



Harrow & District Caledonian Society



Christmas Dance

Wednesday 17th December 2025, 7:30 - 10:30 pm

St Alban's Church Hall, Norwood Drive, Harrow HA2 7PF

dancing to the music of Dave Hall

PELORUS JACK (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=12tADZYCXi0

Barry Skelton RSCDS Book 41

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, dance RH across with 3s & 1s end with Man facing his 1st corner with his partner behind him
- 9-16 1s dance Alternating Tandem ½ reel of 3 with M's 1st corner,
1s dance Alternating Tandem ½ reel of 3 with M's 2nd corner
- 17-24 1s dance Alternating Tandem ½ reel of 3 with L's 1st corner (position),
1s dance Alternating Tandem ½ reel of 3 with L's 2nd corner (position)
- 25-32 1M followed by partner dance into LH across with 2s, 1s retain LH & ½ turn to own sides & 2s+1s+3s set

FALLS OF ROGIE, THE (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=KKjNOhYswr4&t=9

Jean Attwood Alexander Book 1

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, 1s cross RH & cast 1 place (Man up Lady down)
- 9-16 1s dance ½ reels of 3 across (1M with 2s & 1L with 3s), set in lines across & change places RH with opposite person
- 17-24 2s+1s+3s chase clockwise ½ way,
1s dance in & turn RH to face 1st corner positions as 2s & 3s continue to chase on to places (as bar 16)
- 25-32 1s dance ½ reel of 4 with 1st corners, passing RSh dance ½ reel with 2nd corners & cross passing RSh to 2nd place own sides

WATER OF LEITH, THE (S4x32) 4C set

www.youtube.com/watch?v=iDpctXSObCo&t=8s

John Wilkinson Edinburgh 90th Anniv

- 1- 8 1s+3s set. 1L dances down, casts up round 2M into middle facing down as 1M dances across, casts round 2L into middle facing up while 3s dance same round 4s. 1s+3s change places RH with partner into line of 4 in middle (M face down, L face up)
- 9-16 1s+3s dance reel of 4 in middle
- 17-20 1s+2s also 3s+4s dance RH across
- 21-24 1M followed by 1L casts round 2L to 2nd place own sides as 3M followed by 3L casts round 4L to 4th place (2s+4s step up 23-24)
- 25-32 1s+4s (middle couples) dance Espagnole:
25-26 1s+4s cross (Ladies lead across RH passing between Men) with Ladies changing places RH
27-28 1s+4s cross back (Men lead across RH between Ladies) with Men changing places RH
29-32 4s turn RH as 1s turn LH

SPIFFIN' (J5x32) 5C Sq.Set (5s facing 1s)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=W6LNwJxiYxM&t=5

David & Avril Quarrie+Friends

- 1- 8 5s dance reels of 3 with 1s+3s (5s start by passing opposite dancer by LSh)
- 9-16 5L dances RH across with 2s while 5M dances LH across with 4s, 5s dance NHJ up through 1s & cast back to centre
- 17-24 5L dances LH across with 2s while 5M dances RH across with 4s, 5s dance NHJ down through 3s & cast back to centre
- 25-32 5s turn (Kilt Grip) twice, 5s+1s set & dance part LH across (5s dance ½ way while 1s dance ¼ way & into centre to face 2s)

CHASING THE ECLIPSE (s3x32) 3C set

www.youtube.com/watch?v=_1scIYYG8wU&t=9s

Sandy Gallamore Highland Road Collection

- 1- 8 1s set, dance down below 3s (2s step up), cast up to 2nd place, pass LSh to face 1st corners
- 9-16 1s dance RSh reels of 3 on opposite sides, 1s end facing 1st corners
- 17-24 1s set to 1st corners, dance ¾ round partner by RSh, 1s set to 2nd corners, dance round partner to own side, facing out
- 25-32 Promenade (Chaperoned) Chain progression:
25-26 2s and 3s ¾ turn partner RH into middle while 1s dance clockwise ¼ round the set picking up 2L/3M...
27-30 who promenade ½ way clockwise while middle people (2M + 3L) turn LH 1½.
31-32 2s and 3s turn partner RH ¾ to own sides while 1s dance clockwise ¼ round to end in 2nd place. 312

TRIP TO TIMBER RIDGE (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=B6h9iyUHIP8

Linda Henderson Heart of San Francisco & RSCDS Book 52

- 1- 8 1s turn RH, cast (2s step up) then 1L+2s & 1M+3s dance RH across. 1s end facing 1st corners
- 9-16 1s dance Corner Pass+Turn with 1st corners, pass RSh & repeat with 2nd corners. 1s pull back RSh to end BtoB in centre facing opp sides
- 17-24 2s+1s+3s dance Double Triangles. Bars 23-24 1s petronella turn to 2nd place own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round and back



INTERVAL



JIM'S HABERDASHERY (J8x40) 3C (4C set)www.youtube.com/watch?v=hpd7z6l4clw&t=9s

Alan MacPherson Bannockburn 700

- 1- 8 1s+2s dance Double Fig of 8 (1s crossing down, 2s dancing up)
 9-16 1M+2M turn RH & 1L+2L turn LH 1½ times (4 bars),
 1s dance out own side, down behind 3s & cross up to 2nd place opposite sides
 17-24 1s dance reels of 3 on opposite sides (1s out & up/2s in & down to start), 1s end crossing up to 2nd place own sides
 25-32 1s dance reels of 3 on own sides (1s out & up to start), 1s end in centre facing up
 33-40 1s dance up to top, cast to 2nd place & 2s+1s+3s turn RH

FLOWER O' THE QUERN 1, THE (S4x32) 4C set **3s & 4s on opp sides**www.youtube.com/watch?v=9vCoWz2jVY&t=6

John Drewry Canadian Book

- 1- 8 1s+2s & 3s+4s circle 4H round to left to end in middle,
 1s+2s **also** 3s+4s set facing, 1s+4s cast in 1 pl & change pl LH on sides with other dancer
 9-16 1s+4s dance ½ Figs of 8 round end couples, change places LH again on sides,
 dance ½ Fig of 8 round other end couple & change pl again LH
 17-24 All dance reels of 4 on sides. 2 4 1 3
 25-32 2s+4s **also** 1s+3s set facing on sides, 1s & 4s turn end couples (dancing between ends) & dance ½ Figs of 8 round end couples to end 2 4 1 3

SHINKANSEN (The Bullet Train) (R8x32) 3C (4C set)www.youtube.com/watch?v=5NEjBixsT_A

Ann Dix Reel Friends 3

- 1- 8 1s+3s dance Double Fig of 8 round 2s
 9-16 1s set, dance down middle NHJ, cast up round 3s into middle and dance up to places (face out)
 while 2s stand for 2 bars, set, dance down middle NHJ and cast up round 3s to places (face in)
 while 3s stand for 4 bars, set, dance into middle (face down, NHJ briefly) and cast back to places (face out)
 17-24 1s+2s+3s dance reels of 3 on sides (1s out and down to start)
 25-32 1s+2s dance Poussette. 213

WATERNISH TANGLE, THE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fs22cAbbJNU

Andrea Barfoot Skye Coll 2 & RSCDS Book 54

- 1- 8 1s cross down RH & set (2s step up 1-2): 1s cross down LH & set (3s step up 5-6)
 9-16 1s cross RH, change places on sides with 3s LH; 2s+1s cross RH & ¾ turn LH on sides to form line of 4 across
 17-24 2s+1s dance the Targe :
 ` 17-18 1st & 2nd Ladies ¾ turn RH while Men dance ¼ way round anticlockwise
 ` 19-20 1st Man with 2nd Lady & 1st Lady with 2nd Man full turn LH
 ` 21-22 1st & 2nd Ladies ¾ turn RH while Men dance ¼ way round anticlockwise
 ` 23-24 1st Man with 2nd Lady & 1st Lady with 2nd Man turn ¾ LH to end on sides to 2(1)3
 25-32 1s cross down below 3s, cast up, dance up between 2s & cast to 2nd place

MACDONALD OF KEPPOCH (M-(S64+R64)) Sq.Setwww.youtube.com/watch?v=y3Cf49jrO4Y&t=19

Chris Ronald RSCDS Book 49

- 1- 8 1s+3s dance 6 bars R&L (Men polite turns) to finish in centre B-to-B with partner facing side cples (1L+2L, 1M+4M, 3L+4L, 3M+2M)
 All set
 9-16 Reels of 4 across. 1s & 3s finish in line up/down with Ladies (in middle) facing, 1M facing down, 3M facing up
 17-24 1s+3s dance reel of 4 (1L+3L pass **RSh** in middle to start), passing **LSh** at ends, RSh in middle. Finish in orig pl facing partners
 25-32 All set, all turn partner RH 1¼ (4 bars) into promenade hold & dance 1 place anticlockwise.
 Repeat from new positions in Strathspey then twice in Reel time back to original places

RAY MILBOURNE (R4x32) 4C set **2s & 4s on opp sides**www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y4UMSr5JwPY&t=9s

Derek Haynes Carnforth Coll

- 1- 8 1s & 4s cross RH, cast in 1 place & dance ½ Figs of 8 round end couples
 9-16 1s+4s dance ½ R&L, all dance ½ reels of 4 on sides
 17-24 3s+1s **also** 4s+2s dance Men's (LH) Chain
 25-32 All circle 8H round & back

RUTLAND REEL, THE (R8x40) 3C (4C set)www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljighX21y30&t=11

Robert Senior RSCDS Book 48

- 1- 8 1s set & cast 1 place, 1s cross below 3s & cast up to 2nd place opposite sides
 9-16 1s+2s dance Ladies (RH) Chain & end 1s facing down
 17-24 1s dance reel of 3 on sides giving (RSh to 3s) & 1s+3s ½ turn RH. 2 3(1)
 25-32 1s+3s dance Men's (LH) Chain & end 1L end facing out with partner ready to follow her
 33-40 1L casts up & crosses to own side **while** 1M crosses & casts up to end 2nd pl own sides, 1s+3s circle left once round

Our **New Year Ball** is on

Saturday 3rd January 2025 7.30 to 11.30 pm,
 at Allum Hall, 2 Allum Lane, Elstree, Herts, WD6 3PJ,
 dancing to The Craigellachie Band

DO JOIN US

Tickets £28 up to 27th Dec (ie booked and paid for), £30 thereafter
 (children and non-dancers half price)

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(Afternoon practice available on Friday 2nd January, 3 pm – 6 pm. at St Alban's church hall, North Harrow, £3.50)

