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St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands (*January 14, 2026*) – Project Promise is gearing up to host its highly anticipated Havana Nights fundraiser next month. Scheduled for February 7, 2026, at Fort Frederik, this year's event will embrace the theme "The Cane Fields of Cuba!" Marking a dozen years of supporting the community's youth, Project Promise is thrilled to bring back this beloved celebration for the ninth consecutive year to benefit its impactful programs.

Guests can look forward to an evening filled with vibrant Cuban music, delicious Cuban cuisine, a Silent Auction, Cigar Rolling Demonstration, Antique Cars, and an opportunity to win a trip for two to Cuba, among other exciting activities. Project Promise warmly welcomes everyone to experience a night of Food, Fun & Fundraising as Fort Frederik is transformed into The Cane Fields of Cuba.

This year's gathering holds special significance as it returns to Fort Frederik, the original site of the first Havana Nights fundraiser in 2018, after being hosted at various venues across the island in recent years. Tickets for Havana Nights, The Cane Fields of Cuba are on sale now online. Those interested are encouraged to secure their \$100 general admission or reserved seating tickets early. Additionally, \$20 raffle tickets for a chance to win a trip for two to Cuba are available for purchase on Project Promise's website or at: <https://events.eventgroove.com/event/Havana-Nights-The-Cane-Fields-Of-Cuba-119603>.

Project Promise extends its heartfelt gratitude to its Platinum Sponsors: Department of Health-Family Planning Program, TEAM Consultants, and MCN Build, as well as Gold Sponsors: Marshall & Sterling, International Private Bank, and OCWEN for their generous support of Havana Nights, The Cane Fields of Cuba. Proceeds from the event support Project Promise's Caterpillar Project, a long-term initiative dedicated to making a meaningful impact in the lives of at-risk youth in St. Croix, along with five additional programs.

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Project Promise is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of at-risk youth on St. Croix by providing empowerment initiatives, cultural programs, and family services. For more information about Project Promise, please contact Resa O'Reilly Shearn at (804) 477-5536 or please visit the website at www.projectpromisevi.com.