

The Berkhamsted Medley

A strathspey and reel medley for four couples in a longwise set

Bars	Description
1 – 8	1 st couple lead down the middle and up.
9 – 16	1st, 2nd and 3rd couples dance set and rotate for three couples. (3,2,1,4)
17 – 24	3 rd and 2 nd couples and at the same time 1 st and 4 th couples, petronella in tandem, set, petronella in tandem to opposite sides and giving right hand, cross with partner to own sides. (2,3,4,1)
24 – 32	2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th and 1st couples dance eight hands round and back.

Repeat from new places once more in strathspey and then twice in reel time.

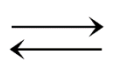
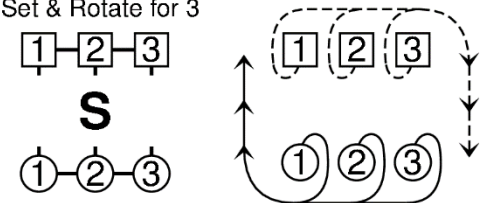
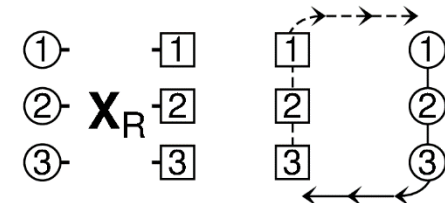
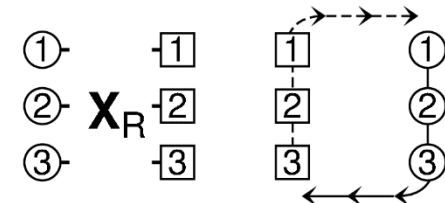
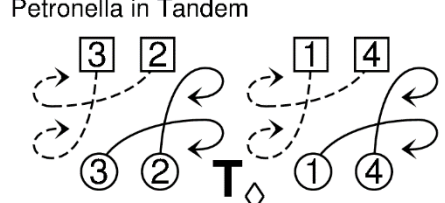
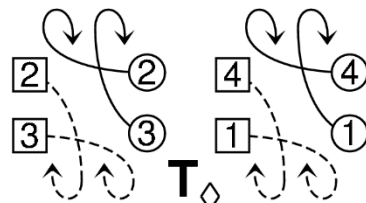

Jane and Brian Rose

Devisors' Notes

The committee of the Berkhamsted Strathspey and Reel Club asked Brian and Jane Rose to write a dance to celebrate the Platinum Anniversary of the founding of the club.

As it is a Strathspey and Reel Club, a medley of both tempos seemed appropriate and as the Club was founded by the four Bateson brothers, a four-couple dance.

Music by Sandy Nixon. Jane Rose's Strathspey - 64 bars and Brian Rose's Reel – 64 bars.

THE BERKHAMSTED MEDLEY		2x32 S + 2x32 R	
	Set & Rotate for 3 		
Petronella in Tandem 	ALL S		2x 3x 4x 1x X_R 2 3 4 1 

Jane and Brian Rose, 2022

4C/4C longwise set.