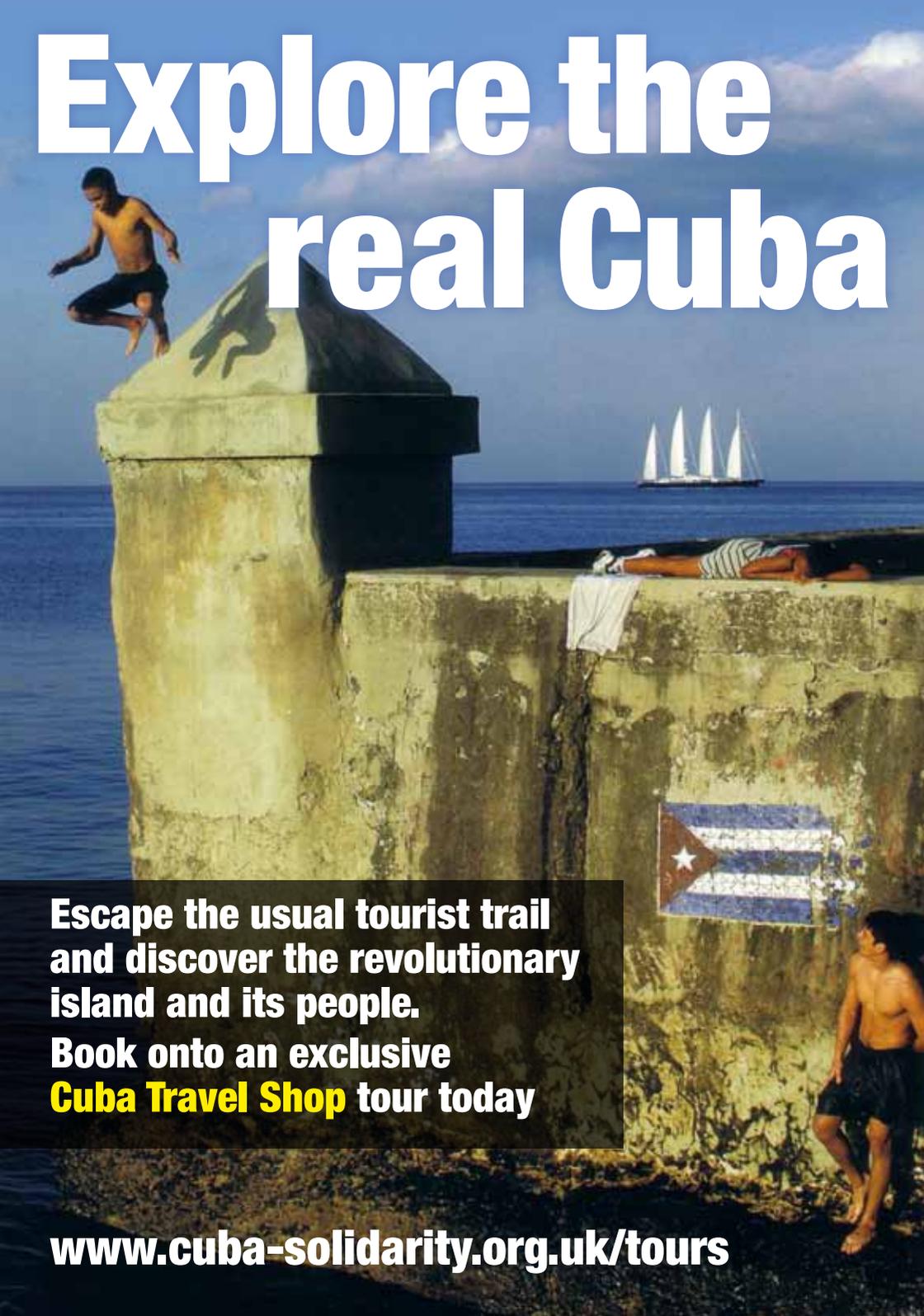


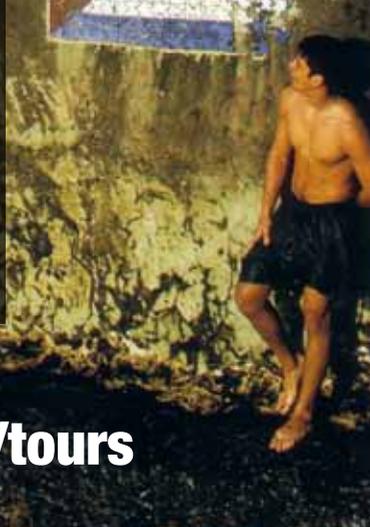
# Explore the real Cuba

A man in dark shorts is captured mid-air, jumping from the top of a weathered concrete structure. The structure has a dark, triangular shadow cast on its top surface. In the background, a large sailboat with multiple white sails is visible on the blue ocean under a clear sky. To the right, another person is lying on their stomach on the edge of the concrete structure, with a white cloth draped over it. The overall scene is set on a rocky shore.

Escape the usual tourist trail  
and discover the revolutionary  
island and its people.

Book onto an exclusive  
**Cuba Travel Shop** tour today

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A man in dark shorts is standing on a dark, rocky shore. He is looking towards the left. Behind him is a concrete wall with a Cuban flag painted on it. The flag features three horizontal stripes of blue, white, and blue, with a red triangle at the top containing a white star. The wall shows signs of weathering and age.

# Are you looking for a holiday

CUBA SOLIDARITY CAMPAIGN'S Cuba Travel Shop offers fascinating, fun and thought provoking study tours, holidays and solidarity brigades to this wonderful island not available from any other company.

## May Day Study Tour

★ 11 nights ★ April/May

**A special invitation to join one million workers in the iconic Plaza de la Revolución for the colourful and inspiring May Day Rally makes this tour a genuine once in a lifetime experience.**

Gain an insight into the achievements of the Cuban Revolution with visits to health, education and community projects, plus meetings with the Federation of Cuban Women and Cuban trade unions, and an invitation to a local community street party.

Enjoy historical and cultural visits as well as plenty of free time to relax in Cuba's captivating capital city of Havana.



## Young Trade Unionists' May Day Brigade

★ 11 nights ★ April/May



**A unique opportunity to participate in practical solidarity work and discover the reality of life for Cubans living under the illegal US blockade.**

Join with solidarity activists from around the world on the Julio Mella friendship camp just outside Havana.

Voluntary work sessions and exchanges with experts from all areas of Cuban society take place here, while a programme of activities exploring Havana and further afield includes May Day in Revolution Square, and visits to the Museum of the Revolution and other sites of social, historical and cultural interest across the island.

## Following Fidel and Viva Che Tours

★ 15 nights ★ November

**Alternating each year, these exciting study tours take in the many historic sites of the Revolution from Havana to Santa Clara, and Santiago de Cuba to Cienfuegos.**

Depending on your choice of tour you will visit the sites of the Granma landing, the clandestine campaigns in the Sierra Maestra and Escambray mountains, and scenes of Che's historic battles of the revolution, his mausoleum in Santa Clara and final triumph of the revolution in Havana.

Share experiences with the Cuban people in their neighbourhoods, workplaces, schools and local health care centres with plenty of time to relax and enjoy the vibrant Cuban culture.



# y to Cuba with a difference?

## Cycle Cuba Challenge

★ 10 - 12 nights ★ April/May



### SPONSORED BIKE RIDE

**Cycle to the salsa beat along an exhilarating 315 kilometres from Sancti Spiritus, one of Cuba's original Spanish towns, to the historic city of Santa Clara.**

The route passes through Trinidad, Cuba's best preserved colonial town, dips and falls alongside the turquoise blue Caribbean to Cienfuegos, where a special invitation to participate in the inspiring May Day Rally awaits. Heading

inland it reaches Lake Hanabanilla, high in the Escambray Mountains and onto Santa Clara, site of Che Guevara's evocative mausoleum. The tour ends in Havana, where you can explore this fascinating capital city and enjoy your wonderful achievement with a celebratory group meal.

A fantastic way to experience Cuba, to raise money for essential educational equipment for young visually impaired Cuban school children and support the vital campaign work of the Cuba Solidarity Campaign at the same time.

## Solidarity Brigades

★ 12-21 days ★ Spring, Summer, Winter

### BE MORE THAN JUST A TOURIST

**CSC Solidarity Brigades are an amazing way to learn about the real Cuba and show practical solidarity with the Cuban people. They run for 12-21 days, three times a year in the Spring, Summer and Winter.**



An exclusive programme of trips, visits and discussions with Cuban people from politics, sports, the arts, industry and much more, giving an insight into the difficulties caused by the illegal US trade blockade.

- Volunteer alongside Cubans in agricultural and building projects
- Participate in educational seminars and hospital, school and community visits
- Explore Havana or relax on Cuba's beautiful beaches
- Enjoy the island's culture and hospitality including its famous salsa, rum and cigars!

**May Day Solidarity Brigade** 11 nights – April/May (see opposite)

**Summer Solidarity Brigade** 20 nights – July (length of stay can be flexible)

**Winter Solidarity Brigade** 20 nights – December (length of stay can be flexible)

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“To be immersed in a culture as rich as the Cubans’ was a once in a lifetime experience. Just the friendliness and warmth of the people was fantastic in itself.”

Previous tour participant

### Specialist and bespoke tours

CSC has been successfully organising tours and events in Cuba since 1998. We are experienced in organising bespoke itineraries for small groups, trade union delegations, professionals and innovative study programmes for sixth form student school visits.

Our in-country knowledge and contacts make us experts on organising specialist tours focussing on women, the environment, health, education, history, arts and culture, LGBT rights, trade unions, architecture, community development and much more. All our study tours are ATOL protected (ATOL 4636) in association with Havanatour UK.

The Cuba Solidarity Campaign’s Cuba Travel Shop offers wonderful opportunities to take part in fascinating, thought provoking and unique study tours, events and solidarity brigades that explore, experience and enjoy the real Cuba, away from the usual tourist trails. All of our tours are exclusive to CSC and cannot be booked through any other tour company.

Please contact us for more details including dates or prices on any of our advertised tours, or to speak with us about organising a specialist tour for your group.

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