

**St Columba's Dancers: 10 February 2025**  
**MC: Murrough Landon**

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**THE FINDLAYS' JIG (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**

Roy Goldring 14 Social Dances

- 1- 8 1s lead down the middle & back
- 9-16 1s+2s+3s dance Allemande
- 17-24 1s dance in & cast up to top, 2s dance in & cast up to top
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

**THE SAILOR (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**

RSCDS Bk 24

- 1- 8 1s cross down RH to face out between 2s & 3s giving hands to each corner & set, 1s cast round 1st corner to form lines of 3 across with 2s/3s & 2s+1s+3s set
- 9-16 1s (turning to right) dance RSh reels of 3 across & 1s end passing LSh to 2nd place on opposite sides
- 17-24 1s lead down for 2 bars & lead up, cross at the top & cast to 2nd place on own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s dance R&L

**KYLE CASTLE (S4x32) 4C set**

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- 1- 8 Extended Espagnole (4 couples):
  - 1-2 1L+2L **also** 3L+4L lead RH across to opp sides and cross **while** 2M+3M lead LH to opposite sides and cross **while** 1M & 4M cross singly (Ladies 2143 on Men's side, Men: 1324 on Ladies' side)
  - 3-8 Repeat 3 more times from new positions to end 4 3 2 1
- 9-16 3s turn 1.1/2 LH **while** 2s turn 1.1/2 RH (4 bars). 4s+3s **also** 2s+1s Set+Link (3) 4 1 (2)
- 17-24 4s+1s dance LH across **while** 3s & 2s chase 1/2 round clockwise. 2s+4c & 1s+3s dance RH across 2 4 1 3
- 25-32 RSh Reels of 4 on the sides, 4M+1M end with 1/2 LH turn, retaining hands ready for repeat. 2 4 1 3

**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

**THE ROSE OF THE NORTH (S8x32) 3C (4C set)**

Roy Goldring Leeds Silver Jubilee

- 1- 4 1s lead down below 3s, cross & cast up to 2nd place on opposite side
- 5-16 2s+1s+3s dance 3 couple R&L, 1s end facing 1st corners
- 17-24 1s set to & turn 1st corner 2H, set to & turn 2nd corner 2H. 1s finish BtoB in centre, 1M facing up, 1L facing down
- 25-32 1M+2s & 1L+3s circle 3H round to left & on bar 4 1s pull back RSh to face each other & set; 1s Petronella turn to 2nd place own side. 2 1 3

**GENERAL STUART'S REEL (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**

C Menzies RSCDS Bk 10

- 1- 8 1M sets to 2L & casts 1 place, 1L sets to 2M & casts 1 place
- 9-16 1s turn 1st corner RH & pass partner RSh, turn 2nd corner LH pass partner RSh to face 1st corners
- 17-24 1s dance 'Hello-Goodbye' setting & end BtoB (1M facing up & 1L facing down)
- 25-32 1s give RSh to 2nd corner & dance reels of 3 on sides with 2s+3s & cross RH to 2nd place on own sides

**INTERVAL**

**JOHN CASS (J5x32) 5C set**

Peter Avery RSCDS Bk 49

- 1- 8 1s lead down (2s+3s step up 3-4), lead up to 3rd place & turn RH to face 3M with 1L following 1M
- 9-16 1s, 3M+2M, 4L+5L all in tandem, dance alternating tandem reel on diagonal (1s pass 3M+2M RSh). 1s end facing 4M, 1L following 1M
- 17-24 1s, 4M+5M, 2L+3L all in tandem, repeat 9-16 (1s pass 4M+5M LSh) 1s end in middle, 3rd place facing down NHJ (1L on Left of 1M)
- 25-32 1s dance down between 4s, cast behind 5s (4s+5s step up 27-28), 1s pivot turn (R elbow grip) & finish in 5th place 2 3 4 5 1

**MARGARET PARKER'S STRATHSPEY (S8x32) 3C (4C set)**

John Drewry RSCDS Bk 31

- 1- 8 1s cross below 2s & cast down behind 3s, dance up, 1L dances LH across with 2M+3M & 1M dances RH with 2L+3L
- 9-16 1M+2L **also** 1L+2M continue to turn until 1s are in 2nd place, 1s 3/4 turn 2H (to end Man above 2s & Lady above 3s), 1M+2s **also** 1L+3s dance 3H round to left to end in lines of 3 across
- 17-24 Both lines dance down, all turning right about, dance back & end with top line turning to face 1L+3s
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s set & change places RH with person opposite, set, 1s cast into 2nd place **while** 2s & 3s change places RH with opposite person

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**BLOOMS OF BON ACCORD (R4x32) 4C set**

**John Drewry Deeside Bk 2**

3s & 4s on opp sides

- 1- 8 All set & 1s+2s also 3s+4s dance RH across once round, 1s & 4s cast in 1 place to 2 1 (4)(3)
- 9-12 1s & 4s cross RH & cast to ends of set to meet partners in prom hold & dance into centre of dance
- 13-16 1s+4s dance round passing RSh & to end 1s in the middle on Men's side facing up & 4s in the middle on Ladies' side facing down
- 17-24 All (1s & 4s in prom hold) dance RSh reels of 3 on sides
- 25-28 4s+1s dance RH across in centre once round to end 4s facing up & 1s facing down
- 29-32 4s & 1s lead out of ends crossing & cast in 1 place to end 2 4 (1) (3)

**MISS ELEANOR (S3x32) 3C**

**Ann Dix RSCDS Bk 49**

- 1- 8 1s+2s+3s dance Mirror (Reflection) reels of 3 on sides (1s in/down to start)
- 9-16 1s set, cast (2s step up) & turn RH. 1L casts to 3rd place, 1M casts up to 1st place (2M steps down & 3L steps up)
- 17-24 All dance 3 couple Bourrel:-
  - 17-20 1M+3L **also** 2M+1L set advcg & 3/4 turn 2H to line up/down middle then pull back RSh turning to face own prttrs **as** 3M & 2L chase anticl'wise to face them
  - 21-24 All set & turn 2H to own sides. 3 1 2
- 25-32 3s+1s+2s circle 6H round & back

**IAN POWRIE'S FAREWELL TO AUCHTERARDER (J128) Sq.Set**

**Bill Hamilton**

- 1- 8 All circle 8H round to the left & back (popular variation - 8 hands all the way round to left)
- 9-24 Ladies dance in front of ptrn & behind next Man, into RH across, in front of Man opp own ptrn & behind next Man, into RH across & back to place
- 25-32 All Promenade clockwise
- 33-40 1s & 3s dance cl'wise behind next couple & Men dance past cpl **as** Ladies dance in between cpl & both turn R to face cpl, all set & turn RH
- 41-48 All dance parallel reels of 4
- 49-56 1s & 3s dance a full Fig of 8 round the standing 2s/4s
- 57-64 1s & 3s dance LH across, 1s & 3s dance back to places (Men round & Ladies through the standing 2s & 4s)
- 65-96 2s & 4s repeat 33-64
- 97-104 All Promenade anticlockwise
- 105-120 Men dance in front of ptrn & behind next Lady, into LH across, dance in front of Lady opp own partner & behind next L into LH across & back to pl
- 121-128 All circle 8H round to the right & back (popular variation - 8 hands all the way round to right)

**THE MONTGOMERIES' RANT (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**

**Castle Menzies RSCDS Bk 10**

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast down to 2nd place (2s step up), cross LH & 1L casts up **while** 1M casts down
- 9-16 1s dance reels of 3 across, 1L with 2s (RSh to 2M) & 1M with 3s (RSh to 3L)
- 17-24 1s NHJ (Lady on Mans left) set to 2L & turn inwards to set to 3M, set to 3L & turn inward & set to 2M. End facing own 2nd corner (1L pull back LSh to face down)
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s dance reels of 3 on opposite sides 1s giving RSh to 2nd corner, 1s cross RH to 2nd place own sides

**EXTRAS**

**THE BARMKIN (R88) Sq.Set**

**Roy Goldring 24 G & S Dances**

- 1- 8 1s+3s turn partners RH & Men followed by Ladies chase clockwise 1/2 way round set
- 9-16 1s+3s dance RH across in centre & LH back to "new" places
- 17-32 2s+4s repeat bars 1-16
- 33-40 1s+3s turn partners LH & Ladies followed by Men chase anticlockwise 1/2 way round set
- 41-48 1s+3s dance R&L
- 49-64 2s+4s repeat bars 33-48
- 65-72 All dance into centre & return with corners, Ladies dance round corners passing in front to begin & back to place
- 73-80 All with corners dance into centre & return with partners, Men dance round partners passing in front to begin & back to place
- 81-88 All circle 8H round & back

**THE WILD GEESE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**

**RSCDS Bk 24**

- 1- 8 1s+3s set advancing & Bal-in-Line (Man above Lady), turn partners RH & 1s cast to 3rd place **while** 3s lead up to 1st place
- 9-16 3s+1s set advancing & Bal-in-Line (Man above Lady), turn partners RH & 3s cast to 3rd place **while** 1s lead up to 1st place
- 17-24 1s lead down & back to 2nd place
- 25-32 2s+1s dance R&L