



STIRLING CASTLE CLUB – 17TH FEBRUARY 2024

Bridge of Allan Parish Church Hall, Keir Street, BoA. FK9 4NW

Marian Anderson's Band

THE HAZEL TREE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

John Drewry Brodie Bk

- 1- 8 1s+2s dance Espagnole: -
 - 1-2 1s+2s cross (Ladies lead across RH passing between Men) with Ladies changing places RH
 - 3-4 1s+2s cross back (Men lead across RH between Ladies) with Men changing places RH
 - 5-8 2s turn RH **as** 1s turn LH to face 1st corners
- 9-16 1s turn 1st corners RH, pass RSh, turn 3rd corner LH & pass LSh to face 2nd corner
- 17-24 1s turn 2nd corners RH, pass RSh, turn 4th corner LH, 1s pass LSh to face down in middle (opposite sides) left hands joined
- 25-32 1s lead down below 3s, cross, cast up to 2nd place own sides, 2s+1s+3s turn RH

BALDOVAN REEL (R4x32) 4C set

Douglas Henderson Baldovan Dances & RSCDS Bk 53

- 1- 8 1s dance RSh round each other (2s dance up to top) & dance 6 bars of Crown Triangles (start with 1M facing 3s & 1L facing 2s). End 1M facing up, 1L facing down
- 9-16 1s dance diag RSh reel of 4 with 2nd corners, 1s pass RSh
- 17-24 1s dance diag RSh reel of 4 with 1st corners, 1s pass RSh to end in 2nd place on opp sides
- 25-32 1s set & cast 1 place, cross over RH & change places LH on side with 4s. 2 3 4 1

MAY YARKER'S STRATHSPEY (S8x32) 3C (4C set)

Roy Goldring RSCDS Bk 42

- 1- 8 1s cross RH, 1s+3s dance 3/4 Fig of 8 round 2s (3s cross up to start). 3 2 1
- 9-16 2s+1s cross RH, 2s+1s dance RH across 1/2 way, 3s & 1s cross RH & dance RH across 1/2 way. 1 3 2
- 17-24 1s+3s circle 4H round to left, 1s dance down, cast up round 2s (3rd pl) to 2nd place
- 25-32 3s+1s+2s dance the Knot

MIDNIGHT OIL (J5x48) 5C set

John Drewry Bankhead Bk 3

- 1- 8 1s & 3s lead down & 3/4 turn RH to L facing down & M up, retaining hold of RH set & L turns under ptrns Rt arm to dance up (Men follow ptrnr)
- 9-16 1s & 3s dance RH across with 2L/4L, 1s & 3s dance LH across with 4M/5M to end facing 1st corners
- 17-24 1s **also** 3s dance Pass+Turn with 1st corners & pass RSh to face 2nd corners, dance Pass+Turn with 2nd corners & into centre facing partner (L facing down M up)
- 25-32 1s+3s dance reel of 4 up & down centre of dance & end in centre holding partners nearer hand (1s face Ladies side & 3s face Men's side)
- 33-40 1s **also** 3s dance out sides & cast, dance in to meet ptrnr (1M & 3L pass LSh) to dance out other side & cast back to middle (1M & 3L pass RSh & face each other)
- 41-48 1L **also** 3M set twice **while** 1M+3L turn RH, 1s & 3s turn partner LH & cast down 1 place on own sides. End 2 4 1 5 3

TOAST TO THE MOUSIES (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

Sara Gratiot RSCDS Bk 53

- 1- 8 1s dance in & cast 1 place (2s step up), dance down between 3s & cast up to 2nd place
 - 9-16 2s+1L **also** 1M+3s dance RH across & 1s pass RSh to dance LH across with other couple, 1s end back to back in the middle (1M facing up, 1L down) facing 2s/3s (2s facing down, 3s up NHJ)
 - 17-20 All set, 2s & 3s make arches, dance down/up to meet **as** 1s dance under arches. Finish 1M in 1st place, 1L in 3rd place (facing down/up) & 2s & 3s back to back in middle NHJ (2s facing up, 3s down).
 - 21-24 All set, 2s & 3s making arches dance to ends & cast into reel **while** 1s dance under arch passing LSh and finish between end couple facing 1st crnr
 - 25-32 2s+1L **also** 1M+3s dance LSh reels across (2s+3s make loops into the reel) to end 2 1 3. All set
- Note: after 2nd time through 1s may repeat bars 1-4 to get to 4th place*

THE QUEEN CITY SALUTE (M-8x(S32+R32)) 3C (4C set)

G Dale Birdsall RSCDS Bk 37

- 1- 8 1s cast to meet below 3s then 1s dance up to meet 2s **while** 2s cast up dancing in to face 1s & 1s+2s set
- 9-16 2s+1s circle 4H round & back
- 17-20 1s dance Petronella turn to end middle Lady at top facing down & Man facing up **as** 2s+3s change places RH on the sides, 3s+1s+2s set
- 21-24 1s dance Petronella turn to 2nd place opposite sides **as** 3s+2s cross RH, 3s+1s+2s set
- 25-28 1M+2M change places LH **as** 1L+2L change RH, 3M+2M change places RH **as** 3L+2L change places LH
- 29-32 3M+1M change places LH **as** 3L+1L change RH, 2s+1s+3s cross RH
- 1-32 Repeat above in reel time

THE SNAKE PASS (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

Norman Churnside Life begins at 40

- 1- 8 1s+2s dance 1/2 R&L; 1s+3s dance 1/2 R&L
- 9-16 1s cross RH, cast up to 2nd place & dance 1/2 Figs of 8 round 3s to end facing 1st corner positions
- 17-24 1s dance 1/2 diag reel with 1st corners, pass LSh & dance 1/2 diag reel with 2nd corners ending with quick LH turn, 1L facing 3s at top, 1M facing 2s in 3rd place
- 25-32 1s dance the Snake Pass:
 - 1s dance RH across (1L with 3s & 1M with 2s), 1L followed by 3s **also** 1M followed by 2s pass LSh diagonally across through 2nd place to change ends & loop round to left to end in 2nd place. 2 1 3

THE HAMILTON RANT (R8x48) 3C (4C set)

R M Campbell RSCDS Bk 22

- 1- 8 1M+2L change places RH, 1L+2M change places, 1M+3M change places & 1L+3L change places
- 9-16 3s+1s dance 1/2 R&L, 2s+1s dance 1/2 R&L
- 17-24 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, 1s turn 1.3/4 LH to face 1st corners
- 25-32 1s set & turn corners 2H & twirl to face partners, set to partners & turn 2H & twirl to face 2nd corners
- 33-40 1s set & turn 2nd corners & twirl to face partners, set to partners & turn 2H & twirl to face 2nd corners again
- 41-48 1s dance reel of 3 on opposite sides passing 2nd corner RSh & cross to own sides 2nd place

NEIDPATH CASTLE (S3x32) 3C set

Derek Haynes RSCDS Bk 22

- 1- 8 All set & turn partners 2H twice & set again
- 9-16 All dance Grand Chain
- 17-24 1s dance down between 2s, cast behind 3s, dance up between 3s, cast up behind 2s. 1s+2s end ready for a 1/2 Diamond Poussette
- 25-32 1s+2s dance 1/2 Diamond Poussette, 3s dance in on bar 28 & 1s+3s dance 1/2 Diamond Poussette 1s ending in 3rd place. 2 3 1

HOOPER'S JIG (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

MMM 2

- 1- 8 All clap & 1s cross passing RSh, cast to 2nd place & dance RH across with 3s
- 9-16 All clap & 1s cross passing RSh, cast to 1st place & dance LH across with 2s
- 17-24 1M+3L change places RH & 1L+3M change places RH (as 1M+3L loop round), 1M+3L change places RH (as 1L+3M loop round) & 1L+3M cross LH 1L ending in 2nd place (as 1M casts to 2nd pl), 2s step up on bars 23 - 24
- 25-32 2s+1s dance R&L. 2 1 3

BRATACH BANA (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**John Drewry Bon Accord Bk**

- 1- 8 1s turn RH & cast 1 place (2s step up); 1s dance LSh round 1st corners to 2nd place opp side facing 2nd corners
 9-16 1s dance 1/2 RSh reel of 3 on sides & dance 1/2 LSh reel of 3 across (1M with 3s at top, 1L with the 2s, LSh to 3rd corner position)
 17-24 1s turn 3/4 LH, turn 3rd corner (pstn) RH & pass RSh to turn 4th corner (pstn) RH ending in 2nd pl own side in prom hold with 4th corner (pstn)
 25-32 1s+corners promenade diagonally across (passing RSh) to diag opp corner & 1/2 turn to end 1s in 2nd pl opp side, 1s dance 1/2 Diag R&L (M up, L down). End 2 1 3

THE RAKISH HIGHLANDMAN (J8x40) 3C (4C set)**T Wilson RSCDS Bk 19**

- 1- 8 1s+2s+3s dance RSh reels of 3 on own sides
 9-16 1s lead down the middle & back to top
 17-24 1s+2s dance Allemande 1s end facing 1st corners
 25-32 1s turn 1st corners RH & turn partner LH, turn 2nd corners RH & pass partner RSh to end in Double Triangle position
 33-40 1s dance Double Triangles

SUGAR CANDIE (S8x32) 3C (4C set)**RSCDS Bk 26**

- 1- 8 1s set & cast 1 place (2s step up); 1s cross passing LSh & cast RSh round their 1st corner into centre ending BtoB (Lady facing up, Man down)
 9-16 1+2s & 1M+3s circle 3H round to left, turn to face partner & set, 1s 3/4 turn partner 2H to end facing 1st corners
 17-24 1s turn 1st corner RH, partner LH, 2nd corner RH, partner LH & end facing 1st corners
 25-32 1s dance 6 bar LSh reel of 3 on opposite sides (pass 1st corner LSh); 1s cross RH to 2nd place own sides

THE NEW PETRONELLA (R2x48) Sq.Set**RSCDS Bk 28**

- 1-16 1L+2L **also** 3M+4M dance full petronella around inside of set & return to own places
 17-24 All Ladies dance RH across once round & turn partners LH 1.1/2 times
 25-32 All Men dance RH across & turn partners LH 1.1/2 times
 33-40 All Ladies dance a RH St Andrews Cross with partner on left hand once round ending facing partner on sides holding 2H
 41-48 All Poussette around set to original places
 49-96 Repeat all of the above with 1M+2M & 3L+4L dancing bars 1-16

PELORUS JACK (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**Barry Skelton RSCDS Bk 41**

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place (2s step up 3-4), 1s dance RH across with 3s. 1s end with Man facing his 1st corner with his partner behind him
 9-16 1s dance Alternating Tandem 1/2 reel of 3 with 1st corners to face Man's 2nd corner, 1s dance Alternating Tandem 1/2 reel of 3 with 2nd corners
 17-24 1s dance Alternating Tandem 1/2 reels of 3 with Ladies' 1st corner (pstn), 1s dance Alternating Tandem 1/2 reel with Ladies' 2nd corner (pstn)
 25-32 1M followed by partner dance into LH across with 2s, 1s retain LH & 1/2 turn to own sides & 2s+1s+3s set

THE GARRY STRATHSPEY (S4x32) 4C set**James B Cosh 22 SCDs**

- 1- 8 1s+2s & 3s+4s dance 1/2 R&L, 1s+4s (middle couples) dance 1/2 R&L
 9-16 2s+4s & 1s+3s circle 4H left 1/2 way, 2s+3s (middle couples) circle 4H right 1/2 way; 1s dance up to top (2s+3s+4s step down) & all face **as** for Reel of 4 on sides
 17-24 All set HS & dance 1/2 Grand Chain. All end on own side 2 3 4 1
 25-32 All dance Reel of 4 on sides. 2 3 4 1

TRIBUTE TO THE BORDERS (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**Roy Goldring RSCDS Leaflet Dances 31**

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, turn RH 1.1/2 times to end in promenade hold facing 2M
 9-16 1s dance 1/2 RSh reel of 3 on Man's side, cross to face 3L & dance 1/2 RSh reel on Ladies' side 1s end facing 3L (in top place), still in prom hold
 17-24 1s set to 3L, swivel right & set to 2L, set to 2M, set to 3M (2s+3s set advancing into centre) ready for ...
 25-32 3s+1s+2s Allemande. End 2 1 3

SHIFTIN' BOBBINS (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**Roy Clowes Ormskirk 6**

- 1- 8 1s cross RH to double triangle position with 2s+3s & set, 1s cast up to top & dance down until they are between 2s & 3s
 9-16 1L dances RH across with 2M+3M **while** 1M dances LH across with 2L+3L, 1s followed by 2s+3s dance down centre
 17-24 3s followed by 2s+1s dance up & 3s+2s cast down to places, 1L dances LH across with 2M+3M **while** 1M dances RH across with 2L+3L
 25-32 1s dance up to top & cast down to 2nd place opposite side, 1s dance 1/2 Fig of 8 around 2s to end in 2nd place on own sides