

The Barrie Alexander Strathspey
Strathspey 4x32

Written to remember Barrie, a much missed member of the Kirkpatrick Fleming and
Annan dance classes

The original tune for this dance is 'The Seafarer' by Willie McRobert

Barrie's favourite Strathspey music was 'Mid Fodderletter' (track 6) from the Dancers' Choice Volume 1 CD, and if using CDs this is the recommended music for the dance.

1-8 Second and third couples dance a diamond (all round) poussette, while first and fourth couples set, cross over to change places with partners, and chase clockwise half way round the set. (4,2,3,1) (keep the poussette within the set to avoid colliding with the dancer chasing round).

9-16 All dance right shoulder reels of four on the sides (no loops at the end).

17-24 Fourth and second couples, third and first couples dance half rights and lefts, join hands and set, and cross over giving right hand to partner. (2,4,1,3)

25-32 Second and fourth couples, first and third couples dance right hand across and left hand across.

Repeat from new positions



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