RSCDS Tunbridge Wells Branch Tea Dance

## 1. GOOD HEARTED GLASGOW (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1s turn RH & cast to 2nd place, turn partner LH 1.1/4 times 1-8
- 1s dance RH across (Lady with 2s at top & Man with 3s); 1s pass RSh & dance LH across with other couple 9-16
- 17-24 1s lead down the middle & back to 2nd place own side
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

# 2. CURRIE MOUNTAIN (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1- 8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place, dance 1/2 Fig of 8 round 2s
- 9-16 1s turn 3s with nearer hands (1s dancing between 3s) & turn 2s with other hand
- 17-24 1s+3s dance RH across, 1s+2s dance LH across
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s dance reels of 3 on sides (1s giving RSh to 3s to start)

# 3. THE GENTLEMAN (S8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1s turn 2H & remain in middle facing each other as 2s step up, 1s+2s set (1s advancing & pass LSh to face 1-8 opposite partner) & dance 1/2 reel of 4 across with 2s with 1s ending reel giving LH to face down on own side between 2s
- 9-16 1s dance down to end between 3s & face each other, 1s+3s set (1s advancing & pass LSh to face opposite partner) & 1/2 reel of 4 across with 3s 1s end giving LH to face up on own side between 3s
- 17-24 1s lead up to top, cross over & cast to 2nd place & 1/2 reels of 3 across (L with 2s & M with 3s)
- 25-32 2s+1s dance Diamond Poussette

### 4. THE STARRY EYED LASSIE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1s+2s dance RH across; 1s cast down 1 place while 2s dance up to top, 1s set advancing, turning right about 1-8 to end BtoB facing own sides ready for ...
- 2s+1s+3s dance Double Triangles, ending with Petronella turn to 1L between 2s & 1M between 3s facing 4th 9-16 corners
- 17-24 2s+1s+3s dance RSh reels of 3 across, 1s end in 2nd place opposite sides 2 (1) 3
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round to left (6 bars) & 1s cross RH to 2nd place own sides

### 5. MEG MERRILEES (R8x24) 2C (4C set)

- 1M turns 2L RH, 2M turns 1L RH 1.1/2 times ending in centre in line across with original partners 1- 8
- 9-16 1s+2s dance down the middle, turn to right & dance back to top
- 17-24 1s+2s dance Poussette

### 6. CHERRYBANK GARDENS (S3x32) 3C Set

- 1s+2s set & Petronella-in-tandem twice to end with 2s+1s on opposite sides having changed places. (2) (1) 3 1- 8
- 2s+1s set, 2s cross RH while 1s 3/4 turn LH: 1L+2s (at top) & 1M+3s dance RH across 9-16
- 17-24 1s+3s Set+Link & circle 4H round to left. 3s face down, 1s face up ready for ...
- 25-32 2s+3s+1s dance Grand Chain (2s cross, 3s+1s change places RH on sides)

### 7. SETON'S CEILIDH BAND (J4x64) 4C set Bruce Fordyce Morison's Bush Coll & RSCDS Bk 53

- 1-8 1s cross RH & cast 1 place (2 step up), dance down between 3s (3s step up) & cast down behind 4s to 4th place (4s step up)
- 9-16 1s dance reflection reels of 3 on opposite sides (1s in/up, 4s out/down)
- 1s cross RH & cast up 1 place, lead up between 3s & cast up behind 2s to 1st place own sides 17-24
- 25-32 1s dance reflection reels of 3 on own sides (1s in down, 2s out/up)
- 33-40 1s cross RH & cast down 1 place (2 step up) 1s give RH to partner & LH to 1st corners, Bal-in-Line & turn partner RH to give LH to 2nd corners
- Bal-in-Line & 1s dance out & cast down behind 3s, meet & lead up to top crossing to 1st place own sides (2s 41-48 step down)
- 49-60 1L+2L & 1M+2M change places RH on sides & 2s+1s cross over LH, repeat with 3s & 4s until reaching the bottom of the set
- 61-64 All turn partners RH 1.1/2 times

### 8. CATCH THE WIND (R8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1s set, cast 1 place & dance 1/2 Fig of 8 round 2s 1-8
- 1s set twice with 1L pulling back RSh on bars 11-12 to face out, 1L followed by partner casts up & dances 9-16 down the middle 1L to face 3M while 1M faces 2M
- 17-24 1s RSh reels of 3 across (1M with 2s & 1L with 3s)
- 1L followed by partner dances down cast up round 3M & crosses to end in 2nd place on own sides, 1s turn 25-32 RH (4 bars)

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# 9. THE LAIRD OF MILTON'S DAUGHTER (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1s set, cross RH, cast 1 place & turn LH to face 1st corners 1-8
- 9-24 1s dance Corner Chain with 1st & 2nd corners : -`1s change pl RH with 1st crnrs, 1st crnrs turn LH in centre & return to places giving RH to 1s who turn LH in centre to face 2nd crnrs `1s change places RH with 2nd crnrs, 2nd crnrs turn LH in centre & return to places giving RH to 1s & 1s end with a 1/2 turn LH to 2nd place own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

### 10. WISP OF THISTLE (S8x32) 3C (4C set)

- Pat Kent RSCDS Bk 37 & Nova Scotia Collection 2017 1s & 3s Petronella turn into centre & set to partners; 1s+3s dance 1/2 Reel of 4 up & down centre of dance 1-8
- 9-16 3s & 1s Petronella turn onto own sides & 3s+2s+1s set; 3s+2s+1s turn partners RH to end ready for Allemande
- 17-24 3s+2s+1s dance Allemande
- 25-32 1s cross RH & cast down 1 place, dance 1/2 Fig of 8 round 2s to end in 2nd place

### 11. BILL CLEMENT MBE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)

- 1-8 1s set & dance down between 3s & cast up to end LH with partner facing 1st crnrs
- 9-16 1s set & turn inwards to face 3rd crnrs, 1s set to 3rd crnrs & turn crnrs LH to end RH with partner facing 2nd crnrs
- 17-24 1s set & turn inwards to face 4th crnrs,1s set to 4th crnrs & turn crnrs RH to end 2nd place own side
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

### 12. MISS JOHNSTONE OF ARDROSSAN (R5x32) 5C set

- 1s set & cast 1 place, 1s followed by 3s dance up & cast 1s to 3rd place & 3s to 2nd place 1-8
- 9-16 1s cross down & dance reflection reels of 3 with 4s+5s on opposite sides - 1s end in 3rd place opposite sides
- 17-24 1s cross up & dance reflection reels of 3 on own sides with 2s+3s 1s ending in 3rd place own sides
- 25-32 1s set & cast down 1 place, 1s followed by 5s dance up between 4s & cast 1s to 5th place & 5s to 4th place
- 13. CITY OF BELFAST (S3x32) 3C set Lucy Mullholland Belfast Diamond Jubilee Bk & RSCDS Bk 48
- 1s dance 1/2 Fig of 8 round 2s, 1L+2M turn RH 1.1/4 times while 1M+2L turn LH 1.1/4 times & 1s end BtoB 1-8 facing opp sides
- 9-16 1s+2s dance reel of 4 across in 2nd place. 2s end in 1st places while 1s pass LSh to face 1st corners
- 17-24 1s set to 1st corner & 2nd corner ending (turning to right) between corners, all set & 1s cross RH 25-32 1s+3s dance Espagnole:-
  - 25-26 1s+3s cross (Ladies lead across RH passing between Men) with Ladies changing places RH
  - 27-28 1s+3s cross back (Men lead across RH between Ladies) with Men changing places RH
  - 29-32 3s turn RH as 1s turn LH to end 2 3 1

### 14. THE REEL OF THE ROYAL SCOTS (R8x32) 3C (4C set) Roy Goldring RSCDS Leaflet Dances 27

- 1s 1/2 turn 2s on sides (1M RH 1L LH) to 1s in centre BtoB facing out, 2s+1s+3s set, 1-4
- 5-8 1s 1/2 turn 3s on sides (1M LH - 1L RH) to 3s in centre BtoB facing out & 2s+3s+1s set
- 1s followed by 3s dance up between 2s, cast down 1 place; 1s dance down between 3s & cast up to 2nd 9-16 place, 3s loop into 3rd place
- 17-24 1s turn 1st corners RH, pass partner RSh turn 2nd corners RH & cross passing partner RSh to 2nd place own sides
- 25-32 2s+1s+3s circle 6H round & back

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