

Harrow and District Caledonian Society Dance Class – Wednesday 16th September 2026 – 8.00 pm

Payment in advance is preferred

Season ticket half-year, Sept to March £97.20 or for autumn term, Sept to Dec £50.40 10% saving
or Weekly payment £4.00 members, £5.00 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

We look forward to welcoming any new dancers via our Pinner Village Fair publicity stall or any others new to our class

Introductory dance

WHITE COCKADE, THE (R8x32) 3C (4C set) www.youtube.com/watch?v=yU06x1sxCxI&t=5s

John Preston (1797)

- 1-8 1s+2s+3s set & cross RH, set & cross back RH
- 9-16 1s lead down the middle for 4 bars & back to top, remaining in centre facing up
- 17-24 1s cast (slow) to 2nd place on own sides (4 bars) & circle 4H round to the left with 3s
- 25-32 2s+1s dance R&L. 2 1 3

Introductory dance – also for our social on 19th September – 8 volunteers please

FLYING SCOTSMAN, THE (adapted Ceilidh version) (R4x32) (4C set) www.youtube.com/watch?v=d-OkNut6gUA

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- 1-8 1L followed by 2L+3L+4L cross, cast behind opposite line, cross at bottom and cast up to places
- 9-16 1M followed by 2M+3M+4M repeat around Ladies
- 17-24 1s slip down the middle; and up to 4pl (2s, 3s, & 4s step up) (2,3,4,1)
- 25-32 All slip down and back (2,3,4,1)

FLYING SCOTSMAN, THE (Thurston version) (R8x32) 3C (4C set) www.youtube.com/watch?v=dW6MmQmw_Ak

Hugh A Thurston Collins

- 1-8 1L followed by 2L+3L cross, cast behind 1M, in front of 2M, behind 3M, cross & dance up to places
- 9-16 1M followed by 2M+3M repeat around Ladies
- 17-24 1s slip step down the middle & up to 2nd place
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s slip step down & back

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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

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DEIL AMANG THE TAILORS, THE (R8x32) 3C (4C set) www.youtube.com/watch?v=ykXC9shBnYk&t=8s

Unknown deviser RSCDS Book 14

- 1-8 1s+2s set & dance RH across ½ way, set & dance LH across ½ way back to place
- 9-16 1s lead down the middle & back to top
- 17-24 1s+2s dance Allemande
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

I N T E R V A L

suggestion for 2026-27

FISHERMAN'S REEL (R5x32) 5C Sq.Set <https://youtu.be/3TLThfDXpGs>

Sue Petyt & Jane Gamon Dunblane Holiday

- 5 couple square set, 5s in centre facing, 5M back to 4s, 5L back to 2s
- 1-8 1s+2s+3s+4s circle 8H round & back while 5s turn RH once & LH 1½ times to end 5M facing 2s & 5L facing 4s
- 9-16 5M+2s also 5L+4s dance RH across, 5s pass LSh & dance LH across with next couple anticlockwise (M with 1s & L with 3s)
- 17-24 5M dances reel of 3 with 1s+2s (in prom hold) giving RSh to 2s while 5L reels with 3s+4s giving RSh to 4s
- 25-32 All take partners in prom hold, 5s change pl with 1s RSh, 1s pass 4s RSh, 4s pass 3s RSh, 3s pass 2s RSh & 2s end in centre facing each other

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LANGHOLM FAIR (S3x32) 3C set www.youtube.com/watch?v=metNX6jEXyg&t=9s

Roy Goldring 24 Graded & Social Dances

- 1-8 1M followed by 2M & 3M dance across top of set, down behind Ladies; Men pass between Ladies to own side (to end in reverse order) & all set
- 9-16 2s dance RH across (2L with top couple & 2M with bottom couple), 2s pass RSh & dance LH across with other couple
- 17-24 1L followed by 2L+3L dance across top of set & down behind Men who pull back LSh, turning in place to face down & take promenade hold with partners
- 3 couples Promenade ½ round to original positions, 1s remaining in middle facing up
- 25-32 1s cast to 2nd place (2s continue dancing up) & 1s turn 2H; 1s cast to 3rd place (3s step up) & 1s turn 2H. 2 3 1

Extra if time

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LAND OF THE PRINCE BISHOPS (R8x32) 3C (4C set) www.youtube.com/watch?v=uHUIImMbxMnY

Ian Barbour

- 1-8 1s+2s dance RH across, 1s+2s change places RH on sides & 1s+3s change places LH on sides
- 9-16 2s+3s+1s dance reel of 3 on own sides (3s+1s pass LSh to start)
- 17-24 3s+1s dance LH across, 1s & 3s change places LH on sides & 2s+1s+3s all set
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round to left for 3 bars & pivot left, all circle 6H round to the right to places

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

If there is a demand we may split part of the main class into a regular class and a "challenging dances" class on occasional weeks
if there is a demand for it

<i>New season – possible dances</i>	<i>Autumn Dance Sunday 25th October (afternoon)</i>	<i>Christmas Dance Wed 16th December</i>	<i>New Year Ball Friday 8th January</i>
Land of the Prince Bishops Luckenbooth Brooch Fisherman's Reel The Bellringer Two Gray Cats Gates of India White Cockade	tbcb		

<i>Herts & Borders – Foss on Friday Fri 2/10</i>	<i>London Highland Club – Craigellachie Sat 3/10</i>	<i>Herts & Borders – Triple Decker Sun 4/10 (pm)</i>	<i>Orpington – Dave Hall Sat 10/10</i>
Foss dances	Pelorus Jack Culla Bay Summer Superstars Jennifer's Jig Langholm Fair Ray Milbourne The Waternish Tangle Dagmar's Fancy Mairi's Wedding Welcome to Ayr The Singing Sands Dance with Mother The Dancing Master "Deer" Friends The Countess of Dunmore's Reel The Water of Leith Chased Lovers The Highland Rambler Extras The Sailor Joie de Vivre		Ecclefechan Feline Toast to the Mousies Sugar Candie Torridon Lassies Glastonbury Tor Tullynessle and Forbes Hall Quarries' Jig Trip to Timber Ridge The Bon Viveur Joie de Vivre Orpington Caledonians Montparnasse Best Set in the Hall Polharrow Burn Autumn in Appin The Chequered Court Ramadan-ce Canadian Landscape Major Ian Stewart Mairi's Wedding

<i>Herts & Borders – From Recaps Only Fri 16/10 (am)</i>	<i>RSCDS London – Day School & Dance Sat 17/10</i>	<i>Herts & Borders – Foss on Friday Fri 23/10</i>	<i>London Highland Cl – Susan MacFadyen Sat 31/10</i>
Yan, Tan, Tethera Toast to the Mousies The Silver Tassie Torridon Lassies The Flower of Glasgow The Compleat Gardener Jennifer's Jig John of Bon Accord Autumn in Appin Chased Lovers Trip to Timber Ridge	The Laird of Milton's Daughter Maxwell's Rant Miss Gibson's Strathspey Miss Allie Anderson Red House The Minister on the Loch Waverley The Montgomeries' Rant The Orchards of Co. Armagh Gaelforce Wind The Saltire Society Reel The Silver Tassie The Starry Eyed Lassie The Deil amang the Tailors		Yan, Tan, Tethera MacDonald of the Isles Toast to the Mousies Jim's Haberdashery Glenoe Nottingham Lace The Tattie Bogle Slytherin House City Lights The Ambassadors' Reel The Wooden Horse John of Bon Accord Scotch Mist The Cranberry Tartelette The Earl of Mansfield The Silver Grey Torridon Lassies Tartan Rainbow The Flight of the Falcon Trip to Timber Ridge Extras: EH3 7AF Maxwell's Rant

<i>Easier dances</i>	<i>Challenging dances</i>		
Machine without horses white cockade maxwell's rant joie de vivre The Deil amang the Tailors			