

RSCDS Duns and District
Scottish Charity Number SC005726

**Whitsome Ark,
Whitsome**

Friday 21st November 2025 7.30p.m.
Ticket £8.00

Robert Whitehead

Please bring a plate of food for the shared supper table, and your own mug.

MISS ALLIE ANDERSON Jig 8 X 32 L.16

- 1-4 All Clap as 1W, 2W, 3W Dance RSh round partner into middle & Face down RH joined with partner.
- 5-8 3s followed by 2s & 1s Lead down.
- 9-12 W Turn under M's R arm. 1s followed by 2s & 3s Lead up. [(1), (2), (3), 4].
- 13-16 1s, 2s, 3s nhj Set, ½ Turn partner RH to finish in Promenade hold facing up.
- 17-24 1s, 2s, 3s Promenade. [1, 2, 3, 4].
- 25-28 1s+2W RH Wheel (2M steps up).
- 29-32 1s+2M LH Wheel. [2, 1, 3, 4].

RUTLAND REEL (THE) Reel 8 X 40 48/2

- 1-4 1s Set & Cast off 1 (2s Step up on 3-4). [2, 1, 3, 4].
- 5-8 1s Cross down RH below 3s and Cast up 1 opposite sides. End: 1M faces up, 1W faces 2W.
- 9-16 2s & 1s dance a Ladies' Chain. End: 1s in 2nd place opposite sides facing down.
- 17-22 Reels of 3 on the sides (Start: 1s & 3s RSh).
- 23-24 1M3W also 1W3M Change places RH (End: 1W & 3W face out).
- 25-32 3s & 1s dance a Men's Chain (End: 1W faces out).
- 33-36 1W followed by 1M Casts up 1 place and Crosses over (3s Step down on 35-36). [2, 1, 3, 4].
- 37-40 1s & 3s Circle 4 hands once round to Left.

SEANN TRUIBHAS WILLICHAN Strathspey 8 X 32
2 cpl 27/9

- 1-8 1s Cast & Dance down behind their own lines. Turn out and Dance back up to top.
- 9-12 1W & 2M Set then Change places RH **as** 1M & 2W Change places RH then Set.
- 13-16 Repeat bars 9-12 back to original places.
- 17-24 1s Lead Down middle (two steps), Turn RH, Lead Up to the top then Cast off to 2nd place own sides (2s Step up).
- 25-28 2s & 1s Set nhj then Turn partners BH. Finish by opening up to form a circle.
- 29-32 2s & 1s Circle Left.

NEIL M GRANT Jig 8 X 32 49/1

- 1-4 1s Cross RH & Cast off 1 (2s Step up on 3-4)
[2, (1), 3, 4].
- 5-8 1M dances ½ Figure of 8 up round 2s **as** 1W dances ½ Figure of 8 down round 3s. 1s end in Balance In Line positions with LH joined to partner and RH joined with 1st corner.
- 9-16 1s, 2s, 3s dance The Spoke (all 3 couples dance 8 setting steps). 1s end facing 1st corners.
- 17-20 1s & 1st corners dance ½ Diagonal Reel of 4 (End: 1s Pass RSh to face 2nd corners).
- 21-24 1s & 2nd corners dance ½ Diagonal Reel of 4 (1s end in 2nd place opposite sides facing CW). [(3), (1), (2), 4].
- 25-28 3s, 1s, 2s Chase CW ½ way. [2, 1, 3, 4].
- 29-32 RH Wheels once round (1W+2s also 1M+3s).

TRIP TO BAVARIA Reel 4 X 32 4cpl McGregor
Brown

- 1-4 1s & 4s Cross RH **as**: 2s & 3s ½ RH Wheel. All change places on the side LH. [(3), (1), (4), (2)].
- 5-16 Repeat bars 1-4 three more times from new positions. [1, 2, 3, 4]. 1s & 2s Face on sides.
- 17-20 1s & 2s Set. 1s Cross down diagonally & Face 3s **as** 2s Dance up 1 place.
- 21-28 Repeat with 3s then 4s. [2, 3, 4, (1)].
- 29-32 2s, 3s, 4s nhj Advance **as**: 1s ½ Turn RH. 2s, 3s, 4s, 1s All Retire to side lines. [2, 3, 4, 1].

HOME TO WHITSOME Strathspey 3 X 32
Mulholland

- 1-6 1s Set, Lead down below 3s, Cross and Cast Up 1 place (2s Step up on 3-4)
- 7-8 1s Cross giving RH and face out
- 9-16 2s, 1s, 3s dance a Chaperoned Chain Progression for 3 couples. [3, 1, 2].
- 17-20 1W & 2M Advance for 1 step, Pull back RSh, Dance back to place facing out and Cast 1 place to right **as** 1M & 2W Set, dance up/down the set and curve out to own sidelines [3, 2, 1].
- 21-24 2s & 1s Circle 4H to the left
- 25-28 3W & 2M Advance for 1 step, Pull back RSh, Dance back to place and face out, Cast 1 place to right **as** 3M & 2W Set, dance up/down the set and curve out to own sidelines [2, 3, 1]
- 29-32 2s & 3s Circle 4H to the left [2, 3, 1].

CHEQUERED COURT (THE) Jig 8 X 32 42/3

- 1-4 1s Cross RH & Cast off 1 (2s Step up).
[2, (1), 3, 4]
- 5-8 1s ½ Figure of 8 (1W down, 1M up). End
1s Pass LSh to face 1st corners.
- 9-12 Pass & Turn corners variation: *(1s dance
round corner, into middle, pull RSh back on
bar 12 to end B to B, W facing up, M down.
Corners dance normal Pass & Turn back to
place).*
- 13-16 1s Repeat with Partner's 2nd corner (1W2W,
1M3M). End 1s Pull RSh back to face own
sides.
- 17-22 2s, 1s, 3s Dance 6 bars of Double
Triangles. End 1s facing opposite sides.
- 23-24 1s, 2s, 3s Set **as** 1s Move to R & Pull back
RSh. End 1W between 2s facing 2W, 1M
between 3s facing 3M.
- 25-30 Reels of 3 across (RSh). [End 2, (1), 3, 4].
- 31-32 1s Cross RH. [2, 1, 3, 4].

DA RAIN DANCIN' Reel 8 X 32 30 Pop Vol2/30

- 1-4 1s Dance down below 3s & Cast up 1
- 5-8 2s, 1s, 3s Set and Cross RH
- 9-12 1s Dance up between 2s and cast down to 2nd
place opposite sides [(2), (1), (3), 4]
- 13-16 2s, 1s, 3s Set. 1s Turn LH to face 1st corners
as 2s and 3s Cross LH
- 17-24 1s Set to corner (1), Set to partner (1) and
Turn ¾ RH (2 bars) to face 2nd corner; 1s Set
to corner (1), Set to partner (1) and Turn ¾ RH
(2 bars) to 2nd place own side
- 25-32 2s, 1s, 3s Circle 6 hands round and back.

Supper Interval**LOCHALSH REEL (THE)** Reel 8 X 40 53/1

- 1-8 1s Turn RH, Cast off 1 (2s Step up). 1s
Cross LH, Cast off another 1 to Meet
partner in promenade hold facing 3M (1W
on L of 1M).
- 9-16 1s dance 'Reel of 3' across with 3s (LSh
start).
- 17-24 1s split to dance Reels of 3 on opposite
sides.
- 25-32 1s (nhj) dance to top and Turn 2s with free
hand, Cross down between 3s & Cast up to
2nd place own sides. [2, 1, 3, 4].
- 33-40 RH Wheels (1W + 2s, 1M+ 3s), 1s Pass RSh
to dance LH across with other couple.

KILKENNY CASTLE Strathspey 8 X 32 Forbes

- 1-2 1s & 2s nhj Set.
- 3-6 1s Cross RH, Cast off 1, Meet & face down.
- 7-8 1s Turn 3s (1M3W LH, 1W3M RH).
- 9-16 Reels of 3 on side (start 1s in and up).
[2, (1), 3, 4].
- 17-18 1s Petronella to middle as 2s & 3s Change
RH on side. End 3 X 3 across facing
down/up).
- 19-20 All nhj Set 3 X 3 across.
- 21-22 1s Petronella to 2nd place own sides as 3s &
2s Cross RH to opposite sides. [(3), 1, (2),
4].
- 23-24 3s, 1s, 2s nhj Set.
- 25-28 ½ Diagonal Rights and Lefts (Top two on
M's side with 2nd and 3rd places on W's
side).
- 29-32 ½ Diagonal Rights and Lefts (Top two on
W's side with 2nd and 3rd places on M's
side).
[2, 1, 3, 4].

FESTIVAL MAN (THE) Jig 8 X 32 48/10

- 1-4 1s Set then giving RH Cross down to 2nd place
opposite sides (2s Step up on 3-4). [2, (1), 3,
4].
- 5-8 1s Set, Turn LH ¾ to end with 1W between the
2s and 1M between the 3s facing opposite
sides.
- 9-12 ½ Reels of 3 across (start: 1W2M LSh, 1M3W
LSh). On bar 12 1s Pass by the Left, changing
places for:
- 13-16 ½ Reels of 3 across, (1M2W LSH, 1W3M
LSH).
On bar 16 1s end in middle 2nd place own
sides with 1W facing up, 1M facing down.
- 17-20 RH Wheels (1M2M3M also 1W2W3W).
- 21-24 1W dances up middle to top & Casts off to 2nd
place **as** 1M dances down middle below 3s &
Casts up to 2nd place. **as** 2M & 3M also 2W &
3W Set facing on sides & Change places RH.
[3, 1, 2, 4].
- 25-32 3s, 1s, 2s Set & Rotate for 3 couples. [2, 1, 3,
4].

A REEL FOR ALICE Reel 5 X 32 5cpl Goldring

- 1- 8 1s Cross down for Reels of 3 on opposite
sides. (2s out & up, 3s in & up. [(1), 2, 3, 4,
5].
- 9-16 1s nhj Dance down the middle and up to
end facing out.
- 17-24 1W+2M Changes places LH, 1W+3M RH,
1W+4M LH and 1W+5M RH **as** 1M dances
similarly with Ladies. 1s finish facing out.
- 25-32 2s dance Figure of 8 round 3s & 4s
(between 3s to start) **as** 1s Cast up to
dance Figure of 8 round 5s & 4s and Cross
down to 5th place on last 2 bars.

ARGYLL STRATHSPEY Strathspey 8 X 32 35/3

- 1-2 1s, 2s, 3s $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn partners RH and face in middle.
- 3-4 1s, 2s, 3s Drop hands, Pull RSh back & Dance out to partners' place. [(1), (2), (3), 4].
- 5-8 1s, 2s, 3s Repeat bars 1-4 to places. [1, 2, 3, 4].
- 9-16 1s, 2s, 3s Circle 6 hands round & back.
End: 1s in middle facing down, 3s in middle facing up.
- 17-24 1s & 3s Rights & Lefts up/down. End on sides.
[1, 2, 3, 4].
- 25-32 1s & 2s The Tourn  e. [2, 1, 3, 4].

DANCING FORTH Reel 8 X 32 54/2

- 1-4 1s Set, $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn RH moving down to 2nd place Release hands, Pull RSh back to face 1st corner.
- 5-8 1s & 1st corners Set, Turn BH (use skip-change). End 1M between 3s facing 3M, 1W between 2s facing 2W.
- 9-16 Reels of 3 across (LSh start). End corners dance long way round, 1M between 3s facing up, 1W between 2s facing down.
- 17-20 1s Set, $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn RH, Release hands, Pull RSh back to face 2nd corner..
- 21-24 Repeat bars 5-8. End 1M between 2s facing 2M, 1W between 3s facing 3W.
- 25-32 Reels of 3 across (LSh start). End corners dance long way round **as** 1s Cross over RH to 2nd place own side. [2, 1, 3, 4].

INDIAN RIVER STRATHSPEY Strathspey 3 X 32
3cpl Senyk

(Triangular Set: 1s with backs to music)

- 1-8 1s, 2s, 3s (in Promenade hold) Reel of '3' across (Start: 1s & 3s Pass RSh).
- 9-12 1s & 3s RH Wheel (1W in front of partner).
- 13-16 1s & 2s LH Wheel. End in original places.
- 17-24 2s & 3s Ladies' Chain. **as** 1s Set to partner, nhj dance down middle, divide, Cast up outside of set to original places.
- 25-28 1s & 3s $\frac{1}{2}$ Rights & Lefts.
- 29-32 1s & 2s $\frac{1}{2}$ Rights & Lefts. [3, 1, 2 triangular].

MAIRI'S WEDDING Reel 8 X 40 30 Pop Vol2/40

- 1-8 1s Turn RH and Cast off 1 own side (2s Step up). 1s Turn LH to face 1st corners.
- 9-24 $\frac{1}{2}$ Diagonal Reels of 4 with each of the 4 corners in turn. 1s finish in 2nd place own sides. [2, 1, 3, 4].
- 25-32 Reels of 3 across (LSh start to 1st corners).
- 33-40 2s, 1s, 3s Circle and back.