

Harrow and District Caledonian Society Dance Class – Wednesday 28th January 2026 – 8.00 pm

Payment in advance is preferred

Sept – Mar season tickets still current. Jan – Mar termly ticket £30 Weekly payment £3.00 members, £3.50 non-members (1st wk free)
Bank details: Account number 02011648 Sort code 30-93-92 in advance or via our card reader or cash on door

Keeping everyone safe: Do not attend if you are feeling unwell

Bring your own drink as we do not use the kitchen

More complex figures are **marked in orange**

Our class comprises dances from our own dance programmes or our neighbouring clubs or of general interest

Our class is a general class catering for all levels from beginner to experienced

When making up sets aim for a balance between experienced and less experienced dancers

Wembley ball 28/4

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

www.youtube.com/watch?v=12tADZYXC10

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

spring dance 7/3

AVIATOR, THE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=hM51UnMI09M&t=14s

Carola Fischer RSCDS Book 52

- 1- 8 1s lead down, on bar 4 1M crosses partner in front & 1L followed by 1M cast up behind 4M & 3M & across
into 2nd place facing 3L (2s step up 3-4)
- 9-16 1s (1L leading) dance ½ alternating tandem reel with 1st corners;
1M continues reel with corners passing 3L LSh **while 1L+3M** turn LH to face 2L
- 17-24 1s (1M leading) dance ½ alternating tandem reel with 2nd corners;
1L continues reel with corners passing 2L LSh **while 1M+3L** turn LH.
1s end in 2nd place opp sides, 1L facing out
- 25-32 1s dance up, round 2s by RSh (1L behind 2M, 1M in front 2L) & 1M followed by 1L cast 1 place, across set
to end in 2nd place own side (6 bars). All 3 couples set

• spring dance 7/3

ATHENS OF THE NORTH (S4x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=tPDphDqhhJE

Atsuko Clement 90 Years of RSCDS Edinburgh

- 1- 8 2s followed by 1s dance down (2 steps), turn partners 2H. 1s followed by 2s dance up, 1s+2s ½ turn (M LH, L RH) 2 1 3
- 9-16 2s+1s+3s dance Diag R&L. 1s finish facing out in 2nd place (3) 1 (2)
- 17-24 3s+1s+2s dance RSh reels of 3 on sides (1M+3L & 1L+2M pass RSh to start)
- 25-32 3s+1s+2s dance clockwise ½ way round & turn partners 2H (1s turn 1½ times) 2 1 3

spring dance 7/3

GLENALMOND GAMEKEEPER, THE (R8x40) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=nrfG9GeV46U&t=11s

John Drewry Bankhead Book 6

- 1- 8 1s cross down to dance reflection reels of 3 on opposite sides with 1s & 3s
ending in centre facing down/up
- 9-16 1s+3s dance Ladies (RH) Chain [Ladies \(RH\) Chain](#)
ending with 1M facing Ladies side & 3M facing Men's side with partners behind them
- 17-24 1M **also** 3M (followed by partners & cast to start) dance a Fig of 8 round standing 2s passing firstly LSh in middle & then RSh
to end 1s still on opp sides
- 25-32 1s+2s+3s circle 6H round & back (1s finish still on opp sides)
- 33-40 1s+2s set & dance ¾ double Fig of 8 (1s cast to start) with 1s ending in 2nd place

I N T E R V A L

wembley ball 28/2

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

<https://youtu.be/JDwHwAeZRqE?t=7s>

Duncan Brown RSCDS Book 46

- 1- 8 1s cross down between 2s+3s & cast to right to face 2L/3M, dance ½ LSh reel of 3 across (1L with 2s, 1M with 3s)
& end facing 1st corner (pstn)
- 9-16 1s dance ½ diagonal reel of 4 & pass RSh to face 2nd corner (pstn), 1s dance ½ diagonal reel
& end in double triangle positions (facing opp sides)
- 17-24 1s dance Double Triangles [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),
Snake Pass (Z shape):
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. 2 1 3

spring dance 7/3

ORCHARDS OF CO. ARMAGH, THE (S3x32) 3C set

www.youtube.com/watch?v=oam1r7yjMuA&t=16s

Jinty Anderson Belfast Plat Anniv & RSCDS Bk 53

- 1- 8 1M leading 2M+3M **also** 3L leading 2L+1L chase clockwise ½ round to opposite sides (4 bars).
All set, 1s+3s turn partners ¾ RH into line up/down (Men facing down)
- 9-16 3s+1s dance ½ reel of 4. Bar 12: 1M+3L pass LSh to face 2s (1M+2M and 3L+2L facing), 1L+3M remain in centre at top/bottom
1M+3L+2s dance ½ reel of 4 across. Bar 16: 1M and 3L pass LSh to face partners up/down set
- 17-24 1s+3s dance ½ reel of 4, 1M+3L pass LSh to face own partners.
3s+1s set, Petronella turn to own sides. 321
- 25-32 2s followed by 1s dance up to top, cast, 2s to 3rd place, 1s to 2nd place (4 bars). 3s+1s+2s turn partners 2H

spring dance 7/3

CHEQUERED COURT, THE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=FqOEZsW4MP8

Duncan Brown RSCDS Book 42

- 1- 8 1s cross RH, cast 1 place, 1s dance ½ Figs of 8 (Man round 2s & Lady round 3s) & end facing 1st corners
- 9-16 1s dance Pass+Turn with 1st corners & 1s twirl round in centre to face 4th corners, [Pass and turn](#)
1s dance Pass+Turn with 4th corners & twirl round to face own sides
- 17-24 1s dance 6 bars of Double Triangles [Double Triangles](#)
& end with 1L between 2s facing 2L & 1M between 3s facing 3M
- 25-32 1s dance reel of 3 across giving RSh to 4th corners & 1s cross RH to own sides

Extra if time
spring dance 7/3

BRATACH BANA (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

www.youtube.com/watch?v=CSk2kg7R2aw

John Drewry Bon Accord Book

- 1- 8 1s turn RH & cast 1 place, 1s dance LSh round 1st corners to 2nd place opposite side facing 2nd corners
 9-16 1s dance ½ Reel of 3 on the sides & dance ½ Reel of 3 across (1M with 3s at top, 1L with the 2s)
 17-24 1s turn LH, turn 3rd corners RH (1st corner person) & pass RSh to turn 4th corner RH
 ending in 2nd pl own side in prom hold with 4th corner
 25-32 1s+4th corners Prom diag across (pass RSh) to diag opp corner & ½ turn [some may still pas de basque to place as in original version]
 to end 1s in 2nd pl opp side,
 1s dance ½ Diag R&L (M up, L down) to end in 2nd place

Forthcoming dance programmes

Please ask the convener or instructor if you wish to practice any of the below dances (or any others) at future classes

<i>LHC</i> <i>31/1</i>	<i>FRO – Friday Recaps</i> <i>13/2</i>	<i>Berkhamsted</i> <i>14/2</i>	<i>Wembley Ball</i> <i>28/2</i>
New Year Jig The Water of Leith The Spring Fling Reel Farewell to Balfour Road Rest and Be Thankful The Glengarry Homestead The Tri-Mariner Drumelzier The Scallywag Welcome to Ayr John McAlpin The College Hornpipe Jim's Haberdashery Langholm Fair The Falls of Rogie City of Belfast Chased Lovers The Deil amang the Tailors Extras Extra: Joie de Vivre Extra: Catch the Wind	The Milngavie Maestro Toast to the Mousies Karin's Strathspey Neil M Grant Triple Happiness Bratach Bana The Waternish Tangle Dancing Forth The Water of Leith Orpington Caledonians The Compleat Gardener	Hooper's Jig Maxwell's Rant City of Belfast Neil M Grant Blooms of Bon Accord Applecross Strathspey Airie Bennan Orpington Caledonians The Robertson Rant Trip to Timber Ridge Joie de Vivre Ray Milbourne Schiehallion The Waternish Tangle Miss Milligan's Strathspey Jennifer's Jig Toast to the Mousies The Byron Strathspey Pelorus Jack The Reel of The Royal Scots	Pelorus Jack Maxwell's Rant Culla Bay Chased Lovers Miss Johnstone of Ardrossan Gang the Same Gate The Zoologist Rutland Reel Triple Happiness The Dancing Master Dancing Forth Midsummer Common Gaelforce Wind Flight to Melbourne Belle of Bon Accord The Scallywag Toast to the Mousies The Orchards of Co Armagh James Gray Trip to Timber Ridge

<i>Aston Clinton dance</i> <i>also 28/2</i>	<i>Triple Decker</i> <i>1/3</i>	<i>Spring dance</i> <i>7/3</i>	<i>Herts & Borders</i> <i>10/4</i>
Hooper's Jig Swiss Lassie Midsummer Common The Milngavie Maestro Portincaple Oak Glastonbury Tor Culla Bay Ladies' Fancy Toast to the Mousies Jennifer's Jig The Rutland Reel Karin's Strathspey Ian Powrie's Farewell to Auchterarder Miss Johnstone of Ardrossan Miss Eleanor The Compleat Gardener The Highland Rambler		Good Hearted Glasgow The Falls of Rogie Athens of the North Napier's Index Donald MacNeil Macdonald of Keppoch Glastonbury Tor Burnsian Jim The Glenalmond Gamekeeper Torridon Lassies Remembering Abbotsford Miss Johnstone of Ardrossan The Water of Leith The Aviator Bratach Bana The Orchards of Co Armagh The Chequered Court Mrs Macpherson of Inveran	Jennifer's Jig The Young Accordion Man "Deer" Friends The Luckenbooth Brooch Scott Meikle Ian Powrie's Farewell to Auchterarder We'll Meet Again Toast to the Mousies Pelorus Jack Ramadan-ce The Swan and the Tay MacDonald of Keppoch Inchmickery The Rutland Reel City of Belfast Trip to Timber Ridge

David's House care home display date tbc

? Hello Goodbye to singalong tunes (but NB two scottish residents so some scottish tunes) potentially also Sandy Hunt's dancers and singing group