

Monklands Spring Dancing : 27th May 2025

THE DUKE OF ATHOLL'S REEL (J8x32) 2C (4C set)

Thomas Skillern (1776) RSCDS Bk 16

- 1- 8 1s+2s set, dance 1/2 RH across, set & dance 1/2 LH across back to places
- 9-16 1M+2L set advancing & turn RH back to places, 1L+2M set advancing & turn RH back to places
- 17-24 1s cross RH, cast to 2nd place & dance 1/2 Fig of 8 round 2s to 2nd place on own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s dance R&L

THE LOCHALSH REEL (R8x40) 3C (4C set)

Pat Burnett Skye Coll 2 & RSCDS Bk 53

- 1- 8 1s turn RH, cast 1 place, cross LH, cast 1 place to meet partner in prom hold facing 3M (Lady on Man's left)
- 9-16 1s dance LSh reel of 3 across with 3s
- 17-24 1s separate to dance reels of 3 on opposite sides
- 25-32 1s dance NHJ up to top, turn 2s with other hand, cross down between 3s & cast up to 2nd place own sides
- 33-40 1s dance RH across (Lady with 2s & Man with 3s), pass RSh to dance LH across with other couple

THE BYRON STRATHSPEY (S3x32) 3C set

John Drewry Deeside Bk 2

- 1- 8 All petronella turn into the centre & set to partner, turn 2H 1.1/4 times back to places
- 9-16 1s+2L & 3s+2M dance RH across, 2s pass RSh & dance LH across with other couple
- 17-24 2s in prom hold dance reel of 3 with 1s passing 1L RSh. End with 2s in centre at top, 1s casting to follow 2s & 3s stepping in ready for ...
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s dance Allemande. 3 1 2

THE LAIRD OF MILTON'S DAUGHTER (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

Craigmyle RSCDS Bk 22

- 1- 8 1s set, cross RH, cast 1 place & turn LH to face 1st corners
- 9-24 1s dance Corner Chain with 1st & 2nd corners : -
 - `1s change pl RH with 1st crnrs, 1st crnrs turn LH in centre & return to places giving RH to 1s who turn LH in centre to face 2nd crnrs
 - `1s change places RH with 2nd crnrs, 2nd crnrs turn LH in centre & return to places giving RH to 1s & 1s end with a 1/2 turn LH to 2nd place own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

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THE WHISTLING WIND (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

Elizabeth Goossen RSCDS Bk 36

- 1- 8 1s set, dance in & cast to 2nd place, set to each other **while** advancing to 1st corners
- 9-16 1s dance 1/2 reel of 4 with 1st corners, pass by RSh to dance 1/2 reel with 2nd corners. 1s end in centre BtoB, 1M facing up, 1L facing down
- 17-24 3s+1s+2s dance Double Triangles facing up & down, 1s ending in 2nd place on own sides
- 25-32 1s dance Diag R&L

THE WATER OF LEITH (S4x32) 4C Set John Wilkinson Edinburgh 90th Anniv & RSCDS Bk 53

- 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

BAILEY'S IRISH CREAM (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

Barry Skelton Stepping Stones

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, set & turn LH to face 1st corners
- 9-16 1s dance full diagonal reel with 1st corners & pass LSh to face 2nd corners
- 17-24 1s dance full diagonal reel with 2nd corners & pass LSh to BtoB position Man facing up
- 25-32 1s dance up/down & cast round 2nd corner to 2nd place opposite sides, 1s cross RH & set

THE ZOOLOGIST (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

D Brown RSCDS Bk 46

- 1- 8 1s cross down between 2s+3s & cast to right to face 2L/3M, dance 1/2 LSh reel of 3 across (1L with 2s, 1M with 3s) & end facing 1st corner (pstn)
- 9-16 1s dance 1/2 diagonal reel of 4 & pass RSh to face 2nd corner (pstn), 1s dance 1/2 diagonal reel & end in double triangle positions (facing opp sides)
- 17-24 1s dance Double Triangles & end in middle facing opposite sides RSh to RSh
- 25-32 1s dance LH across (M with 3s at top & L with 2s), 1M followed by 3M+3L **also** 1L followed by 2L+2M pass RSh diagonally across to change ends & loop round to right to end on own sides.
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