL ENVIRONMENT

The oldest house in Latin America. Built between 1516 and 1530, with a Mudejar style. It belonged to Diego Velázquez, founder of Santiago de Cuba. Among its walls, original furniture and archaeological pieces of invaluable value are treasured.

**Address: Santo Tomás, No. 612,  
e / Aguilera and Heredia .  
Telephone: (+53 22)652652**



**DIEGO VELÁZQUEZ'S BALCONY**

### **DIEGO VELÁZQUEZ'S BALCONY**

It gives the city a lookout site that gathers the history of the first moments of Santiago and its first bulwark of defense.

**Address: Corona e/ Heredia and San Basilio**



**CASA GRANDA HOTEL**

### **CASA GRANDE HOTEL**

Built in 1914, a 4 - star hotel that combines traditional Cuban style with all the modernity of its current facilities. From its Roof Garden you can enjoy sunsets accompanied by delicious monitors and other typical Cuban cocktails.

**Address: Heredia Street No. 201, Esq. San Pedro**

**Telephone: (+53 22) 653021-25**

**Email: [reserva@casagran.cubanacan.tur.cu](mailto:reserva@casagran.cubanacan.tur.cu)**

**[www.cubanacan.cu](http://www.cubanacan.cu)**

**[www.hotelescubanacan.com](http://www.hotelescubanacan.com)**

### **PADRE PICO 'S STAIRWAY**

One of the famous steps of our Santiago de Cuba has 52 steps, identify the city landscape since October 2, 1903, when it was inaugurated.

**Address: Padre Pico and Santa Rita Street**



**PADRE PICO 'S STAIRWAY**

### **BARRIO EL TIVOLI:**

Neighborhood of Santiago de Cuba that had an urban impulse with the Haitian Revolution at the end of the 18th century and the beginning of the 19th century. It belongs to the French memory of the city .







### PASEO DE LA ALAMEDA

It is located in front of the city's port, on Jesús Menéndez Avenue. Among its attractions are the Malecon, perfect space for the enjoyment of the bay of Santiago de Cuba.



### LUCHA CLANDESTINA MUSEUM

Located in the Hill of Intendente, in El Tivolí, it treasures part of the history related to the fight against the tyranny of Fulgencio Batista, especially the role of young people and the actions carried out in support of the Rebel Army and the July 26 Movement.

**Address: Rabí No 1 e/ Santa Rita and San Carlos**  
**Telephone: [+53 22]624689**

### RUM MUSEUM

Founded in June 1996, it collects the history of rum production, a variety of rum labels and containers are exhibited, from old brands such as Matusalén to others like Rum Santiago or Caney. As a courtesy to the visitor they offered a drink to taste the aroma and flavor of Rum Santiago.

**Address: Peralejo No. 103 e/ San Antonio and San Ricardo**  
**Telephone: [+53 22] 653834**



### CERVECERÍA PUERTO DEL REY

Located in La Alameda Avenue, with Austrian modern technology, can accommodate 325 customers who can appreciate the preparation of beer from their tables. Light, black and dark beers are made, and malts dispensed from malted barley, with higher quality and healthier.

**Address: Avenue Jesús Menéndez e/ Aduana and Duvergél**  
**Telephone: [+53 22]686048**



### CASA DE LAS TRADICIONES

Located at the Tivoli neighborhood where the most native of Cuban music, African and Caribbean roots is mixed. Genres such as son, the traditional trova and the bolero reign in this place. On its walls are reflected photos and autographs of great Cuban musicians.

**Address: Rabí 154 e/ San Fernando and Princesa**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)653892**

### SANTA IFIGENIA CEMENTERY

Inaugurated on 28 April of 1868, is one of the jewels of funerary art in Cuba, was declared a National Monument since 1979, where remains José Martí, National Hero of Cuba Carlos Manuel de Céspedes (Father of the Nation), and Mariana Grajales (Homeland Mother) and the historic leader of the Revolution, Fidel Castro Ruz.

**Address: Crombet Road**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)631635**

### HEREDIA STREET

Owes its name to the first romantic poet of America, José María Heredia. Where the Provincial Committee of the Union of Writers and Artists of Cuba, the Carnival Museum, the Elvira Cape Library, the Municipal House of Culture, the Patio de ARTEX, the Confronta Art Gallery, the House of Trova Pepe Sánchez and La Escalera Bookstore, among others.

### ENRAMADAS STREET

Owes its name to a tradition during the celebrations of Corpus Christi when neighbors placed awnings and a palm bower to protect the procession from the Sun and rain. Converge thousands of Santiago and visitors from or to the Plaza de Marte and the Paseo Marítimo de la Alameda.





LA CASA DE LA TROVA

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Located on Heredia Street, it is the first institution of its kind in Cuba. Considered as the cathedral of traditional Cuban music. A collection of old photos of legendary national music figures such as Sindo Garay, Compay Segundo and Níco Saquito, adorn the walls of the building.

**Address: Heredia No. 208 e/ San Pedro and San Felix.**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)652689**



JOSÉ MARÍA HEREDIA NATAL HOUSE MUSEUM

### JOSÉ MARÍA HEREDIA NATAL HOUSE MUSEUM

Due to its historical and architectural values, it is created to preserve one of the relics of the colonial era of the city. Exhibits Documents, paintings and objects of the time that belonged to the Heredia family.

**Address: Heredia street No. e/ San Felix and Carnicería.**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)625350**



CARNIVAL MUSEUM

### CARNIVAL MUSEUM

Exhibits models of floats, trophies, costumes, as well musical instruments of the main groups that participate in the carnivals in the month of July.

**Address: Street Heredia No.303 e/ Carnicería and Calvario**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)626955**

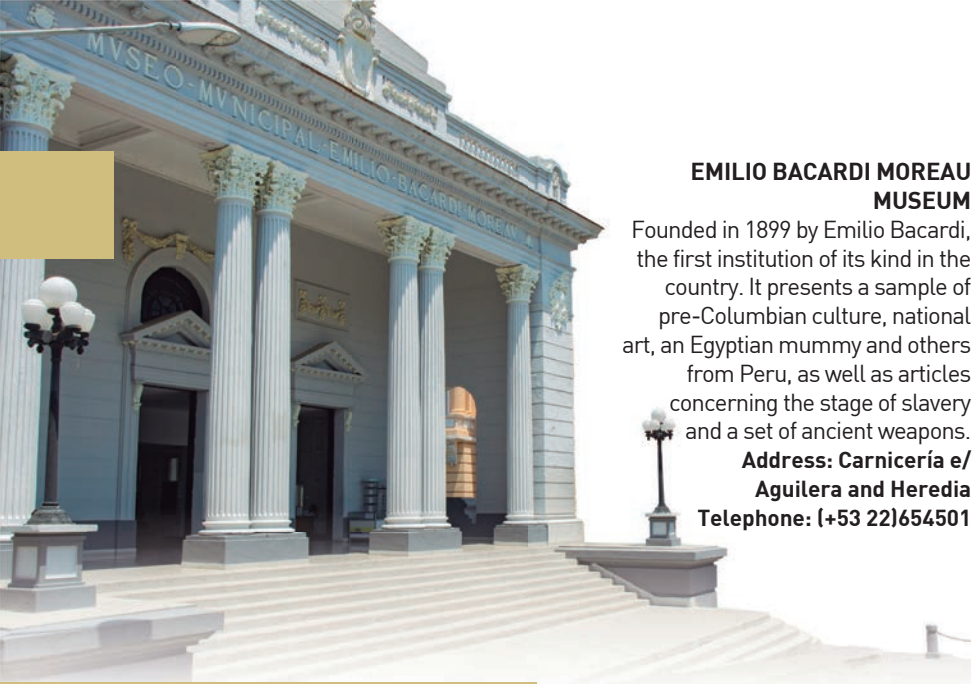


RON CANEY BAR

### RON CANEY BAR

It is a bar and shop next to the Ron Factory. Where you can taste exquisite drinks and cocktails based on Cuban rum. Before the triumph of the Cuban Revolution, this site was a dependency of the Ron Bacardi Company.

**Address: Peralejo No. 103 e/ San Antonio and San Ricardo**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)625576**



### **EMILIO BACARDI MOREAU MUSEUM**

Founded in 1899 by Emilio Bacardi, the first institution of its kind in the country. It presents a sample of pre-Columbian culture, national art, an Egyptian mummy and others from Peru, as well as articles concerning the stage of slavery and a set of ancient weapons.

**Address: Carnicería e/ Aguilera and Heredia**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)654501**

### **LOCATION OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT**

Opened on June 23, 1926, it is inscribed within the codes of eclecticism, thanks to the excellent design of the architect Carlos Segrera. An old Police Location of the Spanish Government was destroyed for its construction.

**Address: Aguilera e/ San Félix and Carnicería**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)652081**

### **MADRIGALISTA CHOIR**

Dean of professional choirs. (1954)  
Founded by the teacher Miguel García. Its venue is the quintessential venue for choral music in the city of Santiago de Cuba, of which Maestro Electo Silva was a great driver.

**Address: Carnicería e/ Aguilera and Heredia**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)669348**



### LA ISABELICA CAFETERIA

Pleasant space to enjoy varied offers of pure coffee grown in the mountains of the Cuban East.

**Address: Aguilera e/ Carnicería y Calvario**

**Telephone: (+53 22)669546**



LA ISABELICA CAFETERIA

### DOLORES SQUARE

Site of influx people due to cultural and tourist attractions, recreational in the surroundings is located the old church of Dolores, home of the Symphony Orchestra of the East, and the International Choir Festival of Santiago de Cuba.

### PATIO DE ARTEX

Ideal site for sharing accompanied by a dance partner and gastronomic offers.

**Address: Street Heredia No. e/ Carnicería and Calvario**

**Telephone: (+53 22)654814**



DOLORES SQUARE

### PLAZA DE MARTE

One of the most central and preferred spaces by the people of Santiago, in its surroundings you can find places such as the Iris Jazz Club, the Rex and Libertad Hotels, el Patio de los Dos Abuelos, reserved for traditional music. As well as the Chocolateria Fraternidad and La Gran Sofía Coffee, and the most important Commercial Center of the city: "Plaza de Marte".



## ABEL SANTAMARÍA HISTORICAL PLACE

Raised on the grounds of the ruins of the Saturnino Lora Civil Hospital, scene of the armed action July 26, 1953. In front of 23 young revolutionaries, Abel Santamaría Cuadrado assaulted this place to from there support the attack on the Barracks Moncada.

**Address:** Trinidad Street, e / Calle Nueva and Carretera Central.  
**Telephone:** (+53 22)624119



ABEL SANTAMARÍA HISTORICAL PLACE



FERREIRO PARK



VISTA ALEGRE NEIGHBORHOOD

## VISTA ALEGRE NEIGHBORHOOD

Neighborhood of the Santiago bourgeoisie, emerged in the early years of the twentieth century, when a process of urban transformations and the development of new areas of growth in the city took place.



### **FERREIRO PARK**

It is distinguished by a high aesthetic taste in its setting, with reproductions of works by leading artists from Santiago, such as Alberto Lescaj, Nelson Domínguez and Wilfredo Lam. Among its facilities we can find: Dance area, Café Album, ARTEX Store as well as other gastronomic spaces (Mini Restaurant , Cafeteria and Pizzeria ).

### **LA MAISON**

Established as a Fashion House since 1992, it reflects the work of designers and fashion companies in the city. It has a boutique inside that shows excellent textile pieces and shoes.  
**Address: Manduley Ave / 1st and 3rd Street. Vista Alegre Neighborhood**  
**Telephone: (+53 22) 646947**

### **CASA DE LA CERÁMICA**

Shown dimensional works of ceramists of Santiago. It offers the possibility of attending pottery workshops and classes for beginners.  
**Address: Manduley Ave / 3rd and 5th Street. Vista Alegre Neighborhood**  
**Telephone: (+53 22) 667211**

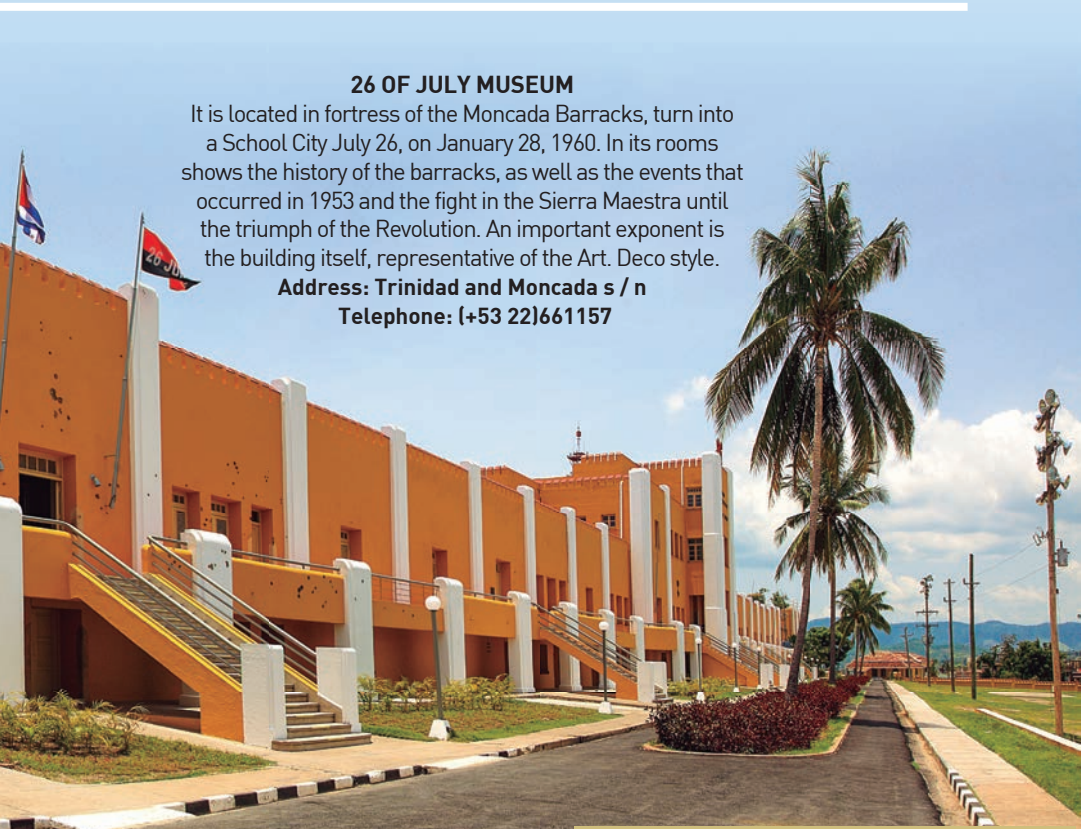
### **CASA DEL ÁFRICA**

Founded in 1988 to promoting and disseminating the values of African culture and its traces in Cuban, Latin American and Caribbean cultures.  
**Address: Manduley Ave / 5th and 7th Street. Vista Alegre Neighborhood**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)66 7 129**

### **26 OF JULY MUSEUM**

It is located in fortress of the Moncada Barracks, turn into a School City July 26, on January 28, 1960. In its rooms shows the history of the barracks, as well as the events that occurred in 1953 and the fight in the Sierra Maestra until the triumph of the Revolution. An important exponent is the building itself, representative of the Art. Deco style.

**Address: Trinidad and Moncada s / n**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)661157**



### **PALACIO DE PIONEROS**

Built between 1913 and 1920 by the famous architect Carlos Segrera. Since 1974 it became the Palacio de Pioneros, dedicated to the vocational training of students through clubs (kitchen-nursing-military-mechanical preparation), has game rooms, computer rooms. The house next to the Palace was a wedding gift from Mr. José Bosh for his son when he married Facundo Bacardi's daughter.

**Address: Manduley Ave e/ 9th and 11th Street.  
Vista Alegre Neighborhood  
Telephone: (+53 22)642218**

### **CLUB SANTIAGO**

After Vista Alegre Tennis Club, it later became a Social Circle and currently offers services of Cafeteria Bar, Restaurants of Creole and Japanese Food, Grill, Swimming Pool, Cremería Gym and is one of the most important cultural centers cities.

**Address: Ave Manduley e/ 13 y 17 street. Vista Alegre Neighborhood  
Telephone: (+53 22) 668946**

### **CASA DEL CARIBE**

Founded in 1982 devotes dedicated to the study and treatment of the folklore, literature and art in general in the countries of the Caribbean. It often brings together important intellectuals, offers conferences, debates and cultural activities.

**Address: 13 Street e/ Manduley Ave and 8th street.  
Vista Alegre Neighborhood  
Telephone: (+53 22)6 43609**



**PALACIO DE PIONEROS**



### **SAN JUAN HILL**

Place of the battle between Cubans, Spaniards and Americans in 1898 that was finally taken by the troops of General Shafter. Currently, the San Juan Hotel is nearby, with pool, bar, restaurant, rooms, etc.



### “LAS AMÉRICAS” AVENUE

This name as a symbol of the American Union. On both sides of it are important centers of social and cultural interest that constitute a true example of the urban development of the city reached by the “Hero City.”

### SANTIAGO HOTEL

With 5 star category. It is one of the highest hotels in the country. It mainly houses travel and event tourism.

**Address: M Street / Las Americas Avenue and 4th Street**

**Telephone: (+53 22)647777**

### BOSQUE DE LOS HÉROES

The first sculptural monument that was built in Cuba in tribute to Che and the heroic fighters of the Bolivian guerrillas, has 73 pieces of marble , was inaugurated in 1973 and his sculptures are works by Rita Longa.

### “GUILLERMÓN MONCADA” STADIUM

Was inaugurated in 1964 with a capacity for 25,000 people. Around we can find areas of athletics, fencing, softball, swimming and other sports, as well as the Hotel Deportivo, which houses both athletes and international clients.

**Address: E Street and Las Americas Avenue**

**Telephone: (+53 22)643668**



“LAS AMÉRICAS” AVENUE



HOTEL SANTIAGO



BOSQUE DE LOS HÉROES



TEATRO HEREDIA

### HEREDIA THEATER

Specialized in artistic and cultural shows, as well as a convention center. It has a capacity of around 5000 people

**Address: Las Americas Avenue  
/ Avenue de los Desfiles  
and Angel Luis Salazar**

**Telephone: (+53 22) 6 43054**

### CENTRAL ROAD

Build between 1929 and 1930, its zero kilometer is opposite the Capitol at the capital of the country and the number 969 is located at the intersection of this road with Garzón Avenue.

### REVOLUTION SQUARE "ANTONIO MACEO"

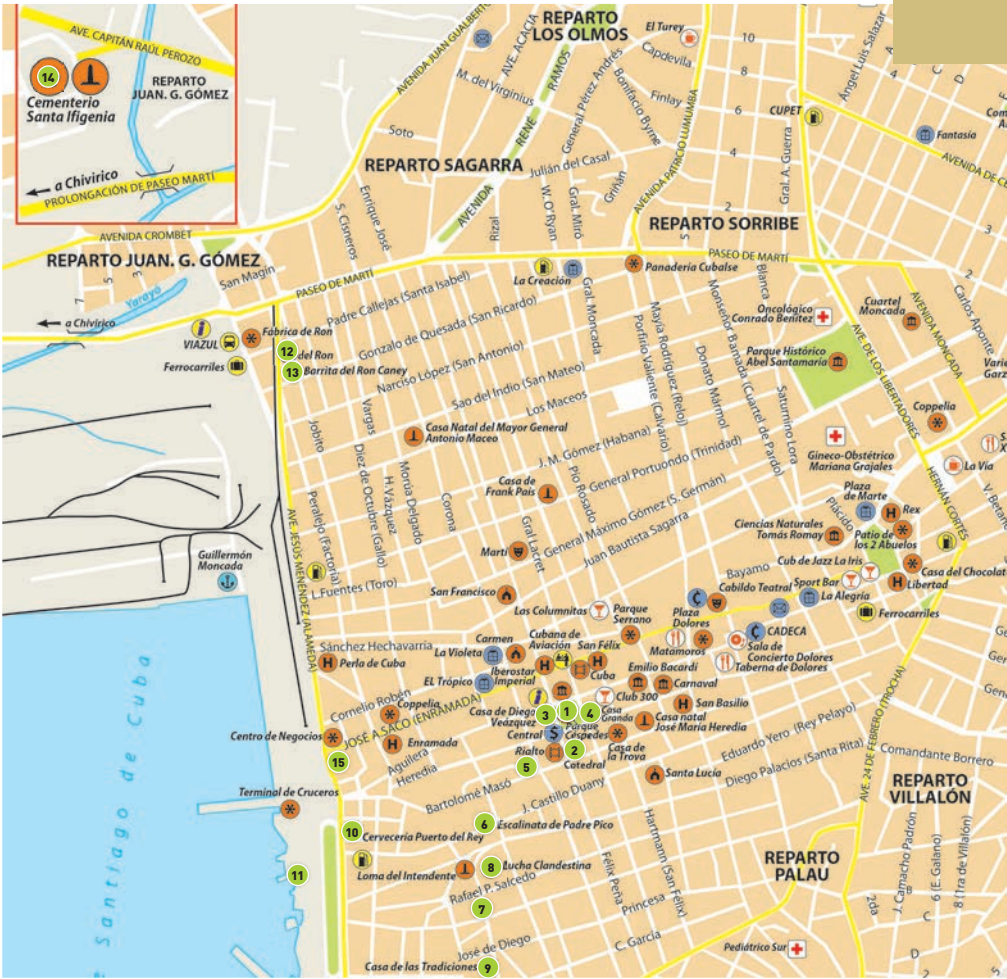
A monumental complex composed of 23 machetes inaugurated in 1991, tribute to our heroes represented in the figure of the Bronze Titan Antonio Maceo and Grajales during the Baraguá Protest.

**Address: Avenue de los Desfiles**

**Telephone: (+53 22) 643053/643768**



# TOUR # 1 HISTORICAL CENTER



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|----|-------------------------------|----|---------------------------|
| 1  | Céspedes Park                 | 8  | Lucha Clandestina Museum  |
| 2  | Cathedral of Santiago de Cuba | 9  | Casa de Las Tradiciones   |
| 3  | Diego Velázquez Museum        | 10 | Cervecería Puerto del Rey |
| 4  | Casa Granda Hotel             | 11 | Malecón Santiago de Cuba  |
| 5  | Diego Velázquez Balcony       | 12 | Rum Museum                |
| 6  | Padre Pico Stairway           | 13 | Caney Rum Bar             |
| 7  | Tivolí neighborhood           | 14 | Santa Ifigenia Cemetery   |
| 15 | Enramadas Street              |    |                           |

## TOUR # 2



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|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 Heredia Street               | 7 La Isabelica Cafeteria  |
| 2 Casa de la Trova             | 8 Dolores Square          |
| 3 José María Heredia Museum    | 9 Plaza de Martes Square  |
| 4 Carnival Museum              | 10 Abel Santamaría Museum |
| 5 Patio de Artex               | 11 July 26 Museum         |
| 6 Emilio Bacardí Moreau Museum |                           |

## TOUR # 3 VISTA ALEGRE

Visit the **Vista Alegre neighborhood**, we suggest you take a tour of **the Ferreiro Cultural Square**, nearby you can find the **Las Américas** and **The Santiago Hotel** , as well as the **Café Palmares**, throughout the **Manduley Avenue** and its surroundings you can find facilities dedicated to culture and Art such as **La Maison** , **la Casa de la Ceramica** , the **Casa del Africa**, the **Palacio de Pioneros** , the **René Valdez Art Gallery**, the **Music Museum**, the **Image Museum**, later to cool off so you can opt for various offers offered by the **Santiago Club**. Continue your tour to the **Casa del Caribe** and **House of Popular Religions** ending at the **San Juan Hill**.





It is located at the eastern end of the Great Sierra Maestra National Park located in the south of the province of Santiago de Cuba, recognized by the National System of Protected Areas, received the status of World Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1987. The sea, the Mountains, history and legends combine magically in this beautiful region of Santiago.



# Baconao Park Biosphere Reserve



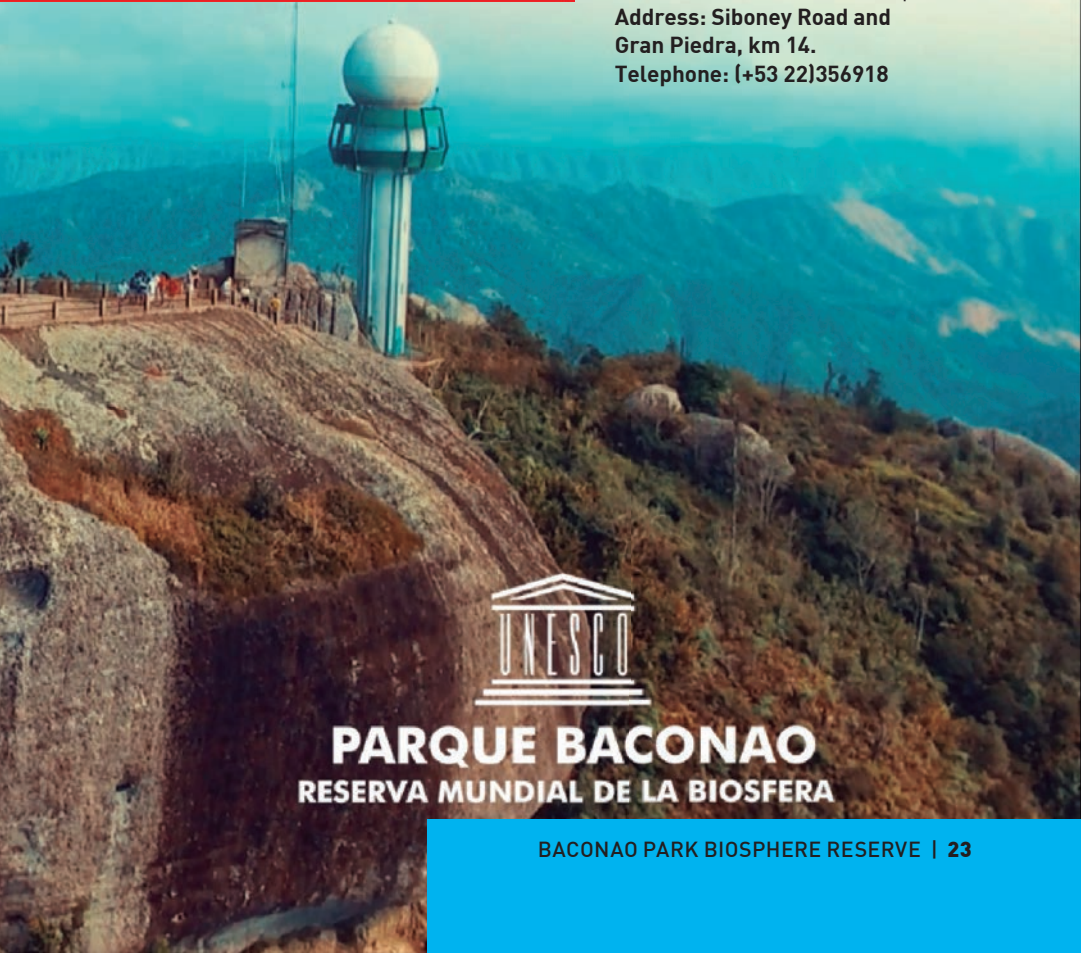
## PLACES TO VISIT

### LA GRAN PIEDRA

Huge rock formation of volcanic origin at 1,224 meters above sea level. It has a weight calculated at 70 thousand tons, it has 459 stone steps to access its top used as a viewpoint and Location of historical and archaeological investigations . Pain area of settlement of French immigrants in the nineteenth century, given the number of ruins of coffee plantations of the time preserved in the Protected Natural Landscape.

**Address: Siboney Road and Gran Piedra, km 14.**

**Telephone: (+53 22)356918**



**PARQUE BACONAO**  
**RESERVA MUNDIAL DE LA BIOSFERA**



### ARCHAEOLOGICAL LANDSCAPE OF THE FIRST COFFEE PLANTATIONS IN SOUTHEAST CUBA

Composed of 171 ruins located between the provinces of Santiago de Cuba and Guantanamo, built in the 19th century declared in 2000 by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site, among them: La Isabelica, Fraternidad, Santa Paulina, San Luis de Jacas , San Juan de Scotland , Gran Sofía , among many others.

### MUSEUM OF THE SPANISH-CUBAN-AMERICAN WAR

It was inaugurated in 1998, in honor of the 100th anniversary of the end of the Spanish-Cuban-American war. It contains documents, photos, guns, rifles, objects rescued from sunken Spanish ships.

**Address:** Baconao Road  
**Telephone:** (+53 22)399119

### GRANJITA SIBONEY MUSEUM

Small house converted into a general camp for young revolutionaries, led by Fidel Castro, who raided the Moncada Barracks in 1953.

**Address:** Siboney Road, km 13 ½.  
**Telephone:** (+53 22) 399168

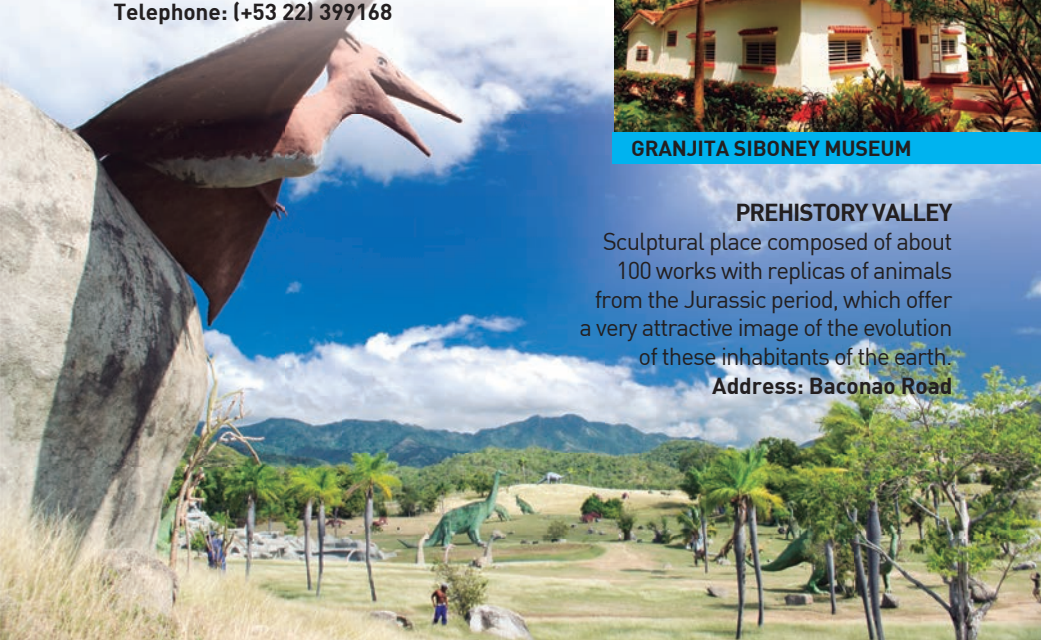


**GRANJITA SIBONEY MUSEUM**

### PREHISTORY VALLEY

Sculptural place composed of about 100 works with replicas of animals from the Jurassic period, which offer a very attractive image of the evolution of these inhabitants of the earth.

**Address:** Baconao Road





## NACIONAL TRANSPORTATION MUSEUM

Where are exposed old cars like the famous Cuban vedette Rosita Fornes, singer Benny Moré, used in the assault on the Moncada Barracks , as well as a collection of more than 200 miniatures.

**Address: Baconao Road**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)399197**

## CASA DEL PEDRO EL COJO

A typical house of Cuban fields where the parties known as guateques were celebrated as a family. At present it is a very popular restaurant where roast sucker is the main course.

**Address: Baconao Road**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)356210**

## THE AQUARIUM

Place where the people in Santiago and those who visit the city, realize the dream of coexistence and bathroom with dolphins.

**Address: Baconao Road**  
**Telephone: (+53 22)356264**

## LAGUNA BACONAO

It is one of the most visited tourist destinations by national and foreign hikers. Here you can visit the reproduction of a settlement of the Taínos tribe, and enjoy a restaurant specializing in seafood.

## BATH TIME IN THE BEACHES

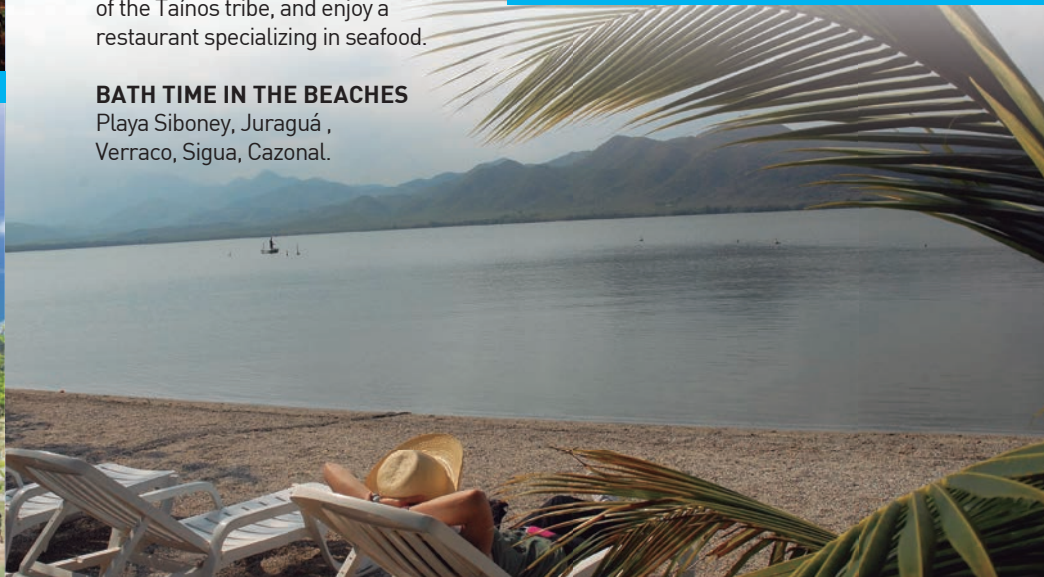
Playa Siboney, Juraguá , Verraco, Sigua, Cazonal.



NACIONAL TRANSPORTATION MUSEUM



THE AQUARIUM





**GUAMÁ**



**SUBMERGED SHIPWRECKS**



**HOTELES SIERRA MAR -LOS GALEONES**

The Guamá municipality is about 175 km long, which makes it the longest municipality in Cuba located to the southwest of the Santiago de Cuba province. It has the highest elevation Cuba has, the Turquino Royal Peak with 1974 m, followed by Pico Cuba 1872 m, Pico Sweden 1734 m, Pico Martí 1722 m and Pico Maceo 1720 m. The Guatemalan coast stands out because in many places the mountains of the Sierra Maestra fall directly into the sea, forming landscapes of extraordinary beauty.

# Guamá

## PLACES TO VISIT

### BEAUTIFUL BEACHES

(Mar Verde, Buey Cabón, Aserradero, Caletón Blanco, Francés, Playa Blanca).

### SUBMERGED SHIPWRECKS

Belonging to the fleet of the Spanish admiral Pascual Cervera. This navy intervened in the naval battle with which the Spanish-Cuban-American war ended, declared by the National Heritage Council as Underwater Archaeological Park Naval Battle of Santiago de Cuba on July 3, 2015.

### PICO TURQUINO

The highest elevation in Cuba with 1974 m.

### SIERRA MAR - LOS GALEONES HOTELS

**Address:** Road to Chivirico Km 60. Guamá

**Telephone:** (+53 22) 329110

**www.hotelescubanacan.com**

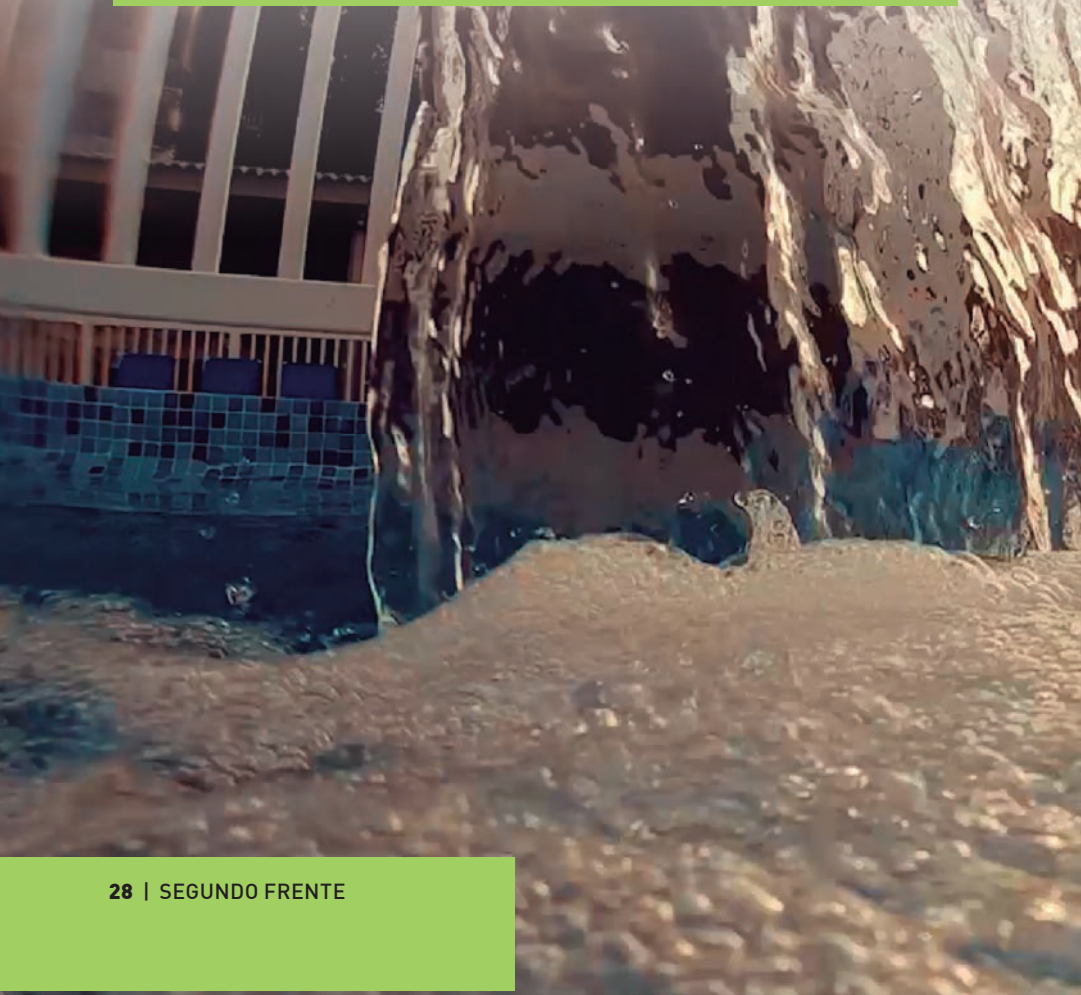
### CAYO DAMAS

Belonging to the Marlin Marina

**Address:** Road to Chivirico. Guamá



II FRENTE FRANK PAÍS



Segundo Frente is located to the north of the province Santiago de Cuba , it limits to the North with Mayarí and Sagua de Tánamo , of the province of Holguín , to the East with El Salvador of the province Guantánamo, to the South with Songo - La Maya , and to the West with San Luis and Mayarí.

## Segundo Frente

### PLACES TO VISIT

#### II FRENTE FRANK PAÍS

Arose at the place where the Front's command was located composed of: the Central Museum founded on July 25, 1967. Has 11 rooms and an exterior area of the Rebel Air Force, in addition to the Mausoleum to the Heroes and Martyrs of the II Frente Frank País, inaugurated by our Commander in Chief on March 11, 1978, where the remains of guerrilla fighters who fell during and after the war, as well as the ashes of the heroine Vilma Espín Guillois and the famous Spanish dancer and choreographer, Antonio Gades.

**Address: Avenue de los Mártires del II Frente Oriental**

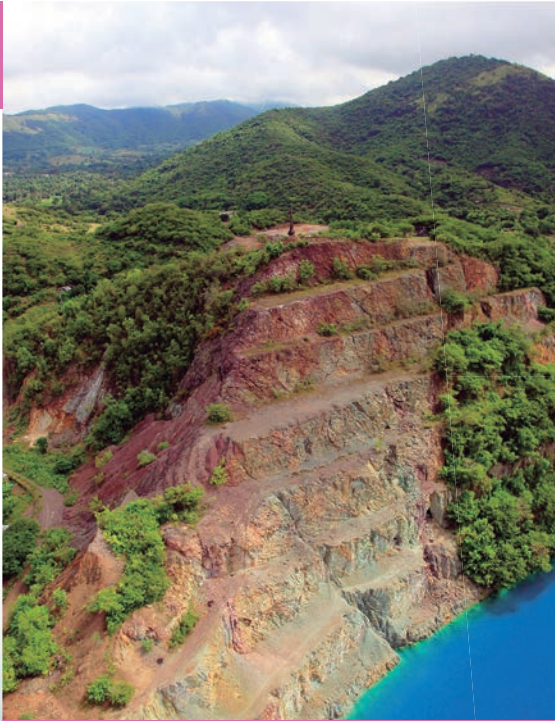
**Telephone: (+53 22)425558**

#### II FRENTE HOTEL

Belonging to the Cubanacán Group is characterized by transparent waters separated by crystals under the feet of the clients, the disposition of the cabins connected to each other that recreate those of the rural communities of the area and the possibility that from any property site customers can enjoy the green landscapes of the mountains of the Sierra Cristal.

**Address: Segundo Frente**

**Telephone: (+53 22) 426190**



CIMARRÓN MONUMENT



LAGUNA AZUL



# Cobre

Located at more than 18 kilometers from the city, owes its name to the first copper mine open exploited in the seventeenth century in America. In its center is the Sanctuary of the Virgin of Charity, which had the privilege of receiving the visit in 1998 of Pope John Paul II; in 2012 of Pope Benedict XVI and Pope Francis in 2015. Every day he receives hundreds of national and foreign visitors, attracted by his religious, cultural, historical and heritage values. Declared as National Monument, in March 2012, of the Cultural Landscape of El Cobre and sites of the Camino de la Virgen.

## PLACES TO VISIT

### CIMARRÓN MONUMENT

Located on top of a hill tribute to the slave resistance, inaugurated during the XVII Festival of the Caribbean Culture and is part of the UNESCO Slave Route project.

### LAGUNA AZUL

As a result of the continuous explosions to find the copper , a huge crater emerged where today a lake appears , it is said that it is the copper salts found in the depths, responsible for coloring the water in this way .

### STEEL BAND

Group that with the use of steel drums achieves sounds like an orchestra, replacing voices and instruments, with a wide repertoire of danzones, boleros, merengues and ballads . This town is also the Voces del Milagro Choir, creditor in 2012 of the Cubadisco prize .

### EL PEREGRINO AND EL COBRE HOTELS

Welcome national and international clients daily .

**Address:** El Cobre

**Telephone:** (+53 22)346766/346768



**STEEL BAND**





SAN PEDRO DE LA ROCA CASTLE





# The Litoral of the Santiago Bay

## **SAN PEDRO DE LA ROCA CASTLE**

Declared World Heritage in 1997 by UNESCO, the most complete and best preserved example of the Renaissance military engineering in the Caribbean. Recreate the different historical periods of which it has witnessed as the system of Hispanic fortifications in the Caribbean, the different construction techniques employed, the constructive evolution of the fortress, the history of Piracy in the region, the Naval Battle of Santiago de Cuba During the Hispanic-Cuban-American War, its current image is the result of a constructive process initiated in 1638 during the government of Don Pedro de la Roca, to whom he owes his name .

**Address: Carretera al Morro**

**Telephone: (+53 22)691569**

## **PLACES TO VISIT**

### **ANTONIO MACEO Y GRAJALES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

It is located about 7 km from the city of Santiago de Cuba.

**Address: Avenue to Antonio Maceo Grajales International Airport.**

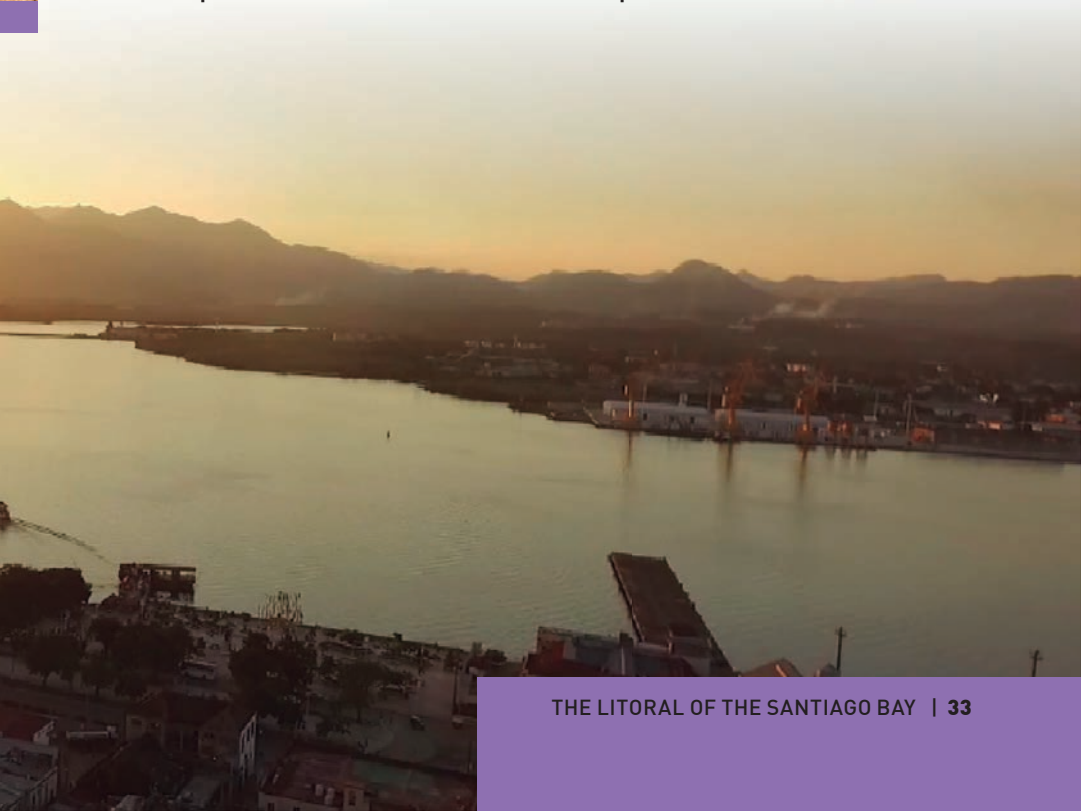
**Telephone: (+53 22)691053**

### **BALCON DEL CARIBE HOTEL**

Located at the entrance of Santiago Bay a few meters from the San Pedro de la Roca Castle appropriate for culture tourism, the tourism city and honeymoons, offers the possibility of enjoy the Caribbean Sea and a beautiful sunset.

**Address: Carretera del Morro**

**Telephone: (+53 22)691506**



### SAN PEDRO DEL MAR CABARET

Belonging to the Palmares Extrahófono Branch, it distinguishes its shows with Caribbean flavor; that revolve around Santiago customs with sounds, proclamations and some recreations with touches of San Lázaro, Yemayá and Ochún.

**Address:** Carretera del Morro

**Telephone:** (+53 22)694037

### CAYO GRANMA

It is reached by sea, and is characterized by being a small fishing village that has a school, a church, a post office, a medical room, a cellar and a house of culture can be traveled in little more of an hour.

### MARINA MARLÍN

It offers a safe harbor for boats, yachts and megayachts. It has a submerged historical heritage of great value, the fleet of Admiral Cervera, sunk in the naval battle between Spain and the United States.

**Address:** Punta Gorda cast

**Telephone:** (+53 22) 691446/  
695556/ 695342/ 695588

**Email:** mercadof@marlin.scu.tur.cu

**Website:** www.nauticamarlin.com

### PUNTA GORDA HOTEL

This 3-star hotel located next to the Marlin Marina offers accommodation with a restaurant, free private parking, a fitness center and a bar.

**Address:** Punta Gorda neighborhood

**Telephone:** (+53 22)691704





MARINA MARLÍN



PUNTA GORDA HOTEL

## MAR PARAÍSO HOTEL

Belonging to the Cubanacán Hotel chain, it is part of the San Basilio Hotel complex, Versalles Hotel and Punta Gorda Hotel.

**Address: Punta Gorda neighborhood**

**Telephone: (+53 22)691704**

## FRANK PAÍS PARK

Site chosen to remember the hero for being the place that motivated him to think, meditate and plan the future of the homeland, facing the sea, his city, the sun and the mountains of the Sierra Maestra. Partner initiative Vilma Espín Guillois.



## Other Sites of Interest and Services



### WHERE TO EAT

#### EL MORRO RESTAURANT

**Address :** Carretera del Morro

**Telephone:** (+53 22)69 1576

Service hours : 12:00 AM to 5:00 PM, prior reservation dinner service is provided.

Specialty: Creole food.

Specialty of the House: Ropa vieja a la jardinera.

#### EL CAYO RESTAURANT

**Address :** Cayo Granma

**Telephone:** (+53 22)69 7109, 652755 ext. 215, 651603

Service hours: 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Prior reservation dinner service is provided.

Specialty: Fish and Seafood.

Specialty of the House: Filet al Cayo (Fish fillet with shrimp and cheese).

#### EL BARRACÓN RESTAURANT

**Address:** Garzón Avenue

e\ 1st and Aponte.

**Telephone:** (+53 22)66 1877

Service hours: 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM.

Specialty: Afro-Cuban food.

Specialty of the House: El caldero

#### BODEGUITA DEL MEDIO

**Address :** Enramadas street

e\ Santo Tomás and Corona.

**Telephone:** (+53 22)652755

ext . 215, 651603

Service hours: 11:30

AM to 12:00 PM.

E Specialty: Creole food.

Specialty: Roasted Pork a la santiaguera.

#### DON ANTONIO RESTAURANT

**Address :** Aguilera S / N, e\

Calvario y Reloj, Dolores Square

**Telephone:** (+53 22)65 2205 - 65 1603

Service hours: 12:00 M to 12:00 AM.

Specialty: International Food.

Specialty of the House:

Chicken Rice a la Chorrera.

#### “PAVO REAL” RESTAURANT

**Address:** National Highway,

Km 1½, Santiago de Cuba.

**Telephone:** (+53 22) 64

2579, 64 6573, 68 7087

Service hours: 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM

Specialty: International

and Creole Food.

### ZUNZUN RESTAURANT

**Address:** Manduley Avenue No. 159. Vista Alegre neighborhood.

**Telephone:** (+53 22)641528

Service hours: 12:00

pm to 10:00 pm

Specialty: International Food

Specialty of the house:

Wrapping shrimp

### MATAMOROS RESTAURANT

**Address:** Calvario Street and Aguilera, City Center.

**Telephone:** (+53 22)68 6459

Service hours: 11:00

AM to 11:00 PM

Specialty: Creole food.

### COFFEE PALMARES

**Address:** M street e/ 6 and Las Américas Ave. Sueño Neighborhood

**Telephone:** (+53 22)647555

Service Hours: 7:00 am to 2:00 am

Specialty of the house:

Wrapping shrimp

## CAFETERÍAS

### LAS COLUMNITAS

**Address:** San Félix street and Streetjón del Carmen

**Telephone:** (+53 22)686028

Service Hours: 8:00 am to 11:00 pm

Specialty of the house:

Sandwich Yoya

### CONSTANTIN COFFEE

**Address:** Aguilera s / n e/ Reloj and Calvario. Dolores Square

### LA REAL TERESSINA

**Address:** Aguilera s / n e/ Reloj and Calvario. Dolores Square

**Telephone** (+53 22)686484

Hours: 10:00 am to 10:00 pm

Specialty: Pizzas and Spaghetti.

### LAS ENRAMADAS

**Address:** Aguilera s / n e/ Reloj and Calvario. Dolores Square

**Telephone** (+53 22)622509

### DINOS PIZZA

**Address:** Ave. Garzón and 6th street

**Telephone:** (+53 22)714125

## COMPAY TIAGO

### FRATERNIDAD

- **Chocolateria Fraternidad**

Plaza de Marte

Telephone (+53 22)669307

- **La Escala de Milano Pizzeria**

Plaza de Marte

- **Mama Inés Cafeteria**

Plaza de Marte

- **El Gustazo Cafeteria**

Parque de Diversiones

- **Los Sauces Cafeteria**

Crombet Avenue

- **Barnada Cafeteria**

Barnada Street

- **Cafeteria at the Airport**

Antonio Maceo

- **Cafeteria at the Health Center**

Céspedes Avenue # 459

- **Casa de las Confitura Cafeteria**

Enramadas Streets / n

### PLAZA DE ARMAS

- **Plaza de Armas Cafeteria**

Aguilera and San Pedro.

Telephone. (+53 22)658067

- **Arte Soy Cafeteria**

26 de Julio street e/ Moncada Ave and

Libertadores Ave Telephone (+53 22)661146

- **Maqueta de la Ciudad Cafeteria**

Corona e/ and San Basilio and Santa

Lucia Telephone. (+53 22)652095

- **Velázquez Balcony Cafeteria**

Corona e/ San Basilio and Heredia

- **Dranguet Cafeteria**

Heredia e/ Santo Tomas and Corona

- **Cafeteria los Columpios**

Los Cangrejitos technological center

- **Bar El Traguito**

Carniceria e / San Basilio and Santa Lucia Telephone. (+53 22)651475

- **Brisas del Mar Restaurant**

(Patana) Espigón Santiago

- **Plaza de Armas Pizzeria**

Aguilera and San Pedro.

Telephone. (+53 22)622229

- **Arte Soy II Cafeteria**

Guillermón Moncada Area

## NIGHTCLUBS

### **PUNTO G BAR:**

**Address :** Céspedes Avenue and G street, Sueño neighborhood.

**Telephone: (+53 22)663120.**

Service hours: 3:00 PM to 3:00 AM.

Specialty: Bar with entertainment.

### **TABERNA POP:**

**Address :** Las Américas Avenue and C Street

**Telephone: (+53 22) 647008.**

Service hours : 11:00 AM to 1:00 AM.

Specialty : Grilled food.

### **DAIQUIRÍ BAR**

**Address: San Basilio e / San Félix and Carnicería street**

Service hours : 11:00 AM to 1:00 AM.

### **PUERTO DEL REY BEER FACTORY:**

**Address: Avenue Jesús Menéndez e/ Aduana y Ayuntamiento.**

**Telephone: 22686048**

Service hours: 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM

Specialty: Creole Food

### **SAN PEDRO DEL MAR CABARET**

**Address: Carretera del Morro.**

**Telephone: (+53 22)69 2373 - 69 4037**

Hours: 7:00 PM to 3:00 AM, Days:

Tuesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Specialty: International Food.

Specialty of the House: San

Pedro La Roca Paella.

### **TROPICANA SANTIAGO CABARET**

**Address: National Highway Km 1 1/2**

**Telephone: (+53 22)687020**

Hours: 7:00 pm to 3:00 am

### **CLUB 300**

**Address : Aguilera e\ San**

**Pedro and San Félix street.**

**Telephone: (+53 22)653532.**

Service hours: 3.00 PM to 3.00 AM.

Capacity: 60 Places

Specialty: Bar with entertainment.

### **SANTIAGO CLUB**

**Address : Manduley Avenue e\ 13th and 17th street.**

**Telephone: (+53 22)646481**

Service hours : 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM

Capacity: 1000 places

Multiservice center that has

several restaurants specialized in:

Creole, Italian and Japanese food.

Ice Cream and Coffee Varieties.

Disco, bar, pool, gym and billar.

### **SINDO GARAY**

**Address: Callejón del Carmen e\ San Félix and San Pedro street.**

Telephone: (+53 22)651531

Service hours : 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM.

Specialty: Bar with entertainment.

National and international cocktails.

### **PATIO DEL BOLERO**

**Address : Aguilera S / N, e\ Calvario and Reloj, Dolores Square.**

**Telephone: (+53 22)65 2205 - 65 1603**

Service hours : 12:00 M to 12:00 AM.

### **TRICONTINENTAL CABARET.**

**LAS AMERICAS HOTEL**

**Address : Avenue de Las Américas**

**Telephone: (+53 22)642020**

Service hours: Tuesday to

Sunday 9.30 PM - 2.00 AM

**SANTIAGO CAFÉ. MELIÁ  
SANTIAGO HOTEL**

**Address :**

**Las Américas Avenue**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)647777**

**Service hours:**

**10.00pm - 3.00am**

**MATAMOROS KARAOKE**

**Address :** Calvario

**e\ Enramadas and**

**Aguilera street**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)686459**

**Service hours: Tuesday**

**to Sunday 4pm to 12am**

**SALÓN ROJO.**

**VERSALLES HOTEL**

**Address :** Versalles

**Neighborhood**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)691016**

**Service hours: Every**

**day from 8pm to 2am**

**EL MARQUES BAR**

**Address :** Aguilera e\

**Calvario and Reloj street**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)652205**

**LA MAISON .**

**FASHION HOUSE**

**Address :** Manduley

**Avenue. Vista Alegre**

**neighborhood.**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)643265**

**CAFESÓN DE LA LOMA**

**Address: Calvario**

**e\ Enramadas and**

**Aguilera street.**

**Telephone:**

**(+53 22)686459**

**Service hours: Tuesday**

**to Sunday 4pm to 12am**



**CABARET TROPICANA SANTIAGO**



**NIAGARA CAFE. HEREDIA THEATER**

**Address :** Las Américas Avenue

**Telephone: (+53 22)643178**

**Service hours: 9:00 pm**

## TRAVEL AGENCY

### CUBATUR



#### CENTRAL OFFICE

(+53 22) 714182 / 714183

Address: Victoriano Garzón Avenue, 3rd and 4th Santa Barbara street.

#### MELIÁ SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTEL BUREAU

(+53 22) 646860

#### LAS AMERICAS HOTEL BUREAU

(+53 22) 641554

#### CÉSPEDES PARK BUREAU

(+53 22) 686033 / 687096

Address: San Pedro 701 and Heredia

### HAVANATUR



#### CENTRAL OFFICE

Address: B street s/n e/ M and 4th street Terrazas Neighborhood.

Telephone: (+53 22) 647904/ 647911/ 641237

#### BUSINESS CENTER BUREAU

Address: 4th and 7th street. Vista Alegre Neighborhood.

Telephone: (+53 22) 643603

#### ANTONIO MACEO GRAJALES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT OFFICE

Telephone: (+53 22) 691773

#### MELIÁ SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTEL BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 644402

### SAN PEDRO AND ENRAMADAS OFFICE

San Pedro and Enramadas

Telephone: (+53 22) 687230

### CUBAMAR

Jagüey No. 163 e / Padre

Pico and Corona street.

Telephone: (+53 22) 657325/

657302/ 653639

### ECOTUR

San Pedro and Heredia street.

Telephone: (+53 22) 687279

### CUBANACAN TRAVEL AGENCY



Telephone: (+53 22) 642202

Email: director@avc.scu.tur.cu.

<http://www.viajescubanacan.cu>

#### LAS AMÉRICAS HOTEL BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 646869

Las Américas Avenue e/

4th and Caney Road

#### MELIÁ SANTIAGO HOTEL BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 641606

Las Américas Avenue and M street

#### SAN FELIX HOTEL BUREAU

Enramadas e/ San Félix

and San Pedro street.

#### PLAZA DE MARTE SHOP BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 651262

Address: Victoriano Garzón Avenue e/ Perez Carbó and Pizarro street

#### LA CALIFORNIA SHOP BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 626461

Address: Enramadas street e/ Carnicería and Calvario street.

#### ANTONIO MACEO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT BUREAU

Telephone: (+53 22) 691773



## GAVIOTATOUR



Address: Manduley Avenue e/ 19th and 21th ,Vista Alegre neighborhood.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 647949

## PLAZA DE MARTE SHOP BUREAU

Victoriano Garzón Avenue e/ Perez Carbó and Pizarro street.

## SIGLO XX SHOP BUREAU

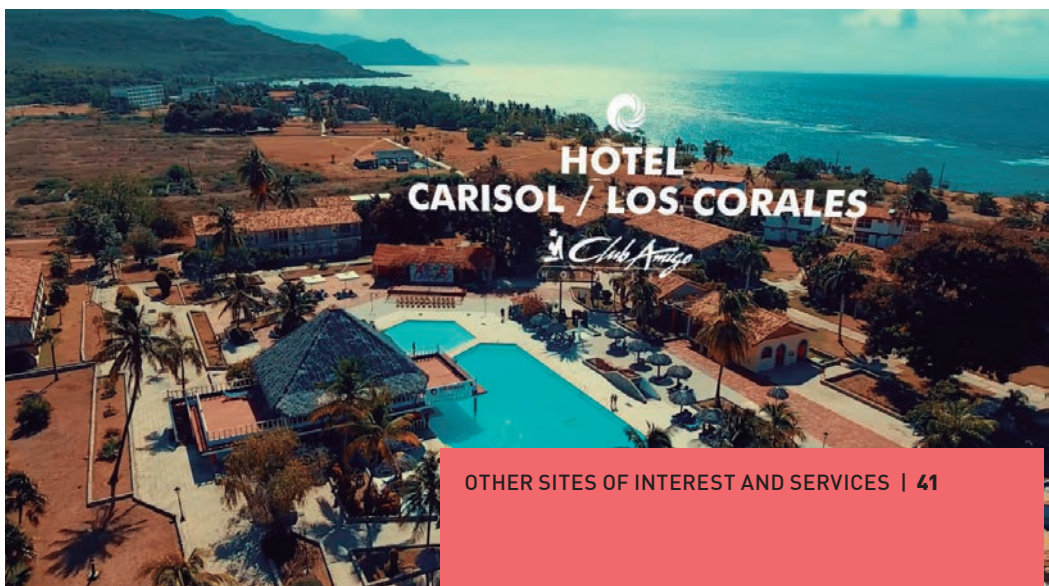
Enramadas Street e/ San Pedro and Santo Tomás street.

## MARINA MARLIN

At the Marina Marlin located in Santiago Bay are provided mooring services, fuel, water, shipchandler, repairs, car rental, restaurants, taxi services, electricity, restrooms and garbage collection, medical services, shops, Telephonephone diving, fishing and also excursions.

## MARINA SANTIAGO DE CUBA

Telephone: (+53 22) 691446/  
695556/ 695342/ 695588  
Email: mercado@marlin.scu.tur.cu  
Website: www.nauticamarlin.com



## TRANSPORTATION

### BY LAND

#### RENT CAR TRANSTUR

##### CÉSPEDES PARK

Santo Tomás e/ Aguilera and Enramadas street.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686107

##### SAN JUAN HOTELEPHONE

Siboney Road Km 1½, Vista Alegre, Santiago de Cuba  
Telephone: (+53 22) 647282

##### LAS AMÉRICAS HOTELEPHONE

M street and Las Américas Avenue, Vista Alegre neighborhood.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 647266

##### CASA GRANDA HOTELEPHONE

San Pedro # 701 and Heredia  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686107

##### MELIÁ SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTELEPHONE

Las Américas Avenue and M street.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 647272

##### CARISOL - CORALES HOTELEPHONE

Baconao Highway Km 31, Santiago de Cuba.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 356169

##### SIERRA MAR - LOS GALEONES HOTELEPHONE

Road to Chivirico Km 60, Guamá  
Telephone: (+53 22) 329110 - 15

##### LIBERTAD HOTEL

Libertad Hotel, Aguilera No.658, Plaza de Marte, Santiago de Cuba  
Telephone: (+53 22) 629194

##### AIRPORT

Antonio Maceo International Airport .Ciudamar road Km 2½ .  
Telephone (+53 22) 695574

#### MOTORCYCLE RENTAL

##### DOLORES PARK

Telephone: (+53 22) 686485

##### MELIA SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTEL

Telephone: (+53 22) 644181

#### RENT CAR TRANSGAVIOTA

##### CENTRAL OFFICE. CUBALSE SHOP

Vista Alegre neighborhood Céspedes Park  
Telephone: (+53 22) 624646

##### MELIÁ SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTEL

Telephone: (+53 22) 687141

##### AIRPORT

Telephone: (+53 22) 697018

#### RENT CAR REX

##### MELIÁ SANTIAGO DE CUBA HOTEL

Telephone: (+53 22) 647333

##### AEROPUERTO

Telephone: (+53 22) 695414

#### VIAZUL

Jesús Menéndez Avenue and Martí  
Telephone: (+53 22) 628484

#### CUBANACAN TRAVEL AGENCY

Buses Conectando Cuba in all the buroes.

#### CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION

Ave. Jesús and Paseo Martí  
Telephone: (+53 22) 622836

##### AGUILERA TRAIN

##### RESERVATIONS OFFICE

Aguilera e/ San Agustín and Barnada  
Telephone: (+53 22) 652143



## BY AIR

**ANTONIO MACEO  
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**  
Airport road Km 11 / 2 Information  
Telephone: (+53 22) 691053 - 698612

**CUBANA DE AVIACION**  
Commercial office  
Enramadas and San Pedro street  
Telephone: (+53 22) 651577-79

**AIRPORT OFFICE**  
Telephone (+53 22) 691214 - 698613

**AERO GAVIOTA**  
Street 17 no 53 Vista Alegre  
Telephone (+53 22) 641243

**AIRPORT OFFICE**  
(+53 22) 698699

**TAKE OFF**  
Airport road km 1 ½  
Telephone (+53 22) 698791

## BY SEA

**CRUISE TERMINAL**  
Ave. Jesús Menéndez  
Telephone (+53 22) 651763

**SANTIAGO DE CUBA  
INTERNATIONAL MARINA**  
1st street Punta Gorda  
Telephone (+53 22) 695556  
Location: 20 degrees 58N,  
75 degrees 52.3W.  
Radio communication: VHF 16 and 19

## GAS STATIONS

**LA BUJÍA**  
Carretera Central and Céspedes Ave.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 662863

**SAN RAFAEL**  
Paseo Martí and San Rafael  
Telephone: (+53 22) 628840

**TROCHA AND CARRETERA DEL MORRO**  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686091

**ORIENTE**  
Carretera del Morro and A Street  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686049

**LA CUBANA**  
Carretera centra Y Camino de la Ceiba  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686263

**LA PUNTA**  
Baconao road km 8 ½  
Telephone: (+53 22) 399318

**CONTRAMAESTRE**  
Telephone: (+53 22) 586132

**PALMA SORIANO**  
Telephone: (+53 22) 501950

**GUAMÁ CHIVIRICO**  
Telephone: (+53 22) 326156



# Events in Santiago de Cuba

## **JOEL JAMES IN MEMORIAM INTERNATIONAL COLLOQUIUM**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: January.  
Location: Casa del Caribe.

## **XIII SOCIAL COMMUNICATION INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: January.  
Location: Heredia Theater.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

## **UNIVERSITY SOCIAL FORUM:**

Nature: National with  
foreign participation.  
Character: Annual  
Date: March.  
Location: Oriente University.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

## **NEURO SANTIAGO:**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: March.  
Location: San Juan HoTel.  
Receptive: Gaviotatur .

## **SANTIAGO ÁLVAREZ IN MEMORIAM INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL:**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: March.  
Location: Rialto Cinema,  
Santiago de Cuba.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

## **HIPNOSANTIAGO (VIII THERAPEUTIC HYPNOSIS AND RELATED TECHNIQUES EXPOSITION)**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: March.  
Location: Heredia Theater.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

## **I COMPUTER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATIONIST CONGRESS:**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: March.  
Location: HoTel  
Melía Santiago.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

## **FRANCOPHONIE WEEK :**

Nature: National with  
foreign participation.  
Character: Annual  
Date: March.  
Location: French Alliance  
of Santiago de Cuba.

## **TROVA FESTIVAL "PEPE SÁNCHEZ"**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: March.  
Location: Dolores Concert  
Hall, Casa de la Trova,  
Heredia Theater.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

## **ICTUS CARIBBEAN CONGRESS:**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: April.  
Location: General Juan Bruno  
Zayas Alonzo Hospital .

**V APPLIED ELECTROMAGNETISM CONFERENCE:**

Nature: National with foreign participation.  
Character: Annual  
Date: April.  
Location: Applied Electromagnetism National Center (CNEA).

**INTERNATIONAL TERRACOTTA REUNION:**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: May.  
Location: "Luis Díaz Oduardo" Cultural Exposition

**VI INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTEGRATED MANAGEMENT OF COASTAL AREAS.**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: May.  
Location: Meliá Santiago HoTel.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

**MASTER AND SOCIETY EXPOSITION AND III COLLOQUIUM OF ADULT EDUCATION:**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: May.  
Location: Provincial-Receptive University of Pedagogical Sciences: Cubatur.

**VIII CITY IMAGE AND MEMORY INTERNATIONAL REUNION:**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: May.  
Location: Meliá Santiago HoTel.  
Receptive: Cubanacán.

**AGROSOS (SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE EVENT):**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: June  
Location: Oriente University.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

**X NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM AND II INTERNATIONAL OF MASCULINITY AND HIV:**

Nature: National with foreign participation.  
Character: Annual  
Date: June.  
Location: Heredia Theater.

**VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM IN THE CARIBBEAN:**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: July.  
Location: Meliá Santiago HoTel.  
Receptive: Havanatur .

**FIESTA DEL FUEGO. CARIBBEAN FESTIVAL:**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: July.  
Location: Cultural Institutions.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

**ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION CARIBBEAN CONGRESS:**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: July.  
Location: "Juan Bruno Zayas Hospital".  
Receptive: Havanatur .

**PSYCHOLOGY INTERNATIONAL 'S CONGRESS.**

Biennial in Santiago de Cuba.  
International exposition of Latin American and

Caribbean Psychology.  
Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: July.  
Location: HoTel Meliá Santiago.  
Receptive: Cubatur.

**CARNIVALS**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: July.  
Location: Cultural Institutions.

**BIENNAL OF ORALITY.**

Nature: International  
Character: Biennial.  
Date: September.  
Location: UNEAC, Macubá and Cabildo.

**DANCE IN SANTIAGO.**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: September.  
Location: Santiago de Cuba.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

**MATAMOROS SON FESTIVAL**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: September.  
Location: Heredia Theater.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

**CUBA-MEXICO BILATERAL MEETING ON EDUCATION.**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: October.  
Location: Provincial University of Pedagogical Sciences.  
Receptive: Cubatur.

**CHOIR FESTIVAL OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA.**

Nature: International  
Character: Annual  
Date: November.  
Location: Dolores City Hall.  
Receptive: Paradiso .

# Useful Information

## TIPS FOR YOUR TRIP TO SANTIAGO

Santiago de Cuba is known as the Tierra Caliente, place of steep streets and amazing landscapes, always accompanied by intense heat so:

### YOU MUST INCLUDE IN YOUR LUGGAGE:

- A light wardrobe, because in Santiago it is always summer. Light clothes and natural fiber fabrics, hats, dark glasses and a fan. If you forget them, you will find several stores to buy them.
- Accessories such as sunscreen and repellent for your excursions to the mountains and the coast. If you have indicated any specific medication or health treatment, you should take it with you during the trip.

### YOU SHOULD ALSO REMEMBER:

- Although you can drink the tap water, it is recommended to buy bottled water.
- Some establishments accept credit cards, but the ideal is always to carry cash to make any payment.
- If you want to buy traditional products such as rum, coffee, tobacco and music, choose specialized stores or establishments or authorized for sale. That is the only way for you to be sure of acquiring authentic quality merchandise. Never make such purchases on the street or to unknown subjects.
- Make the exchange of currencies only in the Exchange Houses (Cadecas), distributed in all the cities or towns, as well as in the Banks destined for such purposes.
- For any symptoms of intoxication or discomfort, go immediately to the

health services available to tourists in hoTels and international clinics.

- Most of the services in Cuba do not include the tip. This is accepted if you wish to offer it.
- If you want to travel with your dogs and cats, they must be vaccinated against rabies and present the Official Veterinary Certification, updated from the country of origin.

## TIME ZONES

Standard time: UTC / GMT -5 hours. Cuba adopts a summer time between the months of March to October with one hour in advance.

## TYPE OF CURRENT IN CUBA

Note that it is 110/220 and 60 Hz in frequency. Generally, the plugs are from flat plugs, therefore you may need an adapter for certain electrical devices.

## MEASUREMENT UNITS

The international system of measures governs.



## CUSTOMS REGULATIONS

Every passenger or family manager entering Cuba must complete the Customs Declaration, providing the information requested therein.

### AT THE ENTRANCE

All passengers have the right to import their personal effects, exempt from the payment of customs duties. You can also import items up to the limit in value of 1 000 pesos, of which the first 50 pesos are exempt from payment and for the rest of 51 to 1 000 pesos, you must pay customs duties, for which Ad Progressive Fees apply - valorem . established (from 51.00 to 500.99 pesos DE100% and 501.00 to 1 000.00 pesos EL200%) in our country is prohibited to import items from Global positioning system (GPS)

### AT THE EXIT

Every passenger has the right to export:

- Articles and objects temporarily imported, accrediting those that upon receipt of a document were delivered by Customs.
- Medications: Up to three units of the same medication, except those destined for the continuity of treatments, in accordance with their duration, accompanied by the Certification of the corresponding Health Center or Official Invoice in the case of non-resident passengers.
- Twisted tobacco:
  - a) Up to twenty (20) units of loose crooked tobacco, without the need to submit an invoice.
  - b) Up to fifty (50) units of crooked tobacco, in original containers, sealed, sealed and with the official hologram established.
  - c) Quantities greater than fifty (50) units, with the official sales invoice issued by the network of stores authorized to market Cuban Twisted Tobaccos.

- Fresh paintings and books with more than 50 years, provided they have the document of Export Authorization of the National Registry of Cultural Property.

Note: If you acquire fresh paintings and sculptures at the points of sale where they are offered, you must ensure that they have the Seal that authorizes their Exportation or requests the corresponding Permit. Export of liquids, aerosols and gels ( lags ): You can only carry in your hand luggage, one container of each type, provided that they do not exceed 100 ml (3.4oz.). Quantities greater than these must be transported in checked luggage or of cellar. For more information see our website: [www.aduana.gob.cu](http://www.aduana.gob.cu).



## COMMUNICATION

### TO CALL CUBA FROM ABROAD:

- To a landline: International exit code + Cuba Code (53) + Location code + Desired Telephone number.
- To a mobile phone: International exit code + Cuba Code (53) + Desired mobile number.

### TO CALL FROM CUBA ABROAD:

- From one mobile phone to another: International exit code (119) + Country code + City code + Desired number.
- From a mobile to a fixed one: International exit code (119) + Country code + Desired number.

### YOU MUST KNOW THAT:

- All mobile phones in Cuba start with the number 5.
- Calls from abroad to mobiles in Cuba are free of charge for the recipient.
- Calls from a landline to a mobile phone, within Cuba, are charged to the mobile balance.

### MOBILE TELEPHONY

It is operated by the Telecommunications Agency of Cuba SA (Etecsa), which is available in 900Mhz throughout the national territory in GSM 3G and 4G.

Upon arrival in the country you can hire the services of Cubacel to buy a phone if you do not have your own and rent the line for which you must make an initial deposit of 10.00 CUC and 3.00 CUC daily for the duration of the activation.

To enjoy the 3G Network in Cuba, the client must be in an area under 3G coverage and the terminal of his cell phone must be compatible with the WCDMA standard at the frequency of 900 MHz.

la red 4G podrán acceder, si poseen un equipo terminal que soporte LTE en la frecuencia 1800 MHz y tengan una tarjeta USIM que podrán adquirir, de no poseerla, en las Oficinas Comerciales por un valor de 3 CUC.

### ETECSA COMMERCIAL NETWORK TOP-UPS:

Multiservice Telecommunications Centers:

They operate from Monday to Sunday, for 12 hours, with services of sale and recharge of prepaid cards, sale of equipment and accessories, commercialization of mobile services, national and international calls from public Telephones, Internet access , among others. Minipoints: Distributed by all cities, they offer basic services such as the sale and recharge of prepaid cards. For more information on Cubacel activities you can call the number 118 free of charge. Or check their website. [www.etecsa.cu](http://www.etecsa.cu)

Internet access and Nauta: This service is offered through the Nauta access accounts in the navigation rooms and in the wireless connection spaces ( WiFi ), enabled in different public places throughout the country (prior contracting through cards prepaid). Internet services are mostly found in Telephones, tourist facilities, parks in major cities.

### USEFUL PHONES IN CUBA

- Ambulances: 104
- Anti-drugs: 103
- National Revolutionary Police (PNR) / Emergencies: 106
- Firefighters: 105
- Rescue and Rescue Center: 107
- PNR / Request for information: 18 806





## COMMUNICATIONS

### ETECSA

#### TELEPUNTO CALLEJÓN DEL CARMEN

San Félix and Callejón del Carmen  
Telephone: (+53 22) 657521

#### CATHEDRAL MULTISERVICE CENTER

Heredia and Santo Tomás  
Telephone: (+53 22) 624706/  
654100/ 624784/ 624704

### CUBACEL

6th street No. 203 e/ 7th and 9th  
Vista Alegre neighborhood  
Telephone: (+53 22) 687179/ 647071

## HEALTH SERVICES

### ASISTUR

Vista Alegre Business Center.  
Address: 4th e/ 7th and 9th.  
Vista Alegre neighborhood.  
Telephone (+53 22) 667259

Asistur offers services of:

#### MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

- Coordinations of outpatient medical examinations in hospitals and homes.
- Patient status monitoring, control of medical expenses.
- Obtaining and sending medical reports.
- Coordination of air and ground ambulances.

### REPATRIATIONS:

- Document procedures with local institutions and foreign consulates.
- Reservation of space in the airlines.
- Transfer of sick and deceased.
- Internal transfers

## INTERNATIONAL PHARMACIES

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Pujoll Avenue and 10th, Ferreiro.  
Telephone: (53 22) 714022

### MELIÁ HOTEL PHARMACY

M street and Las Américas Avenue.  
Telephone: (53 22) 647777.

### ALAMEDA BUSSINES CENTER PHARMACY

Jesús Menéndez Avenue and Enramadas.  
Telephone: (53 22) 687477.

### ANTONIO MACEO AIRPORT INTERNATIONAL PHARMACY

Carretera de Ciudadamar Km 21/2

### HEALTH CENTER INTERNATIONAL PHARMACY

Garzón Avenue #222 e/ Prudencio Martínez (Pedrera) y Vicente Miniet (Madre Vieja) street  
Telephone: (53) 22731539

### INTERNATIONAL PHARMACY AND CITY MEDICAL OFFICE

San Basilio street s/n and Santo Tomás  
Telephone: (53) 22625113

## MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS

### INTERNATIONAL CLINIC

Pujoll Avenue and 10th street Ferreiro  
Vista Alegre (+53 22) 642589

### INTERNATIONAL CLINIC FOR DRUG REHABILITATION AND ALCOHOLISM

Baconao Road Km 9 ½.  
(53 22) 628893/686213



## BANK SERVICES

### BANKS

#### **BFI (International Financial Bank)**

Las Américas Avenue and I street. Sueño neighborhood (+53 22)646873/ 646876

#### **BANDEC (Credit and Commerce Banks)**

Aguilera No. 202. e/ Santo tomas and Corona Santiago de Cuba. (+5322)623259/620438/ 624439

Aguilera. e/ Calvario and Reloj Santiago de Cuba. (+5322)623736/622662

Gral Lacret and Aguilera. Santiago de Cuba (+5322)627581/624609/686220

José A. Saco, No. 201. Santiago de Cuba. (+5322)623040/ 625053

José A. Saco and P. Valiente. Santiago de Cuba. (+5322)651061/ 651729

Felix Pena, No. 614, Santiago de Cuba. (+53 22)623316

#### **BPA (POPULAR SAVINGS BANK)**

Enramada and Felix Pena No. 552 (+53 22) 620881/623478 /686129/669373

José Martí District Comercial Block B micro 7 (+53 22) 632914/634984/634556

Martí and Barnada No. 2 (+53 22) 65-2928

Micro 9 Comercial Center (+53 22) 615369

Enramada No. 202 and Corona (+53 22) 622145/623440

Banco Agente 12 Plantas. Antonio Maceo neighborhood (+53 22) 681896

Dolores Square Aguilera No. 458 (+53 22) 623284/623287

Flores Sta Ursula. 4th Street. Flores (+53 22) 622486

Garzón and 3rd. Garzón and 3rd Santa Barbara (+53 22) 714168

Combinado de Servicios Building B-1 Micro 4 Plantas (+53 22) 671667

### Houses of change (CADECAS)

**CADECA MELIÁ SANTIAGO HOTEL**  
M Street, Las Americas Avenue (+53 22) 643894

**CADECA ANTONIO MACEO AIRPORT**  
Carretera del Morro Km 3 ½ (+53 22) 691668

**CADECA VISTA ALEGRE BUSINESS CENTER**  
4th Street corner to 7th Street (+53 22) 642670

**CADECA FERREIRO**  
Emplanada Ferreiro, Victoriano Garzón and Núñez de Balboa (+53 22) 714056

**CADECA ENRAMADAS**  
Enramadas, Carnicería y Calvario (+53 22) 669269

**CADECA AGUILERA**

Aguilera, Reloj y Clarín  
(+53 22) 651383

**CADECA JOSÉ MARTÍ DISTRICT**

Block B Shopping Center,  
José Martí District  
(+53 22) 631036

**CADECA ALAMEDA  
BUSINESS CENTER**

Ave Jesús Menéndez  
(Alameda), Enramadas  
(+53 22) 686476

**CADECA CUBALSE**

Caney Road, Street 15  
(+53 22) 646902

**CADECA SEGUNDO FRENTE**

Martí Avenue, Mártires de Barbados y  
Luis Cervantes, Segundo Frente  
(+53 22) 425439

**CADECA LA MAYA**

Quintín Bandera  
Pedro Carbó and Martí  
Songo-La Maya  
(+53 22) 378177

**CADECA TERCER FRENTE**

5th, 1st and 2nd, Tercer Frente  
(+53 22) 566435

**CADECA EL COBRE**

El Cobre Park  
(+53 22) 346202

**CADECA CONTRAMESTRE**

6th avenue, 7 and 9, Contramestre  
(+53 22) 589158

**CADECA MELLA**

La Plaza Mella  
(+53 22) 457102

**CADECA GUAMÁ**

11, E and F, Guamá  
(+53 22) 326295

**CADECA CRUISE TERMINAL**

Ave. Jesús Menéndez (Puerto  
Guillermón Moncada Pier)

**CADECA PALMA SORIANO**

Martí, Donato Marmol and Quintín  
Banderas, Palma Soriano  
(+53 22)503600

**WESTERN UNION****LA VIOLETA**

Santo Tomás e/ Callejón del  
Carmen and San Gerónimo  
Telephone: (+53 22) 686076

**TIENDA PLAZA DE MARTE**

Garzón Avenue No. 4 e/ Marte  
and Pizarro street  
Telephone: (+53 22) 659238

**CATHEDRAL**

San Pedro and Heredia street.  
Telephone: (+53 22) 687130

**4TH AND GARZÓN MARKET**

Garzón and 4th

**TIENDA MUEBLERÍA**

Enramadas e/ Peralejo and  
10 October street.

## SHOPS

### LAS ENRAMADAS

Meliá Santiago  
Hotel. Sueño  
22647169

### CASA DE HABANOS

Meliá Santiago  
Hotel. Sueño  
22647168

### SOUVENIR SANTIAGO

Meliá Santiago Hotel  
Santiago. Sueño  
22667019

### LAS AMÉRICAS

Las Américas Hotel  
22643143

### SAN JUAN

Villa San Juan Hotel  
22642480

### COSTA MORENA

Costa Morena Hotel,  
Baconao Road  
22356129

### LOS CORALES

Los Corales Hotel,  
Baconao Road  
22356111

### CARISOL

Carisol Hotel,  
Baconao Road  
22356110

### VERSALLES

Versalles Hotel  
Rpto. Versalles  
22695746

### CASA GRANDA TOURIST

Casa Granda Hotel  
S. Pedro s/n  
22686417

### EL EBANO

Sierra Mar Hotel  
Carretera Chivirico  
22329105

### BALCÓN DEL CARIBE

Balcón del Caribe Hotel  
Carretera del Morro  
22691108

### GUANTÁNAMO

Guantánamo Hotel  
0121-355513

### PRIMOR

José A. Saco 302 /  
S.Pedro y S. Félix  
22686172

### FOTO CLUB

José A. Saco e/  
S.Félix and S. Pedro  
22686174

### LA GRANADA

José A. Saco 303 e/  
s.Pedro and S. Félix  
22686491

### MUSTIQUE

José A. Saco 305 e/ S.  
Pedro and S. Félix  
22653555

### CUBA CENTRO

S.Tomás 459 e/S.Fco.  
and S.Gerónimo  
22620120

### MATAMOROS

Calvario e/ Aguilera  
and José A. Saco  
22687118

### RON CANEY'S BAR

Peralejo No. 703  
Fbca. Ron Caney  
22625576

### ADIDAS

Heredia e/ S.Pedro  
and S. Tomas  
22623085

### AIRPORT

Antonio Maceo Airport  
22694255

### LA MÁRLIN

1st Street Punta Gorda  
22695431

### EL MORRO

Museo de la  
piratería El Morro  
22690995

### LIBERTAD SHOPPING CENTER

Aguilera and Paraíso  
22623075

### TIENDA IMPERIAL

Imperial Hotel  
22651823



## IMPORTANT TELEPHONES

### LEGAL AFFAIRS

M street and las Américas Avenue  
Telephone: 22642685

### INTERNATIONAL LEGAL CONSULTING

8th street No. 54 e/ 1st and 3rd  
Vista Alegre neighborhood.  
Telephone: 22644546/  
643646/ 644336

### LEGAL AND SPECIALIZED SERVICES OFFICE

3rd Street No. 154 e/ Manduley Avenue  
and 8th Street, Vista Alegre neighborhood  
Telephone: 22643725/ 640715/ 641907

## CURRENCY

In Cuba the official currency is the Cuban peso.

The exchange of other currencies can be done in airports, hotels, banks and in Exchange Houses (CADECA, S.A.)



**Cuban Convertible Pesos circulate with the following face values:**

Billetes de 1, 3, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100 pesos CUC



**The National Currency Pesos circulate with the following face values:**

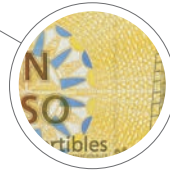
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2. A watermark. Visible against the light with the denomination of the banknote and the effigy of José Martí



3. Security thread visible against the light

**For added security, banknotes carry:**



The Comercializadora de Servicios Médicos Cubanos, SA, represented by the Santiago de Cuba Medical Services Branch, guarantees emergency care 24 hours a day and constitutes a comprehensive offer to provide tourists with medical, welfare, academic, quality and welfare services of life in Cuba and abroad.

#### **TYPES OF CARE:**

- Medical Assistance Services.
- Academic Health Teaching Services.
- Health Services for Well-Being and Quality of Life.
- Border Health Medical Services.
- Medical Services Associated with Opticians, Pharmacies and Natural and Traditional Medicine.
- Scientific Events Services.
- Medical assistance services abroad.

#### **MIRAMAR OPTICS**

Address: Paseo Martí # 561 e/ B and C Street Sueño neighborhood  
Telephone: (53) 22 662232 / 22662143/22 662183



#### **ATTENTION AND QUALITY OF LIFE CENTER**

Address: Garzón Avenue # 222 e/ Prudencio Martínez (Pedrera) and Vicente Avenue Miniet (Madre Vieja)  
Telephone: (53) 22731539

#### **CONTACTS**

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[comercial@clinicasc.co.cu](mailto:comercial@clinicasc.co.cu)  
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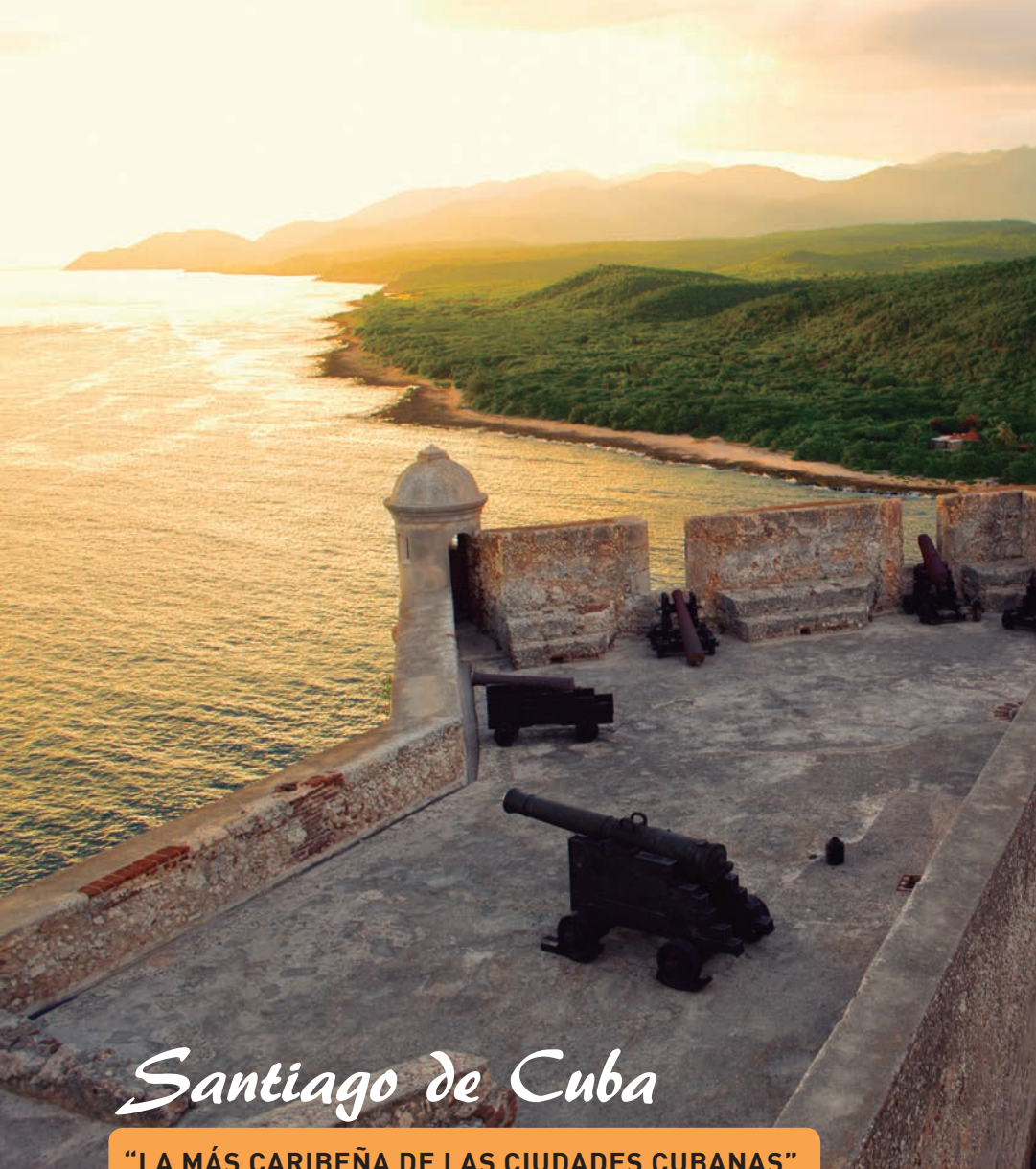
A nature tourism product that allows access to the heritage places of the destination, taking advantage of a unique archaeological jewel of 171 ruins of coffee plantations built by the French who came from Santo Domingo, run away from the 1971 Haitian Revolution, 139 of them are located in Santiago de Cuba, declared National Monument in 1991 and proclaimed by UNESCO in 2000, "World Heritage in the Cultural Landscape category", it is an eloquent testimony of an agricultural exploitation of the virgin jungle, there remains no examples in other parts of the world.

Its activities are carried out in the Baconao Managed Resources Protected Area, declared by the UNESCO

Biosphere Reserve, visiting areas of high landscape value such as the Gran Piedra Protected Natural Landscape, the Ramón de las Yaguas area, as well as in municipality Ill Frente, located in the heart of the Sierra Maestra.

It is an Agrotourism Route, which includes in its design activities of different tourist modalities, with a strong agrotourism and cultural component. It is located in the Rural Tourism modality, promoting the enjoyment of the peasant way of life and participation in productive tasks. It also develops hiking, flora and fauna observation, jeep safari, community tourism, accompanied by a cultural touch in the modalities of historical, heritage and archaeological tourism.





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## TOURIST INFORMATION CENTERS SANTIAGO DE CUBA

### CÉSPEDES PARK

Aguilera esq. Felix Peña  
(Santo Tomás). No. 562  
Tel.: (53 22) 68 6068

### VIAZUL BUS TERMINAL AND TRAINS.

Avenida Martí y la Alameda

### INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT “ANTONIO MACEO”.

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